Zug, April 1st, 2020

Extension of Fast Exit Implementation Window for STOXX Select Dividend and STOXX Maximum Dividend Indices

Dear Sir and Madam,

STOXX Ltd., the operator of Qontigo’s index business and a global provider of innovative and tradable index concepts, announces that in light of the recent market events and following the decision of the Index Governance Committee, the Fast exit rules for the STOXX Select Dividend and STOXX Maximum Dividend Indices are temporarily modified, with effect on Monday April 6th, 2020.

- **STOXX Select Dividend Indices**

Section 10.1.3. Ongoing Maintenance / Fast exit:

“If the company cancels one of its dividends: the company will be deleted from the index, the replacement announced immediately, implemented two trading days later and become effective the next trading day.”

is temporarily replaced by:

“If the company cancels one of its dividends: a replacement will be announced on the Wednesday following the dividend cancellation announcement, implemented two trading days later and become effective the next trading day.”

- **STOXX Maximum Dividend Indices**

Section 10.4.1 Ongoing Maintenance / Fast exit:

“If STOXX becomes aware of a dividend cancellation for the components of the STOXX Maximum Dividend indices, the company will be deleted from the index without replacement with two trading days notice.”

is temporarily replaced by:

“If STOXX becomes aware of a dividend cancellation for the components of the STOXX Maximum Dividend indices, the deletion of the company from the index, without replacement, will be announced on the Wednesday following the dividend cancellation announcement, implemented two trading days later and become effective the next trading day.”

By June 30th, 2020, STOXX will reassess prevailing market conditions in order to determine whether the above-mentioned modifications will remain effective.

For more information on the STOXX indices, please visit [www.stoxx.com](http://www.stoxx.com)

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