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VanEck partners with Lonsec to launch ETF Model Portfolios

Sydney, 08 May 2017 – VanEck is pleased to announce that it has partnered with Lonsec Investment Solutions Pty Ltd (Lonsec) to launch a range of ETF model portfolios. VanEck ETF Model Portfolios are designed for advisers and brokers to assist in the construction of simple and cost effective diversified portfolios that can be used as the foundation to help meet their client's investment objectives.

VanEck ETF Model Portfolios draw on Lonsec's established research and portfolio construction expertise to provide recommended strategic asset allocations tailored to three risk/return profiles: Balanced, Growth and High Growth. Each model portfolio has been developed to meet the needs of a range of investor risk profiles and investment objectives. All ETFs included in the models must have a minimum 'Lonsec Recommended rating' with ongoing independent oversight by Lonsec and quarterly performance reporting.

Arian Neiron, Managing Director, VanEck Australia said, "We are delighted to partner with Lonsec Investment Solutions who has over 20 years' experience in strategic asset allocation. We believe the new VanEck ETF Model Portfolios will provide financial advisers with a set of tools to build cost effective and diversified investment portfolios to help meet the needs of their clients across a range of risk profiles.

"Over the past decade, the investment industry has experienced a rapidly changing environment, with turbulent markets, changes in regulation and evolving technology. As a result, clients are scrutinising their investments more closely in search of performance, value and transparency in an increasingly cost conscious world. Our ETF model portfolios are designed to address these factors and provide a reliable, low cost investment framework for investors," Mr Neiron said.

Each VanEck ETF Model Portfolio provides broad market exposure across asset classes including Australian equities, global equities, property, Australian fixed income and international fixed income. Utilising ETF strategies provides simple broad market exposure for considerably less cost than the average cost of Australian managed funds.

Lukasz de Pourbaix, Chief Investment Officer, Lonsec Investment Solutions, said, "We are pleased to partner with VanEck to provide a range of diversified ETF model portfolios. The model portfolios leverage Lonsec's strategic asset allocation and research expertise providing advisers with a range of relatively low cost portfolio solutions across various risk profiles," Mr de Pourbaix said.

To view VanEck ETF Model Portfolios click here.

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