GQG Partners

New Zealand Investor Information Sheet

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About the GQG Partners New Zealand Investor Information Sheet (NZ Information Sheet)

This NZ Information Sheet has been prepared and issued by Equity Trustees Limited ("Equity Trustees", "we" or "Responsible Entity") and is a summary of significant information for the persons receiving the GQG Partners Emerging Markets Equity Fund - A Class, the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - A Class, GQG Partners Global Equity Fund – AUD Hedged Class, or GQG Partners Global Quality Value Fund (each a "Fund") Product Disclosure Statement (each a "PDS") in New Zealand. This NZ Information Sheet does not form part of the PDS but it is important that you read it before investing in the Funds.

The information provided in this NZ Information Sheet is general information only and does not take account of your personal financial situation or needs. You should obtain financial and taxation advice tailored to your personal circumstances.

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Information in this NZ Information Sheet is subject to change. We will notify you of any changes that have a material adverse impact on you or other significant events that affect the information contained in this NZ Information Sheet. Any updated information that is not materially adverse may be obtained by calling the Responsible Entity on +613 8623 5000. A paper copy of the updated information will be provided free of charge on request.

New Zealand WARNING STATEMENT

a) This offer to New Zealand investors is a regulated offer made under Australian and New Zealand law. In Australia, this is Chapter 8 of the Corporations Act 2001 (Aust) and regulations made under that Act. In New Zealand, this is subpart 6 of Part 9 of the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 and Part 9 of the Financial Markets Conduct Regulations 2014.

b) This offer and the content of the offer document are principally governed by Australian rather than New Zealand law. In the main, the Corporations Act 2001 (Aust) and the regulations made under that Act set out how the offer must be made.

c) There are differences in how financial products are regulated under Australian law. For example, the disclosure of fees for managed investment schemes is different under the Australian regime.

d) The rights, remedies, and compensation arrangements available to New Zealand investors in Australian financial products may differ from the rights, remedies, and compensation arrangements for New Zealand financial products.

e) Both the Australian and New Zealand financial markets regulators have enforcement responsibilities in relation to this offer. If you need to make a complaint about this offer, please contact the Financial Markets Authority, New Zealand (http://www.fma.govt.nz). The Australian and New Zealand regulators will work together to settle your complaint.

f) The taxation treatment of Australian financial products is not the same as for New Zealand financial products.

g) If you are uncertain about whether this investment is appropriate for you, you should seek the advice of a financial advice provider.

h) The offer may involve a currency exchange risk. The currency for the financial products is not New Zealand dollars. The value of the financial products will go up or down according to changes in the exchange rate between that currency and New Zealand dollars. These changes may be significant.

i) If you expect the financial products to pay any amounts in a currency that is not New Zealand dollars, you may incur significant fees in having the funds credited to a bank account in New Zealand in New Zealand dollars.

j) The dispute resolution process described in this offer document is available only in Australia and is not available in New Zealand.

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Investing in the Fund

Direct investors

Direct investors can acquire units in the Funds by following the instructions outlined in the Application Form accompanying the relevant PDS. All applications must be made in Australian dollars.

Minimum application amounts are subject to the Australian dollar minimum amounts disclosed in the relevant PDS.

Indirect investors

If you wish to invest indirectly in the Funds through an IDPS your IDPS Operator will complete the application for you. Your IDPS Operator will advise what minimum investment amounts relate to you.

Withdrawing your investment

Direct investors

Direct investors of the Fund can withdraw their investment by written request to:

GQG Partners Unit Registry
GPO Box 804
Melbourne VIC 3001
or sending it via email to
gqgpartners.transactions@unitregistry.com.au

Minimum withdrawal amounts are subject to the Australian dollar minimum amounts disclosed in the relevant PDS. Withdrawal requests received from New Zealand investors must specify:

- the withdrawal amount in Australian dollars; or
- the number of units to be withdrawn.

