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Advantage Announces Change in May Ex-distribution Date for Unitholders of AAV (NYSE)

(TSX: AVN.UN, NYSE: AAV)

CALGARY, ALBERTA – May 12, 2006 – Due to the Memorial Day holiday in the U.S., the ex-distribution date for Advantage Units trading on the NYSE will be May 26, 2006. The ex-distribution date for Canadian Unitholders of AVN.UN (TSX) remains May 29, 2006.

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