



## Information Circular: Citigroup Funding Inc. ELKS

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

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Equity-Linked Notes	Symbol	CUSIP Number
Citigroup Funding Inc. 8.5% Equity-Linked Securities Based upon the Common Stock of Exxon Mobil Corporation	ESM	17313G308

### Information on the Notes

Citigroup Funding Inc. (the "Issuer") has issued 8.5% Equity-Linked Securities ("ELKS") based upon the common stock of Exxon Mobil Corporation ("Exxon"). The ELKS were priced at \$10 each and mature on March 25, 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 Exxon and are not principal protected. The ELKS will pay a semi-annual coupon of 8.5% per annum.

At maturity, investors will receive:

- (i) 0.11488 shares of Exxon common stock, if Exxon stock trades at a price equal to or below \$67.46 from the pricing date to and including the valuation date on March 20, 2009; or
- (ii) \$10.00 per ELKS.

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

Since all payments which may be due to holders of ELKS are the sole responsibility of the Issuer, it is the credit of Citigroup Funding Inc., and not Exxon, which stands the ELKS.

Investors will not be entitled to any rights with respect to the underlying common stock shares until such shares are distributed to holders of ELKS at maturity, if applicable.

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

Trading of the ELKS on NASDAQ is subject to the provisions of [NASDAQ 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 NASDAQ 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. NASDAQ members should consult the registration statement or prospectus for the ELKS for additional information.**

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