

MIAX Pearl Equities Exchange Product Circular 2024-3537

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TO: MIAX Pearl Equities Member

FROM: MIAX Pearl Equities Listings Department

RE: Invesco Galaxy Bitcoin ETF- BTCO

This Product Circular is being issued to advise you that the following security has been approved for trading pursuant to unlisted trading privileges ("UTP") on the Exchange as a UTP Derivative Security pursuant to Exchange Rule 2900.

Security (the "Fund")

Symbol

Invesco Galaxy Bitcoin ET

BTCO

Issuer/Trust: Invesco Galaxy Bitcoin ETF

Issuer/Website: www.invesco.com/BTCO

Primary Listing Exchange: CBOE BZX Exchange

The purpose of this Product Circular is to outline various rules and policies that will be applicable to trading in this new product pursuant to the Exchange's unlisted trading privileges, as well as to provide certain characteristics and features of the Shares. For a more complete description of the Issuer, the Shares and the underlying market instruments or indexes, visit the Issuer Website, consult the Prospectus available on the Issuer Website, examine the Issuer Registration Statement or review the most current information bulletin issued by the Primary Listing Exchange. The Issuer Website, the Prospectus, the Issuer Registration Statement and the Primary Exchange Circular are hereafter collectively referred to as the "Issuer Disclosure Materials."

Background Information on the Fund

As more fully explained in the Registration Statement (No. No. 333-255175) for the Trust (the "Registration Statement"), the Trust issues Invesco Galaxy Bitcoin ETF shares (the "Shares"), which represent Shares of fractional undivided beneficial interest in the Trust. The Trust's investment objective is to reflect the performance of the spot price of bitcoin as measured using the Lukka Prime Bitcoin Reference Rate (the "Benchmark"), less the Trust's expenses and other liabilities. The Trust is not actively managed.

In seeking to achieve its investment objective, the Trust will hold bitcoin. The Trust will value its Shares each Business Day as of 4:00 p.m. ET. The value of bitcoin held by the Trust is determined based on the fair market value ("FMV") price for bitcoin, reflecting the execution price of bitcoin on its principal market as



determined each day by Lukka Inc., an independent third-party digital asset data company (the "Benchmark Provider"). The Benchmark is designed to provide an estimated fair market value price for bitcoin, based on the execution price of bitcoin on its principal market. In this regard, the Benchmark Provider seeks to identify a "principal market" for bitcoin each day by evaluating eligible bitcoin trading platform across a variety of different criteria, including the trading platforms' oversight and governance frameworks, microstructure efficiency, trading volume, data transparency and data integrity. Invesco Capital Management LLC (the "Sponsor" or "Invesco") is the sponsor of the Trust, Delaware Trust Company (the "Trustee") is the trustee of the Trust, The Bank of New York Mellon is the Trust's transfer agent ("Transfer Agent") and will hold all of the Trust's cash on the Trust's behalf as cash custodian ("Cash Custodian"), and Coinbase Custody Trust Company, LLC (the "Bitcoin Custodian") will hold all of the Trust's bitcoin on the Trust's behalf as custodian. Shareholders who decide to buy or sell Shares of the Trust will place their trade orders through their brokers and may incur customary brokerage commissions and charges. Such trades may occur at a premium or discount relative to the net asset value per share ("NAV") of the Shares of the Trust.

The Trust intends to issue Shares on a continuous basis and is registering an indeterminate number of Shares with the SEC in accordance with Rule 456(d) and 457(u) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"). The Trust will process all creations and redemptions of Shares in transactions with financial firms that are authorized to do so (known as "Authorized Participants"). When the Trust issues or redeems its Shares, it will do so only in blocks of 5,000 Shares (a "Creation Basket") based on the quantity of bitcoin attributable to each Share of the Trust (net of accrued but unpaid Sponsor fees and any accrued but unpaid expenses or liabilities).

Creation and redemption transactions initially will take place in cash. Subject to Cboe in the future receiving the necessary regulatory approval to permit the Trust to create and redeem Creation Baskets in-kind for bitcoin (the "In-Kind Regulatory Approval"), these transactions may also take place in exchange for bitcoin. The timing of the In-Kind Regulatory Approval and the related in-kind creation model is unknown and there is no guarantee that the Cboe will receive such approval. If Cboe receives the In-Kind Regulatory Approval and the Sponsor chooses to allow in-kind creations and redemptions, notice to Shareholders will be provided on the Trust's website, in a prospectus supplement, through a current report on Form 8-K and/or in the Trust's annual or quarterly reports.

