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## W.I.S.E. - CSI 300 China Tracker®\*

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標智滬深300中國指數基金®\*

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## a sub-fund of the World Index Shares ETFs

(a Hong Kong unit trust authorized under section 104 of the Securities and Futures Ordinance<sup>1</sup> (Cap. 571 of the laws of the Hong Kong SAR))

(Stock Code: 02827)

## Announcement – PRC capital gains tax ("CGT") provision - Impact on the Net Asset Value

The Manager of W.I.S.E. - CSI 300 China Tracker® \* (\*This is a synthetic ETF) (the "Sub-Fund") hereby announces the CGT adjustment impact on the Net Asset Value ("NAV") of the Sub-Fund as at 11 November 2015.

Reference is made to Appendix V to the Prospectus of the Sub-Fund (the "Prospectus") in relation to the provisioning policy with respect to the PRC CGT applicable to the Sub-Fund.

As stated in the Prospectus, a provision of 10% has been set aside by the Sub-Fund to meet the potential CGT liability in respect of the Sub-Fund on capital gains derived from dealings in A Shares acquired by the Manager up to and including 14 November 2014 on behalf of the Sub-Fund through the Manager's QFII investment quota. The Manager has made its tax filings to the PRC tax authorities and has received treaty

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relief approval in respect of the Sub-Fund. As a result, the Manager has made a positive adjustment of 0.075379% to the NAV of the Sub-Fund as of 11 November 2015.

Terms not defined in this Announcement will have the meanings as are given to such terms in the Prospectus.

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