

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Federal Salary Council Meeting

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Federal Salary Council will meet on October 29, 2010, at the time and location shown below. The Council is an advisory body composed of representatives of Federal employee organizations and experts in the fields of labor relations and pay policy. The Council makes recommendations to the President's Pay Agent (the Secretary of Labor and the Directors of the Office of Management and Budget and the Office of Personnel Management) about the locality pay program for General Schedule employees under section 5304 of title 5, United States Code. The Council's recommendations cover the establishment or modification of locality pay areas, the coverage of salary surveys, the process of comparing Federal and non-Federal rates of pay, and the level of comparability payments that should be paid.

The October meeting will be devoted to reviewing the results of pay comparisons and formulating its recommendations to the President's Pay Agent on pay comparison methods, locality pay rates, and locality pay areas and boundaries for 2012. The meeting is open to the public. Please contact the Office of Personnel Management at the address shown below if you wish to submit testimony or present material to the Council at the meeting.

DATES: October 29, 2010, at 10 a.m.

Location: Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street, NW., Room 5H17, Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Charles D. Grimes, III, Deputy Associate Director, Employee Services, Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E Street, NW., Room 7H31, Washington, DC 20415-8200. Phone (202) 606-2838; FAX (202) 606-4264; or e-mail at *pay-performance-policy@opm.gov*.

For the President's Pay Agent.

John Berry,

Director.

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POSTAL SERVICE

International Product Change— Inbound Expedited Services 4

AGENCY: Postal Service™.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service gives notice of its filing a request with the Postal Regulatory Commission to add Inbound Expedited Services 4 to the Competitive Product List pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642.

DATES: October 14, 2010.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Margaret M. Falwell, 703-292-3576.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission, on September 30, 2010, a request to add Inbound Expedited Services 4 to the Competitive Product List. The bases for determining that this is a competitive product and that it satisfies the requirements of 39 U.S.C. 3633 are included in the documents available in Docket Nos. MC2010-37 and CP2010-126 on the Postal Regulatory Commission's Web site, <http://www.prc.gov>.

Neva R. Watson,

Attorney, Legislative.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice of Reporting Requirements Submitted for OMB Review.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), agencies are required to submit proposed reporting and recordkeeping requirements to OMB for review and approval, and to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** notifying the public that the agency has made such a submission.

DATES: Submit comments on or before November 15, 2010. If you intend to comment but cannot prepare comments promptly, please advise the OMB

Reviewer and the Agency Clearance Officer before the deadline.

Copies: Request for clearance (OMB 83-1), supporting statement, and other documents submitted to OMB for review may be obtained from the Agency Clearance Officer.

ADDRESSES: Address all comments concerning this notice to: *Agency Clearance Officer*, Jacqueline White, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, SW., 5th Floor, Washington, DC 20416; and *OMB Reviewer*, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jacqueline White, Agency Clearance Officer, (202) 205-7044.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: SBA Direct and SBA Online Community.

Frequency: On Occasion.

SBA Form Number: N/A.

Description of Respondents: SBA Web-site users.

Responses: 710,000.

Annual Burden: 4,000.

Jacqueline White,

Chief, Administrative Information Branch.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

Upon Written Request, Copies Available

From: Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Investor Education and Advocacy, Washington, DC 20549-0213.

Extension:

Form 6-K; OMB Control No. 3235-0116; SEC File No. 270-107.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") is soliciting comments on the collection of information summarized below. The Commission plans to submit this existing collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for extension and approval.

Form 6-K (17 CFR 249.306) is a disclosure document under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78a *et seq.*) that must be filed by a foreign private issuer to report material information promptly after the occurrence of specified or other

important corporate events that are disclosed in the foreign private issuer's home country. The purpose of Form 6-K is to ensure that U.S. investors have access to the same information that foreign investors do when making investment decisions. Form 6-K takes approximately 8.7 hours per response and is filed by approximately 12,022 issuers annually. We estimate that 75% of the 8.7 hours per response (6.525 hours) is prepared by the issuer for a total annual reporting burden of 78,444 hours (6.525 hours per response × 12,022 responses).

Written comments are invited on: (a) Whether this collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden imposed by the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Consideration will be given to comments and suggestions submitted in writing within 60 days of this publication.

