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MSCI US REIT Index

The following are changes in constituents for the MSCI US REIT Index, which will take place as of the close of November 30, 2011.

SUMMARY OF THE CHANGES INCLUDED IN THIS ANNOUNCEMENT:

| Index | Nb of Securities Added | Nb of Securities Deleted |
|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| MSCI US REIT Index | 5 | 0 |

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| MSCI US REIT Index | |
| Additions | Deletions |
| RLJ LODGING TRUST | None |
| AMERICAN ASSETS TRUST | |
| EXCEL TRUST | |
| MONMOUTH REIT A | |
| SUMMIT HOTEL PROPERTIES | |

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