When purchasing Creation Baskets, Authorized Participants will deliver cash to the Cash Custodian. Galaxy Digital Funds LLC (the "Execution Agent") will be responsible for acquiring the requisite amount of bitcoin on behalf of the Trust on an agency basis. Once the Execution Agent selects a counterparty or digital asset trading platform ("Bitcoin Counterparty"), the Cash Custodian will transfer cash to the Bitcoin Counterparty in payment for the requisite amount of bitcoin. The bitcoin acquired from the Bitcoin Counterparty will be transferred to the Bitcoin Custodian. After receipt of the bitcoin by the Bitcoin Custodian, the Transfer Agent will issue Creation Baskets of Shares to the creating Authorized Participant in satisfaction of the creation order.

When redeeming Creation Baskets, the Execution Agent will be responsible for selling the requisite amount of bitcoin on behalf of the Trust on an agency basis. Once the Execution 400 South LaSalle Street > Chicago, IL 60605 > cboe.com Agent selects a Bitcoin Counterparty, the Bitcoin Custodian will transfer bitcoin to the Bitcoin Counterparty in return for the requisite cash payment. The cash received from the Bitcoin Counterparty will be delivered to the Cash Custodian. After receipt of the cash payment, the Transfer Agent will redeem the Shares and the Cash Custodian will distribute the resulting cash to the redeeming Authorized Participant in satisfaction of the redemption order.

In connection with both creation and redemption transactions, the Execution Agent, pursuant to the oversight of the Sponsor, will decide how and with which Bitcoin Counterparty to transact on the Trust's behalf. The



Authorized Participants will deliver only cash to create Shares and will receive only cash when redeeming Shares. Further, Authorized Participants will not directly or indirectly purchase, hold, deliver, or receive bitcoin as part of the creation or redemption process or otherwise direct the Trust or a third-party with respect to purchasing, holding, delivering, or receiving bitcoin as part of the creation or redemption process. The Trust will create Shares by receiving bitcoin from a third-party that is not the Authorized Participant and the Trust (through the Execution Agent, on an agency basis)—not the Authorized Participant—is responsible for selecting the third-party to deliver the bitcoin. Further, the thirdparty will not be acting as an agent of the Authorized Participant with respect to the delivery of the bitcoin to the Trust or acting at the direction of the Authorized Participant with respect to the delivery of the bitcoin to the Trust. The Trust will redeem shares by delivering bitcoin to a third-party that is not the Authorized Participant and the Trust (through the Execution Agent, on an agency basis)—not the Authorized Participant—is responsible for selecting the thirdparty to receive the bitcoin. Further, the third-party will not be acting as an agent of the Authorized Participant with respect to the receipt of the bitcoin from the Trust or acting at the direction of the Authorized Participant with respect to the receipt of the bitcoin from the Trust. The Trust expects to purchase or sell bitcoin in connection with cash creation and redemption transactions, and to sell bitcoin to pay certain expenses, including the Sponsor's fee. Each creating or redeeming Authorized Participant will be charged a transaction fee in connection with each creation or redemption transaction. Authorized Participants are expected to sell Shares to the public at prices that reflect, among other factors, the value of the Trust's assets, supply and demand for the Shares and market conditions at the time of a transaction.

The Trust was seeded with \$100,000 on December 20, 2023 through the sale of 4,000 Shares at a per-Share price of \$25.00 by the Trust to the Sponsor. On January 2, 2024, the Sponsor purchased an additional 200,000 Shares at a per-Share price of \$25.00. Upon completion of that transaction, the total assets in the Trust from the Sale of the Shares to the Sponsor (on both December 20, 2023 and January 2, 2024, collectively) were \$5,100,000, with 204,000 Shares outstanding. On January 4, 2024, the Sponsor redeemed all of its Shares for cash at a per-Share price of \$25.00 for a total redemption value of \$5,100,000 and immediately created 110,000 Shares (22 Creation Baskets) at a price of \$44.16305 per Share based on the Benchmark price as of 4:00 p.m. ET on January 4, 2024. Accordingly, as of the market close on January 4, 2024, the Trust had total assets of \$4,857,935.50, solely represented by bitcoin held in custody by the Bitcoin Custodian, and had 110,000 Shares outstanding, entirely held by the Sponsor. The Sponsor acted as a statutory underwriter in connection with these purchases. Prior to this offering, pursuant to this Prospectus, there has been no public market for the Shares. The Shares are expected to be listed for trading, subject to notice of issuance, on the Exchange under the ticker symbol BTCO. Investing in the Trust involves risks similar to those involved with an investment directly in bitcoin, as well as other significant risks. See "Risk Factors" beginning on page 14.