We are unable to accept withdrawal amounts quoted in New Zealand dollars. Please note that the withdrawal amount paid to you will be in Australian dollars and may differ from the amount you receive in New Zealand dollars due to:

- Foreign exchange spreads between Australian and New Zealand dollars (currency rate differs daily); and
- Overseas telegraphic transfer ('OTT') costs.

Withdrawals will be paid directly to the investor's AUD bank account held in the name of the investor with an Australian or New Zealand domiciled bank. Withdrawal payments will not be made to third parties

Indirect investors

If you have invested indirectly in the Funds through an IDPS, you need to provide your withdrawal request directly to your IDPS Operator. The time to process a withdrawal request will depend on the particular IDPS Operator.

Managing your investment

Distributions

If New Zealand investors elect to have their distribution directly credited, they will need to nominate an AUD bank account held in their own name and domiciled with an Australian or New Zealand bank, otherwise it will be reinvested. Cash distributions will be paid in Australian Dollars to such bank account.

When the distribution is reinvested, New Zealand investors will be allotted units in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the relevant PDS relating to the units in the relevant Fund. Please see the relevant PDS for a description of distributions and the terms and conditions of the reinvestment of distributions.

The distribution reinvestment plan described in the relevant PDS is offered to New Zealand investors on the following basis:

- at the time the price of the units allotted pursuant to the distribution reinvestment plan is set, the Responsible Entity will not have any information that is not publicly available that would, or would be likely to, have a material adverse effect on the realisable price of the units if the information were publicly available.
- the right to acquire, or require the Responsible Entity to issue, units will be offered to all investors of the same class, other than those resident outside New Zealand who are excluded so as to avoid breaching overseas laws.
- units will be issued on the terms disclosed to you, and will be subject to the same rights as units issued to all investors holding units of the same class as you.

There is available from the Responsible Entity, on request and free of charge, a copy of the most recent annual report of the Funds, the most recent financial statements of the Funds, the auditor's report on those financial statements, the relevant PDS and the Constitution for the Funds (including any amendments). Other than the Constitution, these documents may be obtained electronically from www.eqt.com.au/insto.

Processing cut-off times

The processing cut-off times for applications and withdrawals referred to in the PDS are Australian Eastern Standard Time (Australian EST) and you should take this into account when sending instructions.

Cooling off rights

Cooling off rights may apply to investors in New Zealand. If you wish to exercise your cooling off rights you should contact the Responsible Entity of the relevant Fund. The PDS contains further information about the rights that may apply.

Taxation

New Zealand resident taxation

If you are a New Zealand resident wishing to invest in Australia, we strongly recommend that you seek independent professional tax advice. New Zealand resident investors will be taxed on their units under the foreign investment fund rules or ordinary tax rules, depending on their circumstances. Australian tax will be withheld at prescribed rates from distributions to non-residents to the extent that the distributions comprise relevant Australian sourced income or gains.

GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - AUD Hedged Class

Product Disclosure Statement

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About this PDS

This Product Disclosure Statement ("PDS") has been prepared and issued by Equity Trustees Limited ("Equity Trustees", "we" or "Responsible Entity") and is a summary of the significant information relating to an investment in the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund (the "Fund"). This PDS relates to the class of units known as the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - AUD Hedged Class (the "Class"). The Responsible Entity has issued other classes of units in the Fund which differ and may in the future issue further classes of units in the Fund. The PDS contains a number of references to important information (including a glossary of terms), contained in the GQG Partners Reference Guide ("Reference Guide"), each of which forms part of this PDS. You should carefully read and consider both the information in this PDS, and the information in the Reference Guide, before making a decision about investing in the Fund.

The information provided in this PDS is general information only and does not take account of your personal objectives, financial situation or needs. You should obtain financial and taxation advice tailored to your personal circumstances and consider whether investing in the Class is appropriate for you in light of those circumstances.

