

# **NRI's I-STAR/CORE solution for wholesale brokerage firms adds two-factor authentication to strengthen security**

*Security authentication now utilizes dynamic password technology*

TOKYO, August 26, 2019 – Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. (NRI), a leading provider of consulting services and system solutions, announced today that the company's I-STAR/CORE back office solution has added two-factor authentication in order to offer more enhanced security to wholesale brokerage firms looking to secure their settlement functions.

NRI users rely on I-STAR/CORE for post-trade operations support, including fund and securities settlement. As security requirements increase, there has been increased demand for stricter security measures around settlement functions. As a result, NRI has added dynamic password technology to existing authentication processes. The dynamic password is generated on a mobile application, and I-STAR/CORE users are required to enter the one-time password in addition to the existing password.

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