MSCI INTENDS TO ADJUST ITS METHODOLOGY FOR THE CALCULATION OF PRICE ADJUSTMENT FACTORS APPLIED FOR RIGHTS ISSUES IN THE MSCI INDICES – ADDITIONAL DOCUMENT

Geneva – November 2, 2009 - MSCI Inc. (NYSE: MXB), a leading provider of investment decision support tools worldwide, announced today that following up on MSCI's previous announcement dated October 22, 2009, an additional document highlighting differences between the proposed new Price Adjustment Factor (PAF) and the current PAF for rights issues has been posted on MSCI Barra's website at http://www.mscibarra.com/products/consultations/index.jsp under section "Proposal to adjust the Price Adjustment Factor (PAF) for rights issues".

MSCI welcomes feedback from the investment community on its proposal regarding the treatment of rights issues in terms of PAF. MSCI will announce its final decision on or before November 16, 2009. This may or may not lead to any changes to MSCI's current treatment of rights issue in terms of PAF.

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