The offer to which this PDS relates is only available to persons receiving this PDS in Australia and New Zealand (electronically or otherwise). New Zealand investors must read the GQG Partners New Zealand Investor Information Sheet before investing in the Class. All references to dollars or "$" in this PDS are to Australian dollars. New Zealand investors wishing to invest in the Class should be aware that there may be different tax implications of investing in the Class and should seek their own tax advice as necessary.

This PDS does not constitute a direct or indirect offer of securities in the US or to any US Person as defined in Regulation S under the Securities Act of 1933 as amended ("US Securities Act"). Equity Trustees may vary this position and offers may be accepted on merit at Equity Trustees' discretion. The units in the Class have not been, and will not be, registered under the US Securities Act unless otherwise approved by Equity Trustees and may not be offered or sold in the US to, or for, the account of any US Person (as defined in the Reference Guide) except in a transaction that is exempt from the registration requirements of the US Securities Act and applicable US state securities laws.

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Throughout the PDS, there are references to additional information contained in the Reference Guide. You can obtain a copy of the PDS, Target Market Determination and the Reference Guide, free of charge, by calling the Responsible Entity on +613 8623 5000 or from our website at www.eqt.com.au/insto (after the 'no US offer page' click on "GQG Partners LLC" in the list of managers to obtain the link to the Reference Guide).

The information contained in the Reference Guide may change between the day you receive this PDS and the day you acquire the product. You must therefore ensure that you have read the Reference Guide current as at the date of your application.

Updated information

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1. About Equity Trustees Limited

The Responsible Entity

Equity Trustees Limited

Equity Trustees Limited ABN 46 004 031 298 AFSL 240975, a subsidiary of EQT Holdings Limited ABN 22 607 797 615, which is a public company listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX: EQT), is the Fund's responsible entity and issuer of this PDS. Established as a trustee and executorial service provider by a special Act of the Victorian Parliament in 1888. Today, Equity Trustees is a dynamic financial services institution which continues to grow the breadth and quality of products and services on offer.

Equity Trustees' responsibilities and obligations as the Fund's responsible entity are governed by the Fund's constitution ("Constitution"), the Corporations Act and general trust law. Equity Trustees has appointed GQG Partners LLC as the investment manager of the Fund. Equity Trustees has appointed a custodian to hold the assets of the Fund. The custodian has no supervisory role in relation to the operation of the Fund and is not responsible for protecting your interests.

The Investment Manager

GQG Partners LLC ("GQG Partners")

GQG Partners is a boutique investment firm focused on long-only global, U.S. and emerging markets equity strategies. GQG Partners is a wholly owned subsidiary of GQG Partners Inc, a Delaware corporation that is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX:GQG). GQG Partners has been appointed for an initial term of 10 years, however its appointment may be terminated prior to the end of that term on a range of grounds, including if it breaches the investment management agreement and fails to remedy the breach. GQG Partners was launched in 2016 by prominent investor Rajiv Jain, former CIO and Co-CEO of Vontobel Asset Management, who brings over 25 years of equity investing experience to GQG Partners.

2. How the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - AUD Hedged Class works

The Fund is a registered managed investment scheme governed by the Constitution. The Fund consists of multiple classes of units (each a "Class") each of which comprises assets which are acquired in accordance with the Fund's investment strategy. This PDS describes units in the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - AUD Hedged Class. Direct investors receive units in the Class when they invest. In general, units represent an equal interest in the assets of the Class subject to liabilities; however, it does not give investors an interest in any particular asset of the Class.

Certain hedging assets and liabilities of the Fund are attributable to the Class for the purposes of Class applications, redemptions, distributions, fees, voting at meetings and winding up proceeds.

If you invest in the Fund through an IDPS (as defined in the Reference Guide) you will not become an investor in the Fund. The operator or custodian of the IDPS will be the investor entered in the Fund's register and will be the only person who is able to exercise the rights and receive the benefits of a direct investor. Your investment in the Fund through the IDPS will be governed by the terms of your IDPS. Please direct any queries and requests relating to your investment to your IDPS Operator. Unless otherwise stated, the information in the PDS applies to direct investors.