The offering of the Trust's Shares is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") in accordance with the Securities Act. The offering is intended to be a continuous offering and is not expected to terminate until either all of the registered Shares have been sold or three years from the date of the original offering, whichever is earlier, unless extended as permitted by applicable rules under the Securities Act. The Trust is not a mutual fund, is not registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") and is not subject to regulation under the 1940 Act. The Trust is not a commodity pool for purposes of the Commodity Exchange Act of 1936, as amended (the "CEA"), and the Sponsor is not subject to regulation by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the "CFTC") as a commodity pool operator or a commodity trading advisor. The Trust's Shares are neither interests in, nor obligations of, the Sponsor or the Trustee.

When the Trust sells or redeems its Shares, bitcoin will be transferred into or out of the Trust, as applicable, in exchange for blocks of 5,000 Shares (a "Creation Unit") that are based on the quantity of bitcoin attributable to each Share of the Trust. The Shares are not individually redeemable. Financial firms that are authorized



to purchase Shares from or redeem Shares to the Trust (known as "Authorized Participants") will purchase Shares by depositing cash in the Trust's account with the Cash Custodian. This will cause the Sponsor, on behalf of the Trust, to automatically instruct a designated third party, who is not an Authorized Participant, to (i) purchase the amount of bitcoin equivalent in value to the cash deposit amount associated with the order and (ii) deposit the resulting bitcoin deposit amount in the Trust's account with the Bitcoin Custodian, resulting in the Transfer Agent crediting the applicable amount of Shares to the Authorized Participant.

Net asset value ("NAV") means the total assets of the Trust (which includes all bitcoin and cash holdings) less total liabilities of the Trust. The Administrator determines the NAV of the Trust on each day that the Exchange is open for regular trading, as promptly as practical after 4:00 p.m. ET. The NAV of the Trust is the aggregate value of the Trust's assets less its estimated accrued but unpaid liabilities (which include accrued expenses). In determining the Trust's NAV, the Administrator values the bitcoin held by the Trust based on the price set by the Index as of 4:00 p.m. ET. The Net Asset Value of the Trust will be published by a Sponsor on each day that the Exchange is open for regular trading and will be posted on the Sponsor's website.

The Intraday Indicative Value ("IIV") will be calculated by using the prior day's closing NAV per Share as a base and updating that value during Regular Trading Hours to reflect changes in the value of the Trust's bitcoin holdings during the trading day. The IIV disseminated during Regular Trading Hours should not be viewed as an actual real-time update of the NAV, which will be calculated only once at the end of each trading day. The IIV may differ from the NAV due to the differences in the time window of trades used to calculate each price (the NAV uses the Index price as of 4 p.m. ET, whereas the IIV draws prices from the last trade on certain bitcoin trading platforms in an effort to produce a relevant, real-time price). The Trust will provide an IIV per Share updated every 15 seconds, as calculated by the Exchange or a thirdparty financial data provider during the Exchange's Regular Trading Hours (9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. E.T.). The IIV will be widely disseminated on a per Share basis every 15 seconds during the Exchange's Regular Trading Hours through the facilities of the consolidated tape association (CTA) and Consolidated Quotation System (CQS) high speed lines. In addition, the IIV will be available through on-line information services such as Bloomberg and Reuters.

There is no regulated source of last sale information regarding bitcoin, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") has no jurisdiction over the trading of bitcoin as a commodity, and the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the "CFTC") has regulatory jurisdiction over the trading of bitcoin futures contracts and options on bitcoin futures contracts.

Principal Risks

Interested persons are referred to the discussion in the prospectus for the Fund of the principal risks of an investment in the Fund. These include tracking error risk (factors causing a Fund's performance to not match the performance of its underlying index), market trading risk (for example, trading halts, trading above or below net asset value), investment style risk, sector risk, investment approach risk, non- diversification risk, issuer-specific risk, management risk, concentration risk, equity securities risk, and passive investment risk.

Exchange Rules Applicable to Trading in the Shares

Trading in the Shares on MIAX PEARL is subject to MIAX PEARL trading rules



Trading Hours

The value of the Index underlying the Shares will be disseminated to data vendors every 15 seconds during the Regular Trading Session.

