

Ardour Global



Solar Energy Index

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Rules for the Ardour Solar Energy IndexSM Amended to Expand Buffers

New York, NY, July 22, 2010 -- After careful review of index turnover over the course of the recent market downturn and recovery, the Ardour Solar Energy IndexSM ([TICKER: SOLRX](#)) Committee has decided to amend the index rules by increasing the buffers used for average daily turnover from 25% to 40%. This process will reduce index turnover in stressful market conditions. This rule change will go into effect with the next rebalancing, which occurs on September 17, 2010.

A stock must have a minimum average daily turnover of \$1 million to be included in the index. Currently, the stock's turnover must fall below \$750,000 per day to be deleted. Under the rule change, turnover would have to fall below \$600,000 per day for the stock to be deleted.

The Ardour Solar Energy IndexSM is a capitalization-weighted, float-adjusted index of the most prominent solar energy stocks in the world. To be included in the SOLRX index, stocks must pass multiple screens, including for capitalization, float, exchange listing, share price and turnover.

Detailed information, including constituent data, rules and price information, on the Ardour Solar Energy IndexSM and other members of the AGI family of alternative energy indexes is available at www.ardourglobalindexes.com. Data is also available through most vendors of financial data.

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