Applying for units

You can acquire units by completing the Application Form that accompanies this PDS. The minimum initial investment amount for the Class is $5,000.

Completed Application Forms should be sent along with your identification documents (if applicable) to:

GQG Partners Unit Registry
GPO Box 804
Melbourne VIC 3001
or sending it via email to
gqgpartners.transactions@unitregistry.com.au

Please note that cash cannot be accepted.

We reserve the right to accept or reject applications in whole or in part at our discretion. We have the discretion to delay processing applications where we believe this to be in the best interest of the Fund's or Class's investors.

The price at which units are acquired is determined in accordance with the Constitution ("Application Price"). The Application Price on a Business Day is, in general terms, equal to the Net Asset Value ("NAV") of the Class, divided by the number of units on issue and adjusted for transaction costs ("Buy Spread"). At the date of this PDS, the Buy Spread is 0.10%.

The Application Price will vary as the market value of assets in the Class rises or falls.

Making additional investments

You can make additional investments into the Class at any time by sending us your additional investment amount together with a completed Application Form. The minimum additional investment into the Class is $1,000.

Distributions

An investor's share of any distributable income is calculated in accordance with the Constitution and is generally based on the number of units held by the investor at the end of the distribution period.

The Fund usually distributes income annually as at 30 June, however, Equity Trustees may change the distribution frequency without notice. Distributions are calculated effective the last day of each distribution period and are normally paid to investors as soon as practicable after the distribution calculation date.

Investors in the Class can indicate a preference to have their distribution:

- reinvested back into the Class; or
- directly credited to their AUD Australian or New Zealand domiciled bank account.

Investors who do not indicate a preference will have their distributions automatically reinvested. Applications for reinvestment will be taken to be received immediately prior to the next Business Day after the relevant distribution period. There is no Buy Spread on distributions that are reinvested.

In some circumstances, the Constitution may allow for an investor's withdrawal proceeds to be taken to include a component of distributable income.

Indirect Investors should review their IDPS Guide for information on how and when they receive any income distribution.

If New Zealand investors elect to have their distribution directly credited they will need to nominate an Australian Dollar bank account held in their own name with an Australian or New Zealand domiciled bank, otherwise it must be reinvested (refer to the GQG Partners New Zealand Investor Information Sheet). Distributions will be paid in Australian Dollars.

Access to your money

Investors in the Fund can generally withdraw their investment by completing a written request to withdraw from the Fund and mailing it to:

GQG Partners Unit Registry
GPO Box 804
Melbourne VIC 3001
or sending it via email to
gqgpartners.transactions@unitregistry.com.au

The minimum withdrawal amount is $1,000. Once we receive and accept your withdrawal request, we may act on your instruction without further enquiry if the instruction bears your account number or investor details and your (apparent) signature(s), or your authorised signatory's (apparent) signature(s).

Equity Trustees will generally allow an investor to access their investment within 4 Business Days of acceptance of a withdrawal request by transferring the withdrawal proceeds to such investor's nominated AUD Australian or New Zealand domiciled bank account. However, Equity Trustees is allowed to reject withdrawal requests, and to make payment up to 21 days after acceptance of a request (which may be extended in certain circumstances) as outlined in the Constitution and Reference Guide.

We reserve the right to accept or reject withdrawal requests in whole or in part at our discretion.

The price at which units are withdrawn is determined in accordance with the Constitution ("Withdrawal Price"). The Withdrawal Price on a Business Day is, in general terms, equal to the NAV of the Class, divided by the number of units on issue and adjusted for transaction costs ("Sell Spread"). At the date of this PDS, the Sell Spread is 0.10%.

The Withdrawal Price will vary as the market value of assets referable to the Class rises or falls.

