## **MSCI Announces the Next Four Index Reviews**

**Geneva - May 11, 2010 -** MSCI announced today the announcement and effective dates of the four upcoming regular Index Reviews. These dates are:

### August 2010 Quarterly Index Review:

Announcement date: August 17, 2010 Effective date: September 1, 2010

#### November 2010 Semi-Annual Index Review:

Announcement date: November 10, 2010

Effective date: December 1, 2010

# February 2011 Quarterly Index Review:

Announcement date: February 10, 2011

Effective date: March 1, 2011

### May 2011 Semi-Annual Index Review:

Announcement date: May 16, 2011

Effective date: June 1, 2011

MSCI will provide at each regular Index Review the dates for the next four regular Index Reviews. MSCI reserves the right to change these dates. Any changes to the above dates would be communicated to all clients at the same time with sufficient lead time.

For further information on MSCI, please visit our web site at www.mscibarra.com or contact:

#### **MSCI Barra Global Client Service:**

 Joe Pivarunas, MSCI Barra, London
 + 44.20.7618.2222

 Elizabeth Turner, MSCI Barra, New York
 + 1.212.804.3901

 Jackson Wang, MSCI Barra, San Francisco
 + 1.415.836.8800

 Abbie Bao, MSCI Barra, Hong Kong
 + 852.2844.9333

 Masao Ikeda, MSCI Barra, Tokyo
 + 813.5226.8222

- This document and all of the information contained in it, including without limitation all text, data, graphs, charts (collectively, the "Information") is the property of MSCI Inc. ("MSCI"), Barra, Inc. ("Barra"), or their affiliates (including without limitation Financial Engineering Associates, Inc.) (alone or with one or more of them, "MSCI Barra"), or their direct or indirect suppliers or any third party involved in the making or compiling of the Information (collectively, the "MSCI Barra Parties"), as applicable, and is provided for informational purposes only. The Information may not be reproduced or redisseminated in whole or in part without prior written permission from MSCI or Barra, as applicable.
- The Information may not be used to verify or correct other data, to create indices, risk models or analytics, or in connection with issuing, offering, sponsoring, managing or marketing any securities, portfolios, financial products or other investment vehicles based on, linked to, tracking or otherwise derived from any MSCI or Barra product or data.
- Historical data and analysis should not be taken as an indication or guarantee of any future performance, analysis, forecast or prediction.
- None of the Information constitutes an offer to sell (or a solicitation of an offer to buy), or a promotion or recommendation of, any security, financial product or other investment vehicle or any trading strategy, and none of the MSCI Barra Parties endorses, approves or otherwise expresses any opinion regarding any issuer,



# **Upcoming Index Review Dates**

## | February 2010

securities, financial products or instruments or trading strategies. None of the Information, MSCI Barra indices, models or other products or services is intended to constitute investment advice or a recommendation to make (or refrain from making) any kind of investment decision and may not be relied on as such.

- The user of the Information assumes the entire risk of any use it may make or permit to be made of the Information.
- NONE OF THE MSCI BARRA PARTIES MAKES ANY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES OR REPRESENTATIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE INFORMATION (OR THE RESULTS TO BE OBTAINED BY THE USE THEREOF), AND TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, MSCI AND BARRA, EACH ON THEIR BEHALF AND ON THE BEHALF OF EACH MSCI BARRA PARTY, HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF ORIGINALITY, ACCURACY, TIMELINESS, NON-INFRINGEMENT, COMPLETENESS, MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE) WITH RESPECT TO ANY OF THE INFORMATION.
- Without limiting any of the foregoing and to the maximum extent permitted by law, in no event shall any of the MSCI Barra Parties have any liability regarding any of the Information for any direct, indirect, special, punitive, consequential (including lost profits) or any other damages even if notified of the possibility of such damages. The foregoing shall not exclude or limit any liability that may not by applicable law be excluded or limited, including without limitation (as applicable), any liability for death or personal injury to the extent that such injury results from the negligence or wilful default of itself, its servants, agents or sub-contractors.
- Any use of or access to products, services or information of MSCI or Barra or their subsidiaries requires a license from MSCI or Barra, or their subsidiaries, as applicable. MSCI, Barra, MSCI Barra, EAFE, Aegis, Cosmos, BarraOne, and all other MSCI and Barra product names are the trademarks, registered trademarks, or service marks of MSCI, Barra or their affiliates, in the United States and other jurisdictions. The Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS) was developed by and is the exclusive property of MSCI and Standard & Poor's. "Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS)" is a service mark of MSCI and Standard & Poor's.