



Press Release

Adjustment of S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 Index Calculation

New York, May 7, 2009 – Standard & Poor's Index Services has made the following announcement regarding the calculation of the S&P LSTA US Leveraged Loan 100 Index:

Due to technical difficulties, there was a nominal error in the reported performance return of the S&P LSTA US Leveraged Loan 100 Index for the period May, 2008 through and including May, 2009.

Standard & Poor's has corrected this issue, and regrets any inconvenience this may have caused.

About the S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 Index

The S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 Index is designed to reflect the total return performance of the largest facilities in the leveraged loan market. It mirrors the market-weighted performance of the largest institutional leveraged loans based upon market weightings, spreads and interest payments. The Index consists of 100 loan facilities drawn from the leading broad market leveraged loan indicator - the S&P/LSTA (Loan Syndications and Trading Association) Leveraged Loan Index, which covers more than 1,100 facilities and has a market value of more than \$480 billion.

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