List of Variables in ESG Board Diversity Database

List of Variables	Variables Description
Country	Country for company
Company Name	Name of company
www	Company's website link (official homepage)
Ticker	 Company's ticker symbol, if it is listed (left blank if the company is non-listed)
MarketCap	 Company's market capitalization in USD millions (left blank if the company is non-listed) MarketCap Range Large Cap: MCap > USD 1000 millions Mid Cap: MCap between USD 250 to 1000 millions Small Cap: MCap between USD 50 to 250 millions Micro Cap: MCap < USD 50 millions
Industry Group	Company's industry group
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Appointment-Date	Effective date of appointment for the new board member (YYYYMMDD)
Designation	Designation of the new board member appointed
Salutation	 Salutation of the new board member appointed i.e. Mr./Ms./Dr.
First-Name	First name of the new board member appointed
Last-Name	 Last name of the new board member appointed
Diversity	 'Y' for the diverse board member appointed 'DN' for the non-diverse board member appointed
Women	'Y' if the board member is a woman
African-American	'Y' if the board member is an African-American
Asian	'Y' if the board member is an Asian
Hispanic	'Y' if the board member is Hispanic
PR-Date	 Date of the media source from which new board member appointment is identified (YYYYMMDD)
PR-Link	 Source link of the media source from which new board member appointment is identified
PR-Title	 Title from the media source from which new board member appointment is identified

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PR-Desc	 Brief summary of the details related to new board member appointment mostly from the first para
Co-BOD-Detail- Link	 Source link of company's BOD section on company's website from where the details of the new board member appointed is taken
BOD-Detail-Para1	 Details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc. taken from the company's BOD section on company's website
BOD-Detail-Para2	 Further details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc.
BOD-Detail-Para3	 Further details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc.
BOD-Detail-Para4	 Further details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc.
Source-BOD1	 Details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc. taken from the media source if not available on the company's BOD section on company's website
Source-BOD2	 Further details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc. taken from the media source if not available on the company's BOD section on company's website
Source-BOD3	 Further details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc. taken from the media source if not available on the company's BOD section on company's website
Source-BOD4	 Further details of the new board member appointed about his/her previous experience, education, activities etc. taken from the media source if not available on the company's BOD section on company's website
Functional expertise	 New board member's functional expertise such as: Development /Economics /Engineering /Entertainment /Finance /Governance /Healthcare /Human Resources /Information Technology /Legal /Management /Manufacturing/ Marketing
Age range	 Age group range of new board member such as: Less than 40 years /41- 50 years /51-60 years /61-70 years /70+ years
International experience	'Y' if the new board member has international experience
Military experience	'Y' if the new board member has military experience
Non-business organizations	 Non-business background of new board member such as: Academia / Community Leader / Retired Government Official / Former Politician