



FTSE Russell Voting Rights Consultation - Next Steps

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FTSE Russell recently consulted index users and other stakeholders on whether FTSE Russell indexes should include a minimum hurdle rate for the percentage of a company's voting rights in the hands of non-restricted shareholders.

FTSE Russell would like to thank all those who responded to the *Voting Rights Consultation*.

FTSE Russell has reviewed the responses to the consultation and subsequently discussed these with FTSE Russell's external advisory committees and as a result of those discussions FTSE Russell has determined that a 5% minimum voting rights hurdle should be implemented in standard FTSE Russell indexes for potential new constituents with effect from the September 2017 reviews.

A five year grandfathering period will be afforded to existing constituents.

For further information on the next steps please refer to the following link:
[FTSE Russell Voting Rights Consultation - Next Steps.pdf](#)

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