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Date: August 19, 2022

Subject: Morgan Creek - Exos SPAC Originated ETF – Liquidation/Cash

Settlement/Acceleration of Expirations

Option Symbol: SPXZ Date: 08/19/2022

On July 20, 2022, Morgan Creek Capital Management, LLC announced that it will terminate and subsequently liquidate the Morgan Creek - Exos SPAC Originated ETF (SPXZ). SPXZ was expected to cease operations, liquidate its assets, and distribute the liquidation proceeds to shareholders of record on or about August 18, 2022 ("Liquidation Date").

SPXZ shares ceased trading on the NYSE Arca, Inc. before the open on August 18, 2022.

Shareholders who did not sell their shares prior to the Liquidation Date will receive a liquidating cash distribution in the amount of \$11.02196963 per SPXZ share on August 19, 2022.

## **Contract Adjustment**

The option symbol SPXZ will not change.

**Date:** August 19, 2022.

New Deliverable

**Per Contract:** \$1,102.20 Cash (\$11.02196963 x 100)

SPXZ options, which were subject to delayed settlement on August 18, 2022, are no longer subject to delayed settlement, effective August 19, 2022.

Settlement in SPXZ options will take place through OCC's cash settlement system. Settlement will be accomplished by payment of the difference between the extended strike amount and the cash deliverable.

## **Acceleration of Expirations**

Pursuant to OCC Rule 807, equity stock option contracts whose deliverables are adjusted to call for cash only delivery will be subject to an acceleration of the expiration dates for outstanding option series. (See OCC Information Memo 23707) Additionally, the exercise by exception (ex by ex) threshold for expiring series will be \$.01 in all account types.

All series of Morgan Creek - Exos SPAC Originated ETF options whose expiration dates are after 9-16-2022 will have their expiration dates advanced to 9-16-2022. Expiration dates occurring before 9-16-2022 (e.g., Flex options) will remain unchanged.

All Morgan Creek - Exos SPAC Originated ETF options will utilize a \$.01 exercise threshold.

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Existing Expiration: All months New expiration date: 9-16-2022

Existing American-style Morgan Creek - Exos SPAC Originated ETF options remain exercisable at the option of the holder prior to their expiration. Exercised options will continue to settle in two business days.

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