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**Alternative Investment Trust ARSN 112 129 218 (ASX: AIQ)
Notification of Change of Compliance Plan Auditor**

Columbus Investment Services Limited (**CISL**), the responsible entity of the Alternative Investment Trust (**AIQ**), advises that the Australian Securities and Investment Commission (**ASIC**) has notified CISL of its consent to the resignation of PricewaterhouseCoopers (ABN 52 780 433 757) (**PwC**) as compliance plan auditor of AIQ.

Details of the change:

Outgoing compliance plan auditor: PricewaterhouseCoopers

Proposed Incoming compliance plan auditor: Ernst & Young

Reason for change in auditor: PricewaterhouseCoopers has agreed with the Responsible Entity to resign as the compliance plan auditor of AIQ in order to facilitate a rotation of auditor consistent with good corporate governance and there is a cost saving to AIQ.

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