

NetEase Announces Financing Round for NetEase Cloud Music

(Beijing – October 12, 2018) - NetEase, Inc. (NASDAQ: NTES) ("NetEase"), one of China's leading internet and online game services providers, today announced that its music streaming platform NetEase Cloud Music has entered into definitive agreements for a new round of financing with investors, including Baidu, General Atlantic and Boyu Capital. Baidu will also strategically partner with NetEase Cloud Music to further its business. After the completion of this round, NetEase will remain the controlling shareholder of NetEase Cloud Music.

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About NetEase, Inc.

NetEase, Inc. (NASDAQ: NTES) is a leading internet technology company in China dedicated to providing online services centered around content, community, communication and commerce. NetEase develops and operates some of China's most popular PC-client and mobile games, and partners with Blizzard Entertainment, Mojang AB (a Microsoft subsidiary) and other global game developers to operate some of the most popular international online games in China. NetEase also operates Kaola.com and Yanxuan, two e-commerce platforms that cater to the rising middle-class consumer market in China. In addition, NetEase offers advertising, e-mail and other services. For more information, please visit: http://ir.netease.com/.

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