

Modification to the Methodology of the S&P ESG Leaders Indices

AMSTERDAM, AUGUST 12, 2022: S&P Dow Jones Indices (“S&P DJI”) announces a change to the S&P ESG Leaders Indices.

S&P DJI will introduce a quarterly eligibility check, whereby any current member of the index that is now found to be failing the Business Activities or United Nations Global Compact (“UNGC”) eligibility criteria will be removed from the index. The aim of this is to ensure that any changes to a company’s eligibility are handled in a timely manner. No constituent will be added to the index as a result of any deletion that may take place.

S&P DJI will implement this change effective prior to the market open on **Tuesday, November 1, 2022**. Any changes as a result of this review will first be visible to clients beginning on **Monday, October 24, 2022**.

Please note that the S&P ESG Leaders Indices Methodology on S&P DJI’s website is being updated to reflect this change.

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