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## **ANNOUNCEMENT: SUPPLEMENTARY PROSPECTUS – EFFECTIVE 6 JULY 2017**

BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited (**BIMAL**), on behalf of iShares Trust, makes this announcement regarding the following iShares® exchange traded fund.

ASX Code	Fund
IVE	iShares MSCI EAFE ETF

Attached is the Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 to the iShares Trust Australian Prospectus No. 1 dated 2 December 2016 quoted on the ASX. The Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 has today been lodged with the Australian Securities & Investments Commission (**ASIC**).

### **Important Notice**

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Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 to the Prospectus dated 2 December 2016

# iShares Trust Australian Prospectus No. 1

Dated 6 July 2017

iShares Trust ARBN 125 632 411

This Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 supplements the iShares Trust Australian Prospectus No. 1 dated 2 December 2016 (Prospectus). The Prospectus is issued by iShares Trust (Trust) and relates to the following classes of shares of the Trust (Funds) and CDIs over such shares.

iShares China Large-Cap ETF (ASX: IZZ) iShares MSCI EAFE ETF (ASX: IVE)

# This Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 must be read together with the Prospectus.

A copy of this Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 has been lodged with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) and released to the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX). Neither ASIC nor ASX take any responsibility for the contents of this Supplementary Prospectus No. 1.

The Trust does not consider the modifications in this Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 to be materially adverse from the point of view of an investor.

This Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 is dated 6 July 2017 and was lodged with ASIC on that date and sets out the following changes in respect of the Funds.

# Purpose of this Supplementary Prospectus No. 1

This Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 sets out changes to the U.S. Prospectus of iShares MSCI EAFE ETF (Fund) and to the Trust's Statement of Additional Information in respect of the Fund (SAI), lodged with ASIC and referred to in the Prospectus.

### **CHANGES TO AGGREGATE MANAGEMENT FEE**

Effective 5 July 2017 (U.S. Eastern Standard Time) the following supplement, detailing changes to how the aggregate management fee applicable to the Fund is calculated, is inserted into the front of the Fund's U.S. Prospectus and the applicable

Terms used in this Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 have the same meanings as in the Prospectus. Prior to investing in a Fund, a prospective investor must take into account and accept the foregoing information, as well as the information disclosed in the Prospectus.

This Supplementary Prospectus No. 1 is prepared by, or on behalf of, the Trust.

Signed for the purpose of section 351 of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth):

Shane Flatman - Director

BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited

Local Agent of iShares Trust

# **iShares**®

iShares Trust
Supplement dated July 5, 2017
to the Prospectus (the "Prospectus") and
Statement of Additional Information (the "SAI")
for the IShares MSCI EAFE ETF (the "Fund")

The information in this Supplement updates information in, and should be read in conjunction with, the Fund's Prospectus and SAI.

Effective July 1, 2017, the following language replaces similar disclosure in the *Investment Adviser* section of the Prospectus.

Effective July 1, 2017, for its investment advisory services to the Fund, BFA is paid a management fee from the Fund corresponding to the Fund's allocable portion of an aggregate management fee based on the aggregate average daily net assets of the following iShares funds: iShares Edge MSCI Min Vol EAFE ETF, iShares Edge MSCI Min Vol Global ETF, iShares Human Rights ETF, iShares MSCI ACWI ETF, iShares MSCI ACWI ex U.S. ETF, and iShares MSCI EAFE ETF. The aggregate management fee is calculated as follows: 0.35% per annum of the aggregate net assets less than or equal to \$30.0 billion, plus 0.32% per annum of the aggregate net assets over \$30.0 billion, up to and including \$60.0 billion, plus 0.28% per annum of the aggregate net assets over \$60.0 billion, up to and including \$90.0 billion, plus 0.252% per annum of the aggregate net assets over \$90.0 billion, up to and including \$120.0 billion, plus 0.227% per annum of the aggregate net assets in excess of \$120.0 billion. Based on assets of the iShares funds enumerated above as of July 3, 2017, for its investment advisory services to the Fund, BFA is paid a management fee from the Fund, based on a percentage of the Fund's average daily net assets, at the annual rate of 0.31%.

Effective July 1, 2017, the following paragraph replaces similar language in the *Investment Adviser* section of the SAI.

Effective July 1, 2017, for its investment advisory services to certain of the Funds included in this SAI, BFA is paid a management fee from each Fund corresponding to the Fund's allocable portion of an aggregate management fee based on the aggregate average daily net assets of the following iShares funds: iShares Edge MSCI Min Vol EAFE ETF, iShares Edge MSCI Min Vol Global ETF, iShares Human Rights ETF, iShares MSCI ACWI ETF, iShares MSCI ACWI ETF, iShares MSCI EAFE ETF. The aggregate management fee is calculated as follows: 0.35% per annum of the aggregate net assets less than or equal to \$30.0 billion, plus 0.32% per annum of the aggregate net assets over \$30.0 billion, up to and including \$60.0 billion, up to and including \$90.0 billion, plus 0.252% per annum of the aggregate net assets over \$90.0 billion, up to and including \$120.0 billion, plus 0.227% per annum of the aggregate net assets in excess of \$120.0 billion.

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