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Indxx Hedged Dividend Income Currency-Hedged CAD Index Licensed by AGF for an Exchange Traded Fund and a Mutual Fund

Indxx is pleased to announce the [Indxx Hedged Dividend Income Currency-Hedged CAD Index](#) (the "Index") has been licensed to Toronto-based global asset management firm, [AGF Management Limited](#) (AGF), as the underlying benchmark for the AGFiQ US Long/Short Dividend Income CAD-Hedged ETF (TSE: QUDV) and the AGFiQ US Long/Short Dividend Income CAD-Hedged Fund. QUDV will begin trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange today.

The Index (ticker: IDIVACH) represents a close estimation of the performance that can be achieved by hedging the currency exposures of its parent index, the Indxx Hedged Dividend Income Index (ticker: IDIVALS), to the CAD, the "home" currency for the hedged index. The Index is 100% hedged to the CAD by selling one-month currency forwards. The parent index, IDIVALS, is a sector neutral index which is designed to track the performance of a strategy utilizing long positions on high dividend paying companies, short positions on no or low dividend paying companies and long positions on Indxx Cash Index.

"The current global economic climate lends itself well to diversification and high-yielding products. Our Indxx Hedged Dividend Income Index is built keeping in mind these two essential investment tenets. The Index, through its unique long-short structure, provides exposure to high-income, growth-oriented companies, helping increase yield while ensuring optimal diversification. In addition, the FX hedge will enable Canadian investors to minimize unwanted currency volatility and get pure exposure to the underlying index in their local currency (CAD)," said Rahul Sen Sharma, Managing Partner at Indxx.

According to Bill DeRoche, Chief Investment Officer, AGF Investments LLC and Head of AGFiQ Alternative Strategies: "After a decade of strong equity market returns, investors are seeking tools for diversification and non-correlated returns to cushion against anticipated market volatility. We are excited to partner with Indxx as we bring this new strategy to market to address investor needs, building on AGF's long history of managing alternative strategies."

About Indxx

Founded in 2005, Indxx endeavors to deliver innovative and custom indexing and calculation solutions to the investment management community at large.

Indxx and products tracking our indices have been nominated for and received numerous awards, including most recently 'Most Innovative ETF Index Provider' for the Americas at the 14th Annual Global ETF Awards in July 2018.

For more information about Indxx or the Index, please visit: <http://www.indxx.com/>

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