The Shares will trade on MIAX PEARL between 9:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Please note that trading in the Shares during the Exchange's Pre-Market and Post-Market Sessions ("Extended Market Sessions") may result in additional trading risks which include: (1) that the current underlying indicative value may not be updated during the Extended Market Sessions, (2) lower liquidity in the Extended Market Sessions may impact pricing, (3) higher volatility in the Extended Market Sessions may impact pricing, (4) wider spreads may occur in the Extended Markets Sessions, and (5) because the indicative value is not calculated or widely disseminated during the Extended Market Sessions, an investor who is unable to calculate an implied value for the Shares in those sessions may be at a disadvantage to market professionals.

Dissemination of Data

The Consolidated Tape Association will disseminate real time trade and quote information for the Shares to Tape B.

Name	Listing Market	Trading Symbol	IOPV Symbol	NAV Symbol
Invesco Galaxy Bitcoin ETF	CBOE BZX Exchange	втсо	BTCO.IV	BTCO.NV

Delivery of a Prospectus

MIAX PEARL Equity Members should be mindful of applicable prospectus delivery requirements under the federal securities laws with respect to transactions in the Fund. Prospectuses may be obtained through the Fund's website. The prospectus for the Fund does not contain all of the information set forth in the Fund's Registration Statement (including the exhibits to the Registration Statement), parts of which have been omitted in accordance with the rules and regulations of the SEC. For further information about the Fund, please refer to its Registration Statement.

In the event that the Fund relies upon an order by the SEC exempting the Shares from certain prospectus delivery requirements under Section 24(d) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 and in the future make available a written product description, MIAX PEARL Rules requires that MIAX PEARL Equity Members provide to all purchasers of Shares a written description of the terms and characteristics of such securities, in a form prepared by the Issuer of the Fund, no later than the time a confirmation of the first transaction in the Shares is delivered to such purchaser. In addition, MIAX PEARL Equity Members shall include such a written description with any sales material relating to the Shares that is provided to customers or the public. Any other written materials provided by an MIAX PEARL Equity Member to customers or the public making specific reference to the Shares as an investment vehicle must include a statement in substantially the following form: "A circular describing the terms and characteristics of [the UTP Exchange Traded Products] has been prepared by the [open-ended management investment company name] and is available from your broker. It is recommended that you obtain and review such circular before purchasing [the UTP Exchange Traded Products]."



A MIAX PEARL Equity Member carrying an omnibus account for a non-member broker-dealer is required to inform such non-member that execution of an order to purchase Shares for such omnibus account will be deemed to constitute agreement by the non-member to make such written description available to its customers on the same terms as are directly applicable to MIAX PEARL Equity Member under this rule. Upon request of a customer, MIAX PEARL Members also shall provide a copy of the Prospectus.

Suitability

Trading in the securities on the Exchange will be subject to the provisions of MIAX PEARL Rule 2107 and other applicable suitability rules. Equity Members recommending transactions in the securities to customers should make a determination that the recommendation is suitable for the customer.

Trading Halts

MIAX PEARL will halt trading in the Shares of a security in accordance with MIAX PEARL Rules. The grounds for a halt under MIAX PEARL Rules include a halt by the primary market because the intraday indicative value of the security and/or the value of its underlying index are not being disseminated as required, or a halt for other regulatory reasons. In addition, MIAX PEARL will stop trading the Shares of a security if the primary market de-lists the security.

Exemptive, Interpretive and No-Action Relief Under Federal Securities Regulations

The Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") has issued letters granting exemptive, interpretive and no-action relief from certain provisions of rules under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 for exchange-traded securities listed and traded on a registered national securities exchange that meet certain criteria. AS WHAT FOLLOWS IS ONLY A SUMMARY OF THE RELIEF OUTLINED IN THE NO-ACTION LETTERS REFERENCED ABOVE, THE EXCHANGE ADVISES INTERESTED PARTIES TO CONSULT THE NO-ACTION LETTERS FOR MORE COMPLETE INFORMATION REGARDING THE MATTERS COVERED THEREIN AND THE APPLICABILITY OF THE RELIEF GRANTED IN RESPECT OF TRADING IN SECURITIES. INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD ALSO CONSULT THEIR PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS.

Regulation M Exemptions

Generally, Rules 101 and 102 of Regulation M prohibit any "distribution participant" and its "affiliated purchasers" from bidding for, purchasing, or attempting to induce any person to bid for or purchase any security which is the subject of a distribution until after the applicable restricted period, except as specifically permitted in Regulation M. The provisions of the Rules apply to underwriters, prospective underwriters, brokers, dealers, and other persons who have agreed to participate or are participating in a distribution of securities.

