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ATTENTION. If you are in any doubt about the action to be taken, you

should consult your stockbroker, bank manager, solicitor, accountant,

relationship manager or other professional adviser immediately. This

letter is available in languages other than English and copies can be

obtained at www.iShares.com or requested by calling 08453577000 (UK

number) (please refer to the website for international phone numbers)

8<sup>th</sup> September 2025

**To:** Shareholders of iShares AEX UCITS ETF (the "**Fund**") (ISINs:

IEOOBMTX2B82, IEOOBOM62Y33)

Dear Shareholder,

The Directors of iShares plc (the "Company") wish to advise you of certain

changes that will be made by the index provider, Euronext N.V.

("Euronext") to the AEX-Index (the "Index"), the benchmark index of the

Fund. In addition and as a result of the changes to the Index, the Fund's

offering documents will be changed (as described below).

The changes are not expected to have a material effect on the manner in

which your investment is managed. You are not required to take any action

as a result of this notification.

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Changes to the Fund's Index methodology, including rationale

The changes described in this notification are being made to the Index at

the instigation of Euronext. The Index represents the largest companies

listed on Euronext Amsterdam. The number of Index constituents will

increase from 25 to 30, thereby broadening the Index's representation of

the Dutch equity market.

In addition, Euronext is making changes to the Index's liquidity screening

criteria and the Index capping methodology. Further details regarding the

Index (including its constituents) and its methodology are available on the

Euronext website at

https://www.euronext.com/en/products/indices/NL000000107-

XAMS/market-information.

The changes to the Fund are expected to be implemented on or around

September 22<sup>nd</sup> 2025 (the "Effective Date").

Changes to the Fund's offering documents

It is anticipated that the Company's prospectus (the "Prospectus") and the

Key Investor Information Document (the "KIID") or the Key Information

Document (the "KID"), as applicable, will be updated to reflect the changes

described in this letter on or around the Effective Date, or as soon as

possible thereafter, subject to the approval of the Central Bank of Ireland.

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The updated Prospectus and KIID/KID (as applicable) will be available on www.ishares.com.

**Costs** 

BlackRock Asset Management Ireland Limited, as manager of the Company, will pay the costs of the shareholder notification, and any additional operational costs (excluding realignment costs) and legal costs related to the proposed changes. The transaction costs of realignment will form part of the Index rebalance which in aggregate are estimated to be up

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to 2.5bps and will be borne by the Fund.

**Further information** 

Please contact <u>info@iShares.com</u> if you have any queries concerning the changes outlined in this letter.

Yours faithfully

Director

For and on behalf of

iShares plc

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