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FORM N-1A

Registration Statement Under the Securities Act of 1933

Pre-Effective Amendment No.

Post Effective Amendment No. 689

and/or

Registration Statement Under the Investment Company Act of 1940

Amendment No. 693

MARKET VECTORS ETF TRUST

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

335 Madison Avenue, 19th Floor

New York, New York 10017

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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Registrant's Telephone Number

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Approximate Date of Proposed Public Offering: **As soon as practicable after the effective date of this registration statement.**

IT IS PROPOSED THAT THIS FILING WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE (CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX)

 Immediately upon filing pursuant to paragraph (b)

- On May 14, 2012 pursuant to paragraph (b)
- 60 days after filing pursuant to paragraph (a)(1)
- On [date] pursuant to paragraph (a)(1)
- 75 days after filing pursuant to paragraph (a)(2)
- On [date] pursuant to paragraph (a)(2) of rule 485

IF APPROPRIATE, CHECK THE FOLLOWING BOX:

- This post-effective amendment designates a new effective date for a previously filed post-effective amendment.
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The sole purpose of this filing is to delay the effectiveness of the Trust's Post-Effective Amendment No. 506 to its Registration Statement until May 14, 2012. Parts A, B and C of Registrant's Post-Effective Amendment No. 506 under the Securities Act of 1933 and No. 510 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, filed on October 31, 2011, are incorporated by reference herein.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Registrant certifies that it meets all of the requirements for effectiveness of this registration statement under Rule 485(b) under the Securities Act of 1933 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of New York and State of New York on the 30th day of April 2012.

MARKET VECTORS ETF TRUST

By: /s/ Jan F. van Eck*
Name: Jan F. van Eck
Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed below by the following person in the capacities and on the date indicated.

<u>/s/ David H. Chow*</u> David H. Chow	Trustee	April 30, 2012
<u>/s/ R. Alastair Short*</u> R. Alastair Short	Trustee	April 30, 2012
<u>/s/ Richard D. Stamberger*</u> Richard D. Stamberger	Trustee	April 30, 2012
<u>/s/ Jan F. van Eck*</u> Jan F. van Eck	President, Chief Executive Officer and Trustee	April 30, 2012
<u>/s/ John J. Crimmins</u> John J. Crimmins	Chief Financial Officer	April 30, 2012

*By: /s/ Jonathan R. Simon
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Attorney-in-Fact