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Elwood announces partnership with Invesco Japan

Elwood Asset Management (“Elwood”), an investment firm specialising in digital assets, today announces a new partnership with Invesco Asset Management (Japan) Limited (“Invesco Japan”). Earlier today, Invesco Japan Ltd announced the launch of the Japanese domestic ‘Invesco Global Blockchain Equity Fund’, offering Japanese investors exposure to digital assets and blockchain technology. The fund, managed by Invesco Capital Management LLC with a delegation from Invesco Japan, will track the performance of the Elwood Blockchain Global Equity Index.

This follows on from the announcement in March this year that Elwood and Invesco had partnered to launch the Invesco Elwood Global Blockchain UCITS ETF, which aims to deliver the performance of the Elwood Blockchain Global Equity Index by physically investing in the index constituents.

The Elwood Blockchain Global Equity index is independently calculated by Solactive AG, a globally recognised index provider with expertise in tailor-made indices. The index is reviewed and rebalanced quarterly.

Bin Ren, CEO of Elwood, commented: “We are very excited to be partnering with Invesco Japan to offer Japanese investors exposure to blockchain technology. In Japan there are currently very few investment offerings which provide access to the opportunity presented by blockchain, perhaps due to the fact that its application has been typically thought of in the narrowest of terms and predominately linked to cryptocurrencies. However, as the wider applications of blockchain are becoming increasingly apparent in our day-to-day lives, in everything from personal finance, to logistics and medical care, that mindset is starting to change. At Elwood we are committed to creating breakthrough products in digital assets for global investors.”

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About Elwood Asset Management

Elwood is an investment firm established in 2018 which specialises in digital assets. The team at Elwood combines an institutional heritage in finance with a deep knowledge of blockchain technology to create breakthrough products for global investors. In March 2019 Elwood launched its first product, the Elwood Blockchain Global Equity Index, which offers investors exposure to the growth in the blockchain ecosystem via a highly liquid and regulated vehicle. Find out more at www.elwoodam.com

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