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**SUPPLEMENT TO THE CURRENTLY EFFECTIVE STATEMENT OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
OF THE LISTED FUND:**

DWS Dreman Small Mid Cap Value VIP

Effective May 1, 2013, the above-listed fund will change its name as follows:

Current Name

New Name, Effective May 1, 2013

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