

## Dow Jones Sukuk Indices Consultation on Eligibility Criteria Results

**NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 28, 2019:** S&P Dow Jones Indices (“S&P DJI”) has conducted a consultation with members of the investment community on potential changes to the Dow Jones Sukuk Indices.

Currently, Islamic Sukuk Murabaha are eligible for inclusion in the indices, while Islamic Sukuk Hybrid instruments are ineligible.<sup>1</sup> In order to better reflect the Sukuk market, Islamic Sukuk Murabaha will continue to be eligible for inclusion in the indices. In addition, S&P DJI will modify the eligibility criteria of the indices so that Islamic Sukuk Hybrid instruments are eligible for index inclusion.

This change will become effective prior to the market open on Monday, April 1, 2019, in conjunction with the monthly rebalancing, with the following bonds marked as eligible.<sup>2</sup>

ISIN	Structure
XS1959301471	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)
XS1917569243	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)

Concurrent with this consultation, S&P DJI worked with the data provider to review the structures of all bonds within the indices. As a result, the bonds listed below have been re-classified to Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid) by the data provider:

ISIN	Structure
XS1564437199	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)
XS1599284111	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)
XS1599284202	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)
XS1772752710	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)
XS1881581968	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)
XS1938532857	Islamic Sukuk (Hybrid)

Please note these bonds will remain eligible for the March 2019 index composition.

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<sup>1</sup> Due to the minimal issuance of bonds with this structure, the indices currently do not include any Islamic Sukuk Murabaha.

<sup>2</sup> For a given index, the bonds will be marked as eligible provided all other eligibility criteria have been satisfied on the rebalancing reference date of March 27, 2019.

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