

Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap Index Licensed to Underlie Market Vectors ETF

Index underlies first ETF focusing on Indonesian small caps

Frankfurt (22 March 2012) – Market Vectors Index Solutions GmbH (MVIS - www.marketvectorsindices.com) today announced the licensing of the Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap Index (MVIDX) to Van Eck Global, the 5th largest provider of exchange traded products in the US and the 8th largest globally. The Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap ETF (NYSE Arca: IDXJ) began tracking the index on 21 March 2012.

“The Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap Index is the only index that provides pure-play exposure to the small-cap segment of this dynamic and growing economy in South East Asia and we are delighted to announce that the index will underlie the first ETF of its kind. We think, small-cap companies offer excellent exposure to the Indonesian economy since those companies are primarily driven by local developments”, said Lars Hamich, Chief Executive Officer at MVIS. “The index is especially qualified to underlie ETFs because it is based on the same liquidity concept for investable indices that is applied to all Market Vectors Indices. We apply the most demanding index rules for liquidity screenings in the market”, said Mr. Hamich.

Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap Index completes the exposure of his big brother, the Market Vectors Indonesia Index (MVIDX), which tracks primarily the performance of Indonesian large- and mid-cap stocks. Market Vectors Indonesia Index also is licensed and underlies the Market Vectors Indonesia ETF (NYSE Arca: IDX).

Both indices are pure-play indices and expand local coverage to include offshore companies that must generate at least 50 percent of their revenues from Indonesia to be classed as pure-play companies. Indices are well-balanced through the implementation of proven cap factors; individual index companies are capped at 8 percent. The indices are reviewed quarterly.

Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap Index

Full MCap: USD 15.04 billion

No of Components: 25 components

Top 5 Companies by Weighting:

1. Bhakti Investama (8.82%)
2. Energie Mega Persada (7.73%)
3. Ciputra Development (7.71%)
4. Sentul City (6.84%)
5. Bakrieland Development (5.91%)

(Data as of 20 March 2012)

Market Vectors Indonesia Index

Full MCap: USD 283.01 billion

No of Components: 42 components

Top 5 Companies by Weighting:

1. Bank Central Asia (8.34%)
2. Astra International (7.90%)
3. Bank Rakyat Indonesia (7.03%)
4. Telekomunikasi Indonesia (6.33%)
5. Bank Mandiri (6.33%)

Detailed information about the Market Vectors Indonesia Small-Cap Index, including methodology details and comprehensive data is available on www.marketvectorsindices.com.

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About Market Vectors Index Solutions GmbH

Market Vectors Index Solutions GmbH (MVIS) develops, monitors and licenses the Market Vectors Indices, a selection of focused, investable and diversified benchmark indices which are especially designed to underlie financial products.

Market Vectors Indices cover several asset classes, including commodity and international equity markets as well as fixed income markets and are licensed to serve as underlying indices for financial products. Approximately USD 8.0 billion in assets under management are currently invested in financial products based on Market Vectors Indices. MVIS is a wholly owned subsidiary of Van Eck Associates Corporation (also known as Van Eck Global).