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Market Announcements Office
ASX Limited

DISTRIBUTION ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR RELEASE TO ALL FUNDS LISTED BELOW

United States, New York time, 20 December 2016

In respect of the below detailed international (US domiciled) iShares® exchange traded funds cross-listed on ASX (**ETFs**), BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited (**BIMAL**), on behalf of iShares, Inc. and iShares Trust, advises that a distribution has been declared in the United States of America (**US**) in US dollars (**US\$**) in respect of the ETFs, details of which are provided below:

ASX Code	Fund	Distribution per share (CDI)
IBK	iShares MSCI BRIC ETF	US\$0.387303
IEM	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	US\$0.396208
IHK	iShares MSCI Hong Kong ETF	US\$0.209720
IJP	iShares MSCI Japan ETF	US\$0.583497
ISG	iShares MSCI Singapore Capped ETF*	US\$0.662296
IVE	iShares MSCI EAFE ETF	US\$0.596173
IKO	iShares MSCI South Korea Capped ETF	US\$0.645396
ITW	iShares MSCI Taiwan Capped ETF*	US\$0.700744
IJH	iShares S&P Mid-Cap ETF*	US\$0.795530
IJR	iShares S&P Small-Cap ETF*	US\$0.541053
IVV	iShares S&P 500 ETF*	US\$1.304090

*Previously known as iShares MSCI Singapore ETF, iShares MSCI Taiwan ETF, iShares Core S&P Mid-Cap ETF, iShares Core S&P Small-Cap ETF and iShares Core S&P 500 ETF.

Details of the Australian distribution timetable for the ETFs are as follows:

Event	Date
Announcement Date – in Australia	21 December 2016
Ex-date	22 December 2016
Record Date	23 December 2016
FX Date	18 January 2017
Payment Date	25 January 2017



Important Notice

To ensure prompt receipt of the dividend payment, investors holding CDIs as of the Record Date need to have provided their bank account details to the share registrar before the Record Date. If this has not been done, please register online in the 'Investor Centre' via the link <https://www-au.computershare.com/investor> or call the number below and your dividend payment will be credited into your nominated account shortly after the Payment Date.

You must be a registered CDI holder in an international iShares ETF to which a distribution is payable as of the Record Date to receive a distribution. The distribution rate is announced in US\$. Investors holding CDIs in respect of shares of an international iShares ETF will receive their entitled distribution payment in Australian dollars (A\$).

All US registered investment companies, including international iShares ETFs, are obliged to distribute portfolio gains to shareholders at year's end regardless of performance.

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