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VanEck Terra ETN (ISIN DE000A3GWND0)

Frankfurt, Liechtenstein, (May 13, 2022) - As a result of the loss of most of its value and the halt of the Terra network, the **VanEck Terra ETN** will temporarily suspend the creation of new shares and the redemption of existing shares until further notice, beginning today May 13, 2022 at 17.00 CET.

The main reasons for this suspension of creations and redemptions are in summary as follows:

- During the past days Luna has lost most of its value as a result of the efforts to defend the UST peg to the dollar.
- The low value of Luna caused issues and risks for the Terra network which trigger the decision by Terra Validators to halt the network. At this point it is unclear when (and if) the network will be restarted.
- VanEck is unable to conduct transactions in Luna through the Terra network.
 Therefore, it is technically not possible to accept creations and redemption for VanEck Terra ETN.

VanEck will continue to provide updates as necessary.

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