Equity Trustees reserves the right to fully redeem your investment if your investment balance in the Class falls below $5,000 as a result of processing your withdrawal request. We also reserve the right to fully withdraw an investor's investments in the Class, upon giving 30 days' notice, if the minimum balance amount is increased and your holding falls below the new minimum balance amount. In certain circumstances, for example, when there is a freeze on withdrawals, where accepting a withdrawal is not in the best interests of investors in the Fund or the Class including due to one or more circumstances outside its control or where the Fund is not liquid (as defined in the Corporations Act), Equity Trustees can deny or suspend a withdrawal request and you may not be able to withdraw your funds in the usual processing times or at all. When the Fund is not liquid, an investor can only withdraw when Equity Trustees makes a withdrawal offer to investors in accordance with the Corporations Act. Equity Trustees is not obliged to make such offers.

If you are an Indirect Investor, you need to provide your withdrawal request directly to your IDPS Operator. The time to process a withdrawal request will depend on the particular IDPS Operator and the terms of the IDPS.

Unit pricing discretions policy

Equity Trustees has developed a formal written policy in relation to the guidelines and relevant factors taken into account when exercising any discretion in calculating unit prices (including determining the value of the assets and liabilities). A copy of the policy and, where applicable and to the extent required, any other relevant documents in relation to the policy will be made available free of charge on request.

Additional information

If and when the Fund has 100 or more direct investors, it will be classified by the Corporations Act as a 'disclosing entity'. As a disclosing entity, the Fund will be subject to regular reporting and disclosure obligations. Investors would then have a right to obtain a copy, free of charge, of any of the following documents:

- the most recent annual financial report lodged with ASIC ("Annual Report");
- any subsequent half yearly financial report lodged with ASIC after the lodgement of the Annual Report; and
- any continuous disclosure notices lodged with ASIC after the Annual Report but before the date of this PDS.

Equity Trustees will comply with any continuous disclosure obligation by lodging documents with ASIC as and when required.

Copies of these documents lodged with ASIC in relation to the Fund may be obtained from ASIC through ASIC's website.

Further reading...

You should read the important information in the Reference Guide under "Investing in a Fund", "Managing your investment" and "Withdrawing your investment" about:

- application cut-off times
- authorised signatories;
- reports;
- withdrawal cut-off times
- withdrawal terms; and
- withdrawal restrictions,

before making an investment decision. Go to the Reference Guide which is available at www.eqt.com.au/insto. The material relating to these matters may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

3. Benefits of investing in the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - AUD Hedged Class

The aim for the Fund is to seek long term capital appreciation by investing in equity securities or equity-linked instruments of companies located anywhere in the world.

An investment in the Fund has certain benefits including:

- Your money is managed by a team of professionals at GQG Partners, who have extensive experience in investing in markets around the world;
- Access to investment opportunities, techniques and markets that may not be accessible to all investors;
- You can generally apply to withdraw your investment on any Business Day; and
- GQG Partners as with other fund managers can usually invest at a lower cost than individual investors.

Currency hedging arrangements are used for the Class to aim to neutralise fluctuations in the value of certain foreign currencies in which the Class's international investments are denominated, relative to the Australian dollar. Those currency hedging arrangements are limited to foreign currencies that are liquid and freely traded.

4. Risks of managed investment schemes

All investments carry risks. Different investment strategies may carry different levels of risk, depending on the assets acquired under the strategy. Assets with the highest long-term returns may also carry the highest level of short-term risk. The significant risks below should be considered in light of your risk profile when deciding whether to invest in the Fund. Your risk profile will vary depending on a range of factors, including your age, the investment time frame (how long you wish to invest for), your other investments or assets and your risk tolerance.

The Responsible Entity and the Investment Manager do not guarantee the liquidity of the Fund's investments, repayment of capital or any rate of return or the Fund's investment performance. The value of the Fund's investments will vary. Returns are not guaranteed and you may lose money by investing in the Fund. The level of returns will vary and future returns may differ from past returns. Laws affecting managed investment schemes may change in the future. The structure and administration of the Fund is also subject to change.

