

Announcement February 17th, 2017

ARIAD Pharmaceuticals Inc. (ARIA UW Equity), a constituent in the Indxx Global Longevity Thematic Index (ILNGR) will be removed from the index w.e.f the close of trading hours on February 21, 2017 on account of its acquisition by Takeda Pharmaceutical Co Ltd.

The Holdings of **ARIAD Pharmaceuticals Inc.** would be liquidated and distributed among the remaining constituents of the Indxx Global Longevity Thematic Index.