Please direct your written comments to Jeffrey Heslop, Acting Director/CIO, Securities and Exchange Commission, C/O Remi Pavlik-Simon, 6432 General Green Way, Alexandria, Virginia 22312; or send an e-mail to: PRA_Mailbox@sec.gov.

Dated: October 6, 2010.

Florence E. Harmon,
Deputy Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 29459; 812-13605]

Van Eck Associates Corporation, et al.; Notice of Application

October 7, 2010.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission").

ACTION: Notice of an application for an order under section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("Act") for an exemption from sections 2(a)(32), 5(a)(1), 22(d) and 22(e) of the Act and rule 22c-1 under the Act, and under sections 6(c) and 17(b) of the Act for an exemption from sections 17(a)(1) and (2) of the Act, and under section

12(d)(1)(J) for an exemption from sections 12(d)(1)(A) and (B) of the Act.

Applicants: Van Eck Associates Corporation ("Adviser"), Market Vectors ETF Trust ("Trust") and Van Eck Securities Corporation ("Distributor").

Summary of Application: Applicants request an order that permits: (a) Series of certain actively managed open-end management investment companies to issue shares ("Shares") redeemable in large aggregations only ("Creation Units"); (b) secondary market transactions in Shares to occur at negotiated market prices; (c) certain series to pay redemption proceeds, under certain circumstances, more than seven days from the tender of Shares for redemption; (d) certain affiliated persons of the series to deposit securities into, and receive securities from, the series in connection with the purchase and redemption of Creation Units; and (e) certain registered management investment companies and unit investment trusts outside of the same group of investment companies as the series to acquire Shares.

Filing Dates: The application was filed on November 14, 2008, and amended on May 15, 2009, January 29, 2010, August 27, 2010, and October 7, 2010.

Hearing or Notification of Hearing: An order granting the requested relief will be issued unless the Commission orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the Commission's Secretary and serving applicants with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the Commission by 5:30 p.m. November 2, 2010, and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicants, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons who wish to be notified of a hearing may request notification by writing to the Commission's Secretary.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE., Washington, DC 20549-1090. Applicants, 335 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10017.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Emerson S. Davis, Senior Counsel, at (202) 551-6868 or Julia K. Gilmer, Branch Chief, at (202) 551-6821 (Division of Investment Management, Office of Investment Company Regulation).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a summary of the

application. The complete application may be obtained via the Commission's Web site by searching for the file number, or an applicant using the Company name box, at <http://www.sec.gov/search/search.htm> or by calling (202) 551-8090.

Applicants' Representations

1. The Trust is registered as an open-end management investment company under the Act and organized as a Delaware business trust. The Trust will initially offer two series, Market Vectors—Active Africa ETF ("Active Africa ETF") and Market Vectors—Active Short Municipal ETF ("Active Short Municipal ETF") (together, the "Initial Funds"). The investment objective of the Active Africa ETF will be to provide long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity securities in Africa. The investment objective of the Active Short Municipal ETF will be to seek as high a level of tax-exempt income as is consistent with preservation of capital.

2. Applicants request that the order apply to any future series of the Trust or of other open-end management companies that may utilize active management investment strategies ("Future Funds").¹ Any Future Fund will be (a) advised by the Adviser or an entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with the Adviser, and (b) comply with the terms and conditions of the application. Future Funds may invest in equity securities or fixed income securities ("Fixed Income Funds") traded in U.S. markets or securities traded on global markets (together with the Active Africa ETF, the "Foreign Funds").² The Initial Funds and Future Funds, including the Foreign Funds, together are the "Funds."

3. The Adviser, a Delaware corporation, is registered as an investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 ("Advisers Act") and will serve as investment adviser to the Funds. The Adviser may retain investment advisers as sub-advisers in connection with the Funds (each, a "Fund Sub-Adviser"). Any Fund Sub-Adviser will be registered under the Advisers Act. The Distributor, a Delaware corporation, is registered as a broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

¹ All entities that currently intend to rely on the order are named as applicants. Any other entity that relies on the order in the future will comply with the terms and conditions of the application. An Investing Fund (as defined below) may rely on the order only to invest in the Funds and not in any other registered investment company.

² Neither the Initial Funds nor any Future Fund will invest in option contracts, futures contracts, or swap agreements.