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## OPTIONS ON ISHARES CDN ENERGY SECTOR INDEX FUND

## ADDITION TO THE INDEX OPTION SYMBOL

Bourse de Montréal Inc. (the Bourse) and Canadian Derivatives Clearing Corporation (CDCC) hereby inform all option participants of the possibility of an upcoming symbol addition for new series of options on the **iShares CDN Energy Sector Index Fund (XEG)**.

Due to recent price fluctuations of the underlying for XEG and the lack of strike price alpha codes to identify each series, the Bourse and CDCC will create a new symbol - XEX for all additional options strike prices of one hundred and one dollars (\$101.00) and above.

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