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## MSCI Inc. Postpones Release of Third Quarter Results and Investor Conference Call to November 6, 2012

NEW YORK--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- MSCI Inc. (NYSE: MSCI), a leading provider of investment decision support tools worldwide, including indices, portfolio risk and performance analytics and corporate governance services, today announced that it will postpone the release of its results for the third quarter 2012 ended September 30, 2012 from October 31, 2012 to November 6, 2012 as a result of the effects of Hurricane Sandy in lower Manhattan.

Investors will have the opportunity to listen to MSCI Inc.'s senior management review third quarter 2012 results on Tuesday, November 6, 2012 at 11:00 am Eastern Time. To listen to the live event, visit the investor relations section of MSCI's website, <http://ir.msci.com/events.cfm>, or dial 1-877-312-9206 within the United States. International callers dial 1-408-774-4001.

An audio recording of the conference call will be available on our website approximately two hours after the conclusion of the live event and will be accessible through November 8, 2012. To listen to the recording, visit <http://ir.msci.com/events.cfm>, or dial 1-855-859-2056 (passcode: 43175268) within the United States. International callers dial 1-404-537-3406 (passcode: 43175268).

### About MSCI

MSCI Inc. is a leading provider of investment decision support tools to investors globally, including asset managers, banks, hedge funds and pension funds. MSCI products and services include indices, portfolio risk and performance analytics, and governance tools.

The company's flagship product offerings are: the MSCI indices with approximately USD 7 trillion estimated to be benchmarked to them on a worldwide basis<sup>1</sup>; Barra multi-asset class factor models, portfolio risk and performance analytics; RiskMetrics multi-asset class market and credit risk analytics; ISS governance research and outsourced proxy voting and reporting services; and FEA valuation models and risk management software for the energy and commodities markets. MSCI is headquartered in New York, with research and commercial offices around the world. MSCI#IR

*1 As of June 30, 2011. Estimate based on eVestment, Lipper and Bloomberg data*

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