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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<sup>®</sup> exchange traded funds quoted on the ASX (the **Funds**) listed in the table below.

ASX Code	Fund
IAA	iShares Asia 50 ETF
IEM	iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ETF
IEU	iShares Europe ETF
IHWL	iShares Core MSCI World All Cap (AUD Hedged) ETF
IJH	iShares S&P Mid-Cap ETF
IJP	iShares MSCI Japan ETF
IJR	iShares S&P Small-Cap ETF
100	iShares Global 100 ETF
IVE	iShares MSCI EAFE ETF
IVV	iShares S&P 500 ETF
IWLD	iShares Core MSCI World All Cap ETF
IXI	iShares Global Consumer Staples ETF
IXJ	iShares Global Healthcare ETF
IZZ	iShares China Large-Cap 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*	21 December 2020
Ex-Date	22 December 2020
Announcement Date – Confirmed Distribution*	23 December 2020
Record Date	23 December 2020
Payment Date	6 January 2021

\*Expected date.

Authorised Participants will be unable to execute unit redemption orders on 21 December 2020. Applications for unit redemptions will re-open on 22 December 2020. 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 21 December 2020.

## 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.

## Before investing in an iShares ETF, you should carefully consider whether such products are appropriate for you, read the applicable prospectus or product disclosure statement (PDS) available at <u>blackrock.com/au</u> and consult an investment adviser.

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