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REVIEW LETTER

1. Single Sheet - Fixed Income - Research Can Beat Replication in Core Bond Funds

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Attention: Jessica Chang

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Reviewed by,

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