

## **Treatment of APN News & Media Limited Demerger within the S&P/ASX 200 Index**

**SYDNEY, JUNE 17, 2016:** S&P Dow Jones Indices announced today that it will make the following changes in the S&P/ASX 200 Index, subject to the scheme of arrangement under which APN News & Media Limited (ASX: APN) will spin-off NZME Limited (ASX: NZM).

APN News & Media Limited will spin-off 1 share of NZME Limited for every 1 APN News & Media Limited share held. NZME Limited will be added to the S&P/ASX 200 Index after the close of trading on June 24, 2016 at a zero price. NZME Limited will then be removed from the S&P/ASX 200 Index after the close of trading on June 27, 2016 at the last traded price.

APN News & Media Limited will not be removed from any S&P/ASX indices as a result of the demerger treatment.

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