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## **FIRST ETF COVERING THE IBERIAN REGION LISTED ON NYSE EURONEXT LISBON**

**Lisbon, December 13, 2010** –NYSE Euronext is pleased to announce the listing of the ESAF ETF (Exchange Traded Fund) on the NYSE Euronext Iberian index<sup>TM</sup>.

As a result of its listing and trading on NYSE Euronext Lisbon regulated market, the ESAF NYSE Euronext Iberian ETF offers both retail and institutional investors an economical, flexible, secured and transparent exposure to the returns of 30 Portuguese and Spanish Blue Chip companies.

*“The launch of an ETF on the NYSE Euronext Iberian Index<sup>TM</sup> is proof of the value of this benchmark, while incrementing its quality as a measurer of the performance of the Iberian market”,* said Miguel Galdes, Head of Cash Market & Listing, NYSE Euronext Lisbon. *“As a leading Iberian institution, ESAF will play a key role in the expected growth of ETF use in the region,”* he added.

*“With this new initiative, the ETFs listed on NYSE Euronext now offer access to the Iberian region, providing new investment opportunities to the growing number of users,”* said Pedro Fernandes, European Head of ETFs, at NYSE Euronext.

*“The launch of this ETF is the recognition of the growing importance that this segment is gaining with the investors. It’s an additional challenge that just confirms innovation as being one of ESAF’s most important growth strategies”,* referred Pedro Arbués, Investments Manager at ESAF – Espírito Santo Activos Financeiros.

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**About Iberian Index:**

The NYSE Euronext Iberian Index<sup>TM</sup> consists of 30 stocks, the 20 most liquid companies listed on Bolsa de Madrid and the 10 most liquid companies listed on Euronext Lisbon. The stocks are

weighted according to their free float market capitalization with a maximum of 10% per stock. The index is rebalanced semi-annual on the third Friday of March and September.

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**ETF Name: ESAF Iberian ETF**

ISIN code: LU0550486814

Mnemonic: IBER

Trading Group: PA

Tick Size: 0.01

Currency: EUR

Settlement Platform: Interbolsa

Exposition Type: Basket

Total Expense Ratio: 0.45%

Bloomberg Ticker: IBER PL

**iNAV Name: ESAF ETF IBER INAV**

ISIN code: QS0011207329

Mnemonic: IIBER

Bloomberg Ticker: IIBER

**Underlying Index: NYSE Euronext Iberian Index™**

ISIN code: QS0011181250

Mnemonic: NEIBN

Bloomberg Ticker: NEIBN

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