



## Information Circular: Citigroup Funding Inc. ELKS

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**To:** Head Traders, Technical Contacts, Compliance Officers, Heads of ETF Trading, Structured Products Traders

**From:** BX Listing Qualifications Department

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Equity-Linked Notes	Symbol	CUSIP Number
Citigroup Funding Inc. 13.5% Equity Linked Securities Based Upon the Common Stock of Apple Inc.	EYJ	17311G102

### Information on the Notes

Citigroup Funding Inc. (the "Issuer") has issued 13.5% Equity Linked Securities ("ELKS") based upon the common stock of Apple Inc. ("Apple"). The ELKS were priced at \$10 each and mature on March 6, 2009.

ELKS are equity-linked investments that offer current income as well as limited protection against the decline in the price of the common stock of Apple and are not principal protected. The ELKS will pay a semi-annual coupon of 13.5% per annum.

At maturity, investors will receive for each ELKS:

- (i) 0.08351 shares of Apple common stock, if Apple stock trades at a price equal to or below \$77.83 from the pricing date up to and including the valuation date on March 3, 2009; or
- (ii) \$10.00 per ELKS.

Investors in ELKS will not be entitled to any rights with respect to Apple until such time as the Issuer shall deliver Apple shares to investors in the ELKS, if applicable.

It is expected that the market value of the ELKS will depend substantially on the value of Apple and may be affected by a number of other interrelated factors including, among other things: the general level of interest rates, the volatility of Apple stock, the time remaining to maturity, the dividend yield of Apple stock, and the credit ratings of the Issuer.

The Trustee for the securities is The Bank of New York.

Trading in the ELKS on BX is on a UTP basis and is subject to BX equity trading rules. The ELKS will trade from 8:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Eastern Time. Additional risks may exist with respect to trading the ELKS during BX's Pre-Market and Post-Market sessions.

Trading of the ELKS on BX is subject to the provisions of BX Rule 2310. Members recommending transactions in the ELKS to customers should make a determination that the recommendation is suitable for the customer. In addition, members must possess sufficient

information to satisfy the “know your customer” obligation that is embedded in the BX Conduct Rules.

Members also should review NASD Notice to Members 03-71 for guidance on trading these products. The Notice reminds members of their obligations to: (1) conduct adequate due diligence to understand the features of the product; (2) perform a reasonable-basis suitability analysis; (3) perform customer-specific suitability analysis in connection with any recommended transactions; (4) provide a balanced disclosure of both the risks and rewards associated with the particular product, especially when selling to retail investors; (5) implement appropriate internal controls; and (6) train registered persons regarding the features, risk and suitability of these products.

**This Information Circular is not a statutory prospectus. BX members should consult the registration statement or prospectus for the ELKS for additional information.**

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