The SEC has granted an exemption from Rule 101 under Regulation M to permit persons participating in a distribution of shares of the above-mentioned Fund to engage in secondary market transactions in such shares during their participation in such a distribution. In addition, the SEC has granted relief under Regulation M to permit persons who may be deemed to be participating in the distribution of Shares of the above-mentioned Fund (i) to purchase securities for the purpose of purchasing Creation Unit Aggregations of Fund Shares and (ii) to tender securities for redemption in Creation Unit Aggregations. Further, the SEC has clarified that the tender of Fund Shares to the Fund for redemption does not constitute a bid for or purchase of any of the Fund's securities during the restricted period of Rule 101. The SEC has also granted an exemption pursuant to paragraph (e) of Rule 102 under Regulation M to allow the redemption of Fund Shares in Creation Unit Aggregations during the continuous offering of Shares.



Rule 10b-10 (Customer Confirmations for Creation or Redemption of Fund Shares)

Broker-dealers who handle purchases or redemptions of Fund Shares in Creation Unit size for customers will be permitted to provide such customers with a statement of the number of Creation Unit Aggregations created or redeemed without providing a statement of the identity, number and price of shares of the individual securities tendered to the Fund for purposes of purchasing Creation Unit Aggregations ("Deposit Securities") or the identity, number and price of shares to be delivered by the Trust for the Fund to the redeeming holder ("Redemption Securities"). The composition of the securities required to be tendered to the Fund for creation purposes and of the securities to be delivered on redemption will be disseminated each business day and will be applicable to requests for creations or redemption, as the case may be, on that day. This exemptive relief under Rule 10b-10 with respect to creations and redemption is subject to the following conditions:

- 1) Confirmations to customers engaging in creations or redemptions must state that all information required by Rule 10b-10 will be provided upon request;
- 2) Any such request by a customer for information required by Rule 10b-10 will be filed in a timely manner, in accordance with Rule 10b-10(c); and
- 3) Except for the identity, number, and price of shares of the component securities of the Deposit Securities and Redemption Securities, as described above, confirmations to customers must disclose all other information required by Rule 10b-10(a).

Rule 10b-17 (Untimely Announcement of Record Dates)

The SEC has granted an exemption from the requirements of Rule 10b-17 that will cover transactions in the Shares.

Section 11(d)(1); Rule 11d1-2 (Customer Margin)

The SEC has taken a no-action position under Section 11(d)(1) that will permit broker-dealers that do not create Shares but engage in both proprietary and customer transactions in such Shares exclusively in the secondary market to extend or maintain or arrange for the extension or maintenance of credit on the Shares, in connection with such secondary market transactions. For broker-dealers that engage in the creation of Shares, the SEC has also taken a no-action position under Rule 11d1-2 that will cover the extension or maintenance or the arrangement for the extension or maintenance of credit on the Shares that have been owned by the persons to whom credit is provided for more than 30 days.

Rule 14e-5

An exemption from Rule 14e-5 has been granted to permit any person acting as a dealer-manager of a tender offer for a component security of the Fund (1) to redeem Fund Shares in Creation Unit Aggregations from the issuer that may include a security subject to such tender offer and (2) to purchase Fund Shares during such tender offer. In addition, a no-action position has been taken under Rule 14e-5 if a broker-dealer acting as a dealer-manager of a tender offer for a security of the Fund purchases or arranges to purchase such securities in the secondary market for the purpose of tendering such securities to purchase one or more Creation Unit Aggregations of Shares, if made in conformance with the following:

1) such bids or purchases are effected in the ordinary course of business, in connection with a basket of 20 or more securities in which any security that is the subject of a distribution, or any reference security, does not comprise more than 5% of the value of the basket purchase; or



- 2) purchases are effected as adjustments to such basket in the ordinary course of business as a result of a change in the composition of the underlying index; and
- 3) such bids or purchases are not effected for the purpose of facilitating such tender offer.

SEC Rule 15c1-5 and 15c1-6 (Disclosure of Control and interest in Distributions)

The SEC has taken a no-action position under Rule 15c1-5 that will permit a broker-dealer to execute transactions in Shares without disclosing any control relationship with an issuer of a component security. In addition, the SEC has taken a no-action position under Rule 15c1-6 that will permit a broker dealer to execute transactions in the Shares without disclosing its participation or interest in a primary or secondary distribution of a component security.

This Product Circular is not a statutory prospectus. MIAX PEARL Equity Members should consult the prospectus for a security and the security's website for relevant information.

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