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FORM 19b-4(e)

Information Required of a Self-Regulatory Organization Listing and Trading a New
Derivative Securities Product Pursuant to Rule 19b-4(e) Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO COMPLETING FORM

Part I

Initial Listing Report

1. Name of Self-Regulatory Organization Listing New Derivative Securities Product:
NASDAQ OMX BX, Inc. (traded pursuant to unlisted trading privileges)
2. Type of Issuer of New Derivative Securities Product (e.g., clearinghouse, broker-dealer, corporation, etc.):
Open End Management Investment Company
3. Class of New Derivative Securities Product:
Exchange Traded Fund
4. Name of Underlying Instrument:
Barclays U.S. Government/Credit 1-5 Year Bond Index
5. If Underlying Instrument is an Index, State Whether it is Broad-Based or Narrow-Based:
Broad-based
6. Ticker Symbol(s) of New Derivative Securities Product:
ISTB
7. Market or Markets Upon Which Securities Comprising Underlying Instrument Trades:
Listed on: NYSE, OTC
8. Position Limits of New Derivative Securities Product (if applicable):
Regular way trades settle on T + 3 (cash settled)
9. Position Limits of New Derivative Securities Product (if applicable):
N/A

Part II

Execution

The undersigned represents that the governing body of the above-referenced Self-Regulatory Organization has duly approved, or has duly delegated its approval to the undersigned for, the listing and trading of the above-referenced new derivative securities product according to its relevant trading rules, procedures, surveillance programs and listing standards.

Name of Official Responsible for Form:
Joan Conley

Title:
Secretary

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Manual Signature of Official Responsible for Form:

Date: **October 26, 2012**

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