## Corporate Action Notice



June 4, 2019

## Reverse Stock Split and Ratio Change

Nomura Research Institute Ltd.

DR CUSIP: 65538C107 DR ISIN: US65538C1071 DR Ticker Symbol: NRILY

Ratio (DS: Underlying Shares): 4: 1

Please be advised that Nomura Research Institute Ltd. has announced a three (3) for one (1) stock split on its ordinary shares in the local market effective July 1, 2019. As a result, BNY Mellon will change the ratio on the Nomura Research Institute Ltd. Depositary Receipt ("DR") program. The ratio will change from four (4) DSs representing one (1) ordinary share to one (1) DS representing one (1) ordinary share. The ratio change

will occur simultaneously with a three (3) for four (4) reverse stock split on the DRs.

**BNY MELLON HAS ESTABLISHED THE** FOLLOWING DATES FOR THIS CORPORATE **ACTION:** 

DR Effective Date: July 1, 2019 Exchange Rate: 3 New DSs for 4 Old DSs Old CUSIP: 65538C107 New CUSIP: 65538C206 New Ratio: 1:1 Cancellation Fee: \$0.0125

Effective July 1, 2019 DR holders of Nomura Research Institute Ltd. will be required on a mandatory basis to surrender their old DSs to BNY Mellon for cancellation and exchange at a rate of three (3) 'new' DSs (CUSIP 65538C206) for every four (4) 'old' DSs (CUSIP 65538C107) surrendered. Holders of DSs in the Direct Registration System or in brokerage accounts will have their DSs automatically exchanged and need not take any action. No fraction of a DS will be issued. BNY Mellon will attempt to sell any fractional DSs and distribute the cash proceeds to holders. A cancellation fee of \$0.0125 per Old DS surrendered will be charged.

BNY Mellon's books will be closed for all issuance and cancellation transactions on CUSIP# 65538C107 as of the close of business June 28, 2019. BNYM Mellon expects to reopen the books on CUSIP 65538C206 on July 1, 2019.

To learn more about Depositary Receipts please contact <a href="mailto:DRBrokerSolutions@bnymellon.com">DRBrokerSolutions@bnymellon.com</a> or visit our website at adrbnymellon.com.

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