



Announcement

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Call for tender for the issuance of Exchange Traded Funds on FTSE ATHEX 20 Index has ended

7 international & local issuers expressed their interest

The deadline for call for tender for the issuance of Exchange Traded Funds on FTSE ATHEX 20 Index ended on October, 12th, following relevant announcement issued by FTSE and the Athens Exchange on September, 13th 2007.

7 both international & local issuers have expressed their interest for the creation of an ETF based on the FTSE/ATHEX 20 Index and are the following:

1. Alpha Bank – Alpha Mutual Funds
2. BNP Paribas –BNP Paribas Asset Management for its EasyETF platform
3. EFG Eurobank Ergasias Bank– Eurobank Mutual Funds
4. JP Morgan – JP Morgan Securities
5. Marfin Egnatia Bank – Marfin Mutual Funds
6. National Bank of Greece – Diethniki Mutual Funds
7. Société Générale Group – Lyxor

According to the terms of the call for tender, the successful ETF issuer will be selected and licensed on Thursday, 1st November 2007.

Launch of the product in the Greek market is expected to take place by the end of 2007.