

This notice has not been reviewed by the Central Bank of Ireland and it is possible that changes thereto may be necessary to meet the requirements of the Central Bank of Ireland. The Directors are of the opinion that there is nothing contained in this notice nor in the proposals detailed herein that conflicts with the guidance issued by and regulations of the Central Bank of Ireland nor with best industry practice.

Unless otherwise defined herein or unless the context otherwise requires, all defined terms used in this notice shall bear the same meaning as in the prospectus of the Company dated 16 May 2018 (the "Prospectus").

Date: 2 November 2018

Dear Shareholder

SSGA SPDR ETFs Europe II plc (the "Company")

SPDR MSCI World Telecommunications UCITS ETF IE00BYTRRG40 and
SPDR MSCI Europe Telecommunications UCITS ETF IE00BKWQ0N82 (the "Funds")

If you have sold or transferred all of your shares in the Funds, please pass this document at once to the stockbroker, bank or other agent through whom the sale or transfer was effected, for transmission to the purchaser or transferee as soon as possible.

Following from the 2018 Extraordinary General Meeting held on 1 November, Shareholders voted for the following changes to the Funds:

Change in investment objective of the Funds

1. SPDR MSCI Europe Telecommunications UCITS ETF:

At present, the Fund Supplement provides that *"The investment objective of the Fund is to track the performance of European large and mid-sized companies in the Telecommunications Services sector."*

Subject to Central Bank approval, with effect from the 30th of November 2018, the investment objective will be amended to read as follows:

"The investment objective of the Fund is to track the performance of European large and mid-sized companies in the Communication Services sector."

2. SPDR MSCI World Telecommunications UCITS ETF:

At present, the Fund Supplement provides that *"The investment objective of the Fund is to track the performance of companies in the Telecommunications sector, across developed markets globally."*

Subject to Central Bank approval, with effect from the 30th of November, the investment objective will be amended to read as follows:

"The investment objective of the Fund is to track the performance of companies in the Communication Services sector, across developed markets globally."

The above changes are being implemented as a result of a decision by the provider of the Indices which the Portfolios track, MSCI Inc. ("MSCI"), to change the global industry classification standard ("GICS") structure. As part of this change, the Telecommunication Services sector is being broadened and renamed as the Communication Services

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sector. With effect from 3rd December 2018, the relevant Indices will consist of companies in the Communication Services sector. Accordingly, the name, investment objective and investment policy of the Funds and the name of the indices are being updated to align with this.

Should you have any queries, please contact the SPDR ETF Sales and Support team at spdrseurope@ssga.com / +44 (0)20 3395 6888 or call your local SPDR ETF representative.

Yours sincerely,



Director
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