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**ANNOUNCEMENT – UOBAM Ping An ChiNext ETF**

We, UOB Asset Management Ltd (“UOBAM”), the manager of UOBAM Ping An ChiNext ETF (the “Fund”), wish to announce the following changes:

- Revision of ChiNext Index Methodology

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To improve the index methodology and enhance the index investability, Shenzhen Stock Exchange and Shenzhen Securities Information Co., Ltd. have decided to revise the ChiNext Index methodology. The details are as follows:

- (1) Introduce an ESG negative screening mechanism: “Remove stocks rated below B in CNI ESG ratings”;
- (2) Set an upper limit to constituents’ weights: “In index calculation, the adjustment factor is designed to set the weight of individual constituent to no more than 20% in each periodic review”.

The revision will be implemented on **June 16, 2025**. For more details, please refer to Shenzhen Stock Exchange website([www.szse.cn](http://www.szse.cn)) and CNI Index website ([www.cnindex.com.cn](http://www.cnindex.com.cn)).

**Prospectus**

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**Further Information**

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