

MSCI CHINA A VALUE AND GROWTH INDICES AUGUST 2007 QUARTERLY INDEX REVIEW

Shanghai – **Aug 17, 2007** - MSCI Barra, a leading global provider of benchmark indices and risk management analytics products, announced today changes to the MSCI China A Value and Growth Indices that will be made as of the close of August 31, 2007. These changes result from the August 2007 Quarterly Index Review. The full list of additions to and deletions from the MSCI China A Value and Growth Indices has been posted on MSCI Barra's web site at http://www.mscibarra.com/products/indices/china.

Aluminum Corp of China A will be added to both the MSCI China A Value Index and the MSCI China A Growth Index with a partial weight.

As a reminder, style reviews during Quarterly Index Reviews are only conducted for new additions to the MSCI China A Index. All securities deleted from the MSCI China A Index as a result of the Quarterly Index Review will also be deleted from the MSCI China A Value and Growth Indices and the MSCI China A Absolute Value and Growth Index Series.

In addition, there will be changes for certain constituents resulting from the quarterly review of Domestic Inclusion Factors (DIFs) and quarterly updates in number of shares (NOS) for the MSCI China A Index, which will also be effective as of the close of August 31, 2007 (effective September 3, 2007).

The results of the August 2007 Quarterly Index Review for the MSCI Global Standard Indices, the MSCI Global Small Cap Indices, the MSCI Global Value and Growth Indices, the MSCI High Dividend Yield Indices, the MSCI Pan-Euro and Euro Indices, the MSCI US Equity Indices, the MSCI US REIT Index, the MSCI Japan KOKUNAI Indices, MSCI Global Islamic Indices, the MSCI China A Index, as well as for the MSCI Global Investable Market Indices have also been posted on MSCI Barra's web site at www.mscibarra.com.

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MSCI Barra was recently voted "Index Provider of the Year" at the 2007 Global Pensions Magazine Awards.

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