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Market Consultation on applying capping on identified Group Entities in STOXX Europe 600 Supersector and EURO STOXX Supersector Indices: 30% / 15% Caps, STOXX Europe 600 Industry 30-15 Indices and STOXX Europe 600 Energy ESG+ Index

Dear Sir and Madam,

STOXX Ltd., the operator of Qontigo's index business and a global provider of innovative and tradable index concepts, has decided to extend the market consultation on proposed changes to the methodology of the STOXX Europe 600 Industry 30-15 Indices and STOXX Europe 600 Energy ESG+ Index. Considering current market conditions, various market participants requested to extend the consultation period to have sufficient time for in-depth analysis' of the impact of the proposed changes.

Process and Timeline

STOXX invites relevant stakeholders and interested third parties to submit responses to consultation@stoxx.com.

The consultation is open to all market participants until April 28th, 2023.

STOXX intends to announce the results of the market consultation, as well as an announcement about potential changes to the index methodology, on, or immediately after, May 5^{th} , 2023.

Depending on the received feedback STOXX may implement proposed changes in 2023.