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**Taiwan Greater China Fund Announces**

**Board Action with respect to Semi-Annual Repurchase Offer**

(New York, New York, April 23, 2009) The Taiwan Greater China Fund (NYSE:TFC), a diversified closed-end registered investment company listed on the New York Stock Exchange (the "Fund"), announced today that its Board of Trustees has determined that the Fund will offer to repurchase up to 5% of the Fund's outstanding securities in the Fund's eighth semi-annual repurchase offer. The repurchase offer will begin on or around May 21, 2009 and end on June 12, 2009. The repurchase price per share will be the Fund's net asset value per share as determined at the close of regular trading on the Taiwan Stock Exchange on June 24, 2009 or, if the Taiwan Stock Exchange is not open on June 24, 2009, at the opening of the New York Stock Exchange on June 24, 2009. Materials regarding the repurchase offer will be sent to shareholders of record as of May 12, 2009. Each share repurchased pursuant to the repurchase offer will be subject to a repurchase fee equal to 2% of the net asset value per share, which will be deducted from the repurchase price to offset expenses related to the repurchase offer.

The Fund's Board of Trustees urges shareholders to read and evaluate the repurchase offer materials carefully before deciding whether to participate in the repurchase offer.

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*The Taiwan Greater China Fund is listed and publicly traded in the United States. The Fund is organized for investment in securities of Taiwan issuers by non-Taiwan investors and follows an investment strategy of primarily investing in Taiwan listed companies that derive or expect to derive a significant portion of their revenues from operations in or exports to mainland China.*

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