

Six Flags Entertainment and Sterling Bancorp Set to Join S&P MidCap 400; Oil States Intl. and KEMET to Join S&P SmallCap 600

NEW YORK, SEPTEMBER 26, 2017: S&P Dow Jones Indices will make the following changes in the S&P MidCap 400 and S&P SmallCap 600 indices effective prior to the open of trading on Monday, October 2:

- Six Flags Entertainment Corp. (NYSE: SIX) will replace PAREXEL International Corp. (NASDAQ: PRXL) in the S&P MidCap 400. Pamplona Capital Management is acquiring PAREXEL in a deal expected to be completed soon pending final conditions.
- S&P SmallCap 600 constituent Sterling Bancorp (NYSE:STL) will replace Oil States International Inc. (NYSE:OIS) in the S&P MidCap 400, and KEMET Corp. (NYSE:KEM) will replace Astoria Financial Corp. (NYSE:AF) in the S&P SmallCap 600, and Oil States will replace Sterling Bancorp in the S&P SmallCap 600. Sterling Bancorp is acquiring Astoria in a deal expected to be completed soon pending final closing conditions. Post merger, Sterling Bancorp will be more representative of the mid-cap market space. Oil States is more representative of the small-cap market space.

Six Flags owns and operates regional theme and water parks. Headquartered in Grand Prairie, TX, the company will be added to the S&P MidCap 400 GICS (Global Industry Classification Standard) Leisure Facilities Sub-Industry index.

KEMET manufactures and sells passive electronic components. Headquartered in Simpsonville, SC, the company will be added to the S&P SmallCap 600 Electronic Manufacturing Services GICS Sub-Industry index.

Sterling Bancorp provides various banking services to commercial, consumer, and municipal clients. Headquartered in Montebello, NY, the company will be added to the S&P MidCap 400 Regional Banks GICS Sub-Industry index.

Oil States provides specialty products and services to oil and natural gas companies. Headquartered in Houston, TX, the company will be added to the S&P SmallCap 600 Oil & Gas Equipment & Services GICS Sub-Industry index.

Following is a summary of the changes:

S&P MIDCAP 400 INDEX – OCTOBER 2, 2017			
	COMPANY	GICS ECONOMIC SECTOR	GICS SUB-INDUSTRY
ADDED	Six Flags	Consumer Discretionary	Leisure Facilities
	Sterling Bancorp	Financials	Regional Banks
DELETED	PARAXEL	Health Care	Life Sciences Tools & Services
	Oil States Int'l	Energy	Oil & Gas Equipment & Services

S&P SMALLCAP 600 INDEX – OCTOBER 2, 2017			
	COMPANY	GICS ECONOMIC SECTOR	GICS SUB-INDUSTRY
ADDED	KEMET	Information Technology	Electronic Manufacturing Services
	Oil States Int'l	Energy	Oil & Gas Equipment & Services
DELETED	Astoria	Financials	Thriffs & Mortgage Finance
	Sterling Bancorp	Financials	Regional Banks

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