In addition, we do not offer advice that takes into account your personal financial situation, including advice about whether the Fund or the Class is suitable for your circumstances. If you require personal financial or taxation advice, you should contact a licensed financial adviser and/or taxation adviser.

Individual investment risk

Individual investments made for the Fund will fluctuate in value, meaning that they may fall in value. A company's share price may fluctuate for a number of reasons. A company may undergo changes in its financial or operating circumstances and may also face broader influences such as political and industry changes.

Market, country and political risk

Economic, technological, political, legal and market conditions in countries in which the Fund has investments are variable, particularly in developing, emerging market, or frontier countries. Changes in these factors can have both positive and negative influences on the value of the Fund's investments. Political situations could develop where the government of a country stops or limits GQG Partners' ability to repatriate assets to Australia.

Concentration risk

The assets referable to the Fund may be concentrated in a smaller number of issuers than the relevant benchmark index, and thus may be more susceptible to negative events affecting those issuers than the relevant benchmark.

Interest rate risk

Changes in interest rates can also have a positive or negative impact directly or indirectly on investment values or returns. For example, hybrid securities, cash and other interest-bearing securities are very sensitive to fluctuations in interest rates.

Fund risk

Risks particular to the Fund include the risk that it could be terminated, the fees and expenses could change, Equity Trustees could be replaced as responsible entity and GQG Partners could be replaced as investment manager, or its portfolio managers could change. If there is an interruption of regular trading in the market for a Fund asset, there may be delays in processing withdrawal requests. The laws affecting registered managed investment schemes may change in the future.

Liquidity risk

As the Fund will invest in securities listed on stock exchanges in various countries, if there is an interruption of regular trading of the market, or for a particular Fund asset, there may be delays in processing withdrawal requests. Similarly, for investments in securities where the volume of trading is low, the ability to liquidate those securities in a timely manner may be impacted.

Currency hedging risk

The use of hedging for the Class against changes in exchange rates between the Australian dollar and liquid, freely traded foreign currencies in which certain of the Fund's investments are denominated can have a positive or negative impact on the value of the Class's investments in international securities. Such hedging may not provide complete protection from adverse currency movements.

Derivatives risk

Derivatives risk includes the value of derivatives positions not moving in line with the movement in the underlying asset, potential illiquidity of a derivative, and the Fund being unable to meet payment obligations in relation to derivatives contracts.

P-Notes risk

P-Notes involve risks that are in addition to the risks normally associated with a direct investment in the underlying equity securities. P-Notes are generally unsecured contractual obligations that are subject to liquidity risk and a high degree of counterparty risk. P-notes are subject to counterparty risk since the notes constitute generally unsecured contractual obligations of the financial institutions issuing the notes, and the Fund is relying on the creditworthiness of such institutions and has no rights under the notes against the issuers of the underlying securities. While the holder of a P-Note is entitled to receive from the issuing bank or broker-dealer any dividends or other distributions paid on the underlying securities, the holder is not entitled to the same rights as an owner of the underlying securities, such as voting rights.

In addition, P-Notes are subject to liquidity risk. P-Notes are also not traded on exchanges, are privately issued, and may be illiquid. To the extent a P-Note is determined to be illiquid, it would be subject to the Fund's limitation on investments in illiquid securities. There can be no assurance that the trading price or value of a P-Note will equal the value of the underlying value of the equity securities they seek to replicate.

Counterparty risk

There is a risk that counterparties to some of the investments of the Fund may not perform their obligations and that transactions may not settle.

Pandemic and other unforeseen event risk

Health crises, such as pandemic and epidemic diseases, as well as other catastrophes that interrupt the expected course of events, such as natural disasters, war or civil disturbance, acts of terrorism, