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Information Circular

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To **Members, Member Organizations and Registered Option Principals**
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Subject **Change in Market Closing Time**

Effective, **Friday, November 21, 2008**, Van Eck Global will transfer 11 Market Vectors ETFs from NYSE Alternext US LLC (formerly the American Stock Exchange or Amex) to NYSE Arca. Of these ETF's, NYSE Amex Options trades options on the 4 ETFs listed below until 4:15pm EST presently. Once these ETF's have moved to NYSE Arca, the closing time for the ETF's will be 4:00pm EST. Accordingly, NYSE Amex Options has elected to stop trading the options on these ETF's at 4:00 pm EST as well.

UNDER	NAME	SPECIALIST
EVX	MARKET VECTOR ENVIRON SER	Taylor Executions/Timber Hill, LLC
GDX	MARKET VECTORS – GOLD ETF	Taylor Executions/Timber Hill, LLC
MOO	MARKET VECTORS – AGRIBUS ETF	Susquehanna Securities
SLX	MARKET VECTORS – STEEL ETF	Bluefin Specialists, LLC

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