

Distribution Notice

Please note: all cash amounts in this form should be provided to 8 decimal places

Section 1: Issuer information				
Name of issuer	Smartshares Limited			
Financial product name/description	Smartshares US Equities ESG ETF			
NZX ticker code	USA			
ISIN (If unknown, check on NZX website)	NZUSAE0009S8			
Type of distribution	Bonus Issue	Х	Taxable	X
(Please mark with an X in the relevant box/es)	Half Year		Special	
	DRP applies			-
Record date	31/05/2022			
Ex-Date (one business day before the Record Date)	30/05/2022			
Payment date (and allotment date for DRP)	20/06/2022			
Total monies associated with the distribution ¹	Non-cash taxable bonus issue and cancellation			
Source of distribution (for example, retained earnings)	Accrued taxable income			
Currency	NZD			
Section 2: Distribution amounts per financial product				
Gross distribution ²	\$0.12236081	\$0.12236081		
Gross taxable amount ³	\$0.12236081			
Total cash distribution ⁴	-			
Excluded amount (applicable to listed PIEs)	-			
Supplementary distribution amount	-			
Section 3: Imputation credits and Resident Withholding Tax ⁵				
Is the distribution imputed	Fully imputed			
	Partial imputation			

¹ Continuous issuers should indicate that this is based on the number of units on issue at the date of the form

⁴ "Total cash distribution" is the cash distribution excluding imputation credits, per financial product, before the deduction of RWT. This should *include* any excluded amounts, where applicable to listed PIEs.

² "Gross distribution" is the total cash distribution plus the amount of imputation credits, per financial product, before the deduction of Resident Withholding Tax (**RWT**).

³ "Gross taxable amount" is the gross distribution minus any excluded income.

⁵ The imputation credits plus the RWT amount is 33% of the gross taxable amount for the purposes of this form. If the distribution is fully imputed the imputation credits will be 28% of the gross taxable amount with remaining 5% being RWT. This does not constitute advice as to whether or not RWT needs to be withheld.

If fully or partially imputed, please state imputation rate as % applied ⁶	28%
Imputation tax credits per financial product	\$0.03426103
Resident Withholding Tax per financial product	-

Section 4: Bonus issue (delete if not applicable)				
Number of Financial Products to be issued	Bonus issue and unit cancellation. TBA			
ISIN of security to be issued (if different from Ordinary Shares)				
Minimum entitlement				
Entitlement ratio (for example 1 for 2)	New Existing			
Treatment of fractions				
Subscription price	Net Tangible Asset Value on 31/05/2022			
Allotment Date	20/06/2022			

Section 5: Authority for this announcement Name of person authorised to make this announcement Geoff Ward-Marshall Contact person for this announcement Geoff Ward-Marshall Contact phone number 04 495 2465 Contact email address smartshares@smartshares.co.nz Date of release through MAP 24/05/2022

 $^{^{6}}$ Calculated as (imputation credits/gross taxable amount) x 100. Fully imputed dividends will be 28% as a % rate applied.