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ANNOUNCEMENT – DISTRIBUTION DATES

[FOR RELEASE TO ALL FUNDS LISTED BELOW]

BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited (**BIMAL**) is the Responsible Entity for the Australian domiciled iShares® exchange traded funds quoted on the ASX (the **Funds**) listed in the table below.

Listing Venue Code	Primary Listing Venue	Fund
IBAL	ASX	iShares Balanced ESG ETF
IGRO	ASX	iShares High Growth ESG ETF
IHQL	CBOE	iShares MSCI World ex Australia Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF
IVHG	CBOE	iShares MSCI World ex Australia Value (AUD Hedged) ETF

BIMAL announces that the following dates shall apply in connection with a distribution which may be declared for each of the Funds as follows:

Event	Date
Announcement Date – Estimated Distribution*	14 January 2025
Ex-Date	15 January 2025
Announcement Date – Confirmed Distribution*	16 January 2025
Record Date	16 January 2025
Payment Date	28 January 2025

*Expected date.

Authorised Participants will be unable to execute unit redemption orders on 14 January 2025. Applications for unit redemptions will re-open on 15 January 2025. ASX secondary market trading of units in the Funds will remain available during the above period.

The Distribution Reinvestment Plan (**DRP**) for each Fund is open for this distribution. For participants opting in to the **DRP**, distributions will be reinvested in accordance with the rules of the **DRP**, which is available at blackrock.com/au, or by calling iShares on 1300 474 273.

Please be advised that Eligible Investors must opt in to the **DRP** by 5pm on 14 January 2025.

Important Notice

To ensure prompt receipt of the dividend payment, investors holding Units as of the Record Date need to have provided their bank account details to the share registrar before the Record Date. If this has not been done, please register online in the “Investor Centre” via the link www-

au.computershare.com/investor or call the number below and your dividend payment will be credited into your nominated account shortly after the Payment Date.

You must be a registered unitholder in an Australian iShares ETF to which a distribution is payable as of the Record Date to receive a distribution.

Investor Statements

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