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S&P BSE India Infrastructure Index - Methodology Change

India, Mumbai, Friday June 05, 2015 – Asia Index Private Limited today announced changes to the index methodology for the S&P BSE India Infrastructure Index. The S&P BSE India Infrastructure Index is designed to measure the performance of the top 30 Indian infrastructure companies that meet benchmarking and investability requirements.

Effective **at the open of June 22, 2015**, the below changes are being made to the index methodology-

Criteria	Current Methodology	New Methodology
Eligible Universe	S&P BSE 500	S&P BSE AllCap Index
Sector	GICS	BSE Sector Classification Model
Add/Drops in between rebalances	Only due to corporate actions	Corporate actions as well as due to BSE quarterly sector changes
Cluster change	Energy, Transportation, Telecommunications, Utilities and Non- Banking Financial Companies	Energy, Transportation, Construction & Engineering , Utilities and Non-Banking Financial Companies
Data points for index construction	The data is taken for the past 3 months from the reference date 1. Average daily value traded 2. Average daily float market capitalization	The data is taken for the past 6 months from the reference date 1. Average daily float market capitalization 2. Annualized traded value 3. Turnover ratio 4. Trading frequency
Rebalancing Frequency	Effective at the open of Monday following the third Friday of June and December each year	Effective at the open of Monday following third Friday of March and September each year

At each rebalance, the index continues to include 30 constituents with a cluster capping of 30% and an individual stock capping of 10%. The index follows a modified market capitalization weighing scheme. An adhoc rebalance is being performed in June to implement these methodology changes, and is effective after the market close on June 19, 2015.

Please note that the index methodology is being updated to reflect the above changes and will be available on the websites www.spindices.com or www.asiaindex.co.in by 22nd June 2015.

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