

# Final Distribution Announcement

for the Vanguard® Exchange Traded Funds

20 December 2023

Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd is pleased to announce the following final distribution amount and distribution timetable for Clearing House Electronic Subregister System (CHESS) Depository Interest (CDI) holders:

<b>US\$ Distribution Amount</b>		
<b>ETF</b>	<b>ASX CODE</b>	<b>PER UNIT</b>
Vanguard US Total Market Shares Index ETF	VTS	<b>US \$1.0017</b>

  

<b>Distribution Timetable</b>	
<b>EVENT</b>	<b>DATE</b>
Ex Distribution Date	22 December 2023
Record Date	27 December 2023
Foreign Exchange Date	18 January 2024
Payment Date	24 January 2024

You must be registered as a holder of CDIs of the respective Vanguard ETF on the Record Date to be eligible for this distribution. The distribution is announced in US dollars however, Australian CDI holders will receive their distribution in Australian dollars. The distribution announcement is gross of any applicable US withholding taxes.

Distribution reinvestment is currently not available for this ETF.

To ensure prompt distribution payments please ensure that the correct bank details have been provided to the registrar, Computershare, prior to the Record Date.

## CDI CANCELLATION REQUESTS

CDI cancellation requests received on this date in Australia will be locked/deferred.	27 December 2023
Deferred cancellations will be actioned on this date in Australia (next available business day after Australian record date)	28 December 2023

Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd has been granted a waiver from ASX Settlement Operating Rules 13.9.4 and 13.9.9. The waiver in respect of these ETFs for the date outlined above is required due to the differences in time zones and settlement periods between the US and Australia, which could potentially lead to the misalignment between the ETF registers in the US and Australia on the record date. The timetable above details when cancellations will be deferred and the relevant days when these requests will be actioned.

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## Further Information

If you have any queries, please contact Computershare on 1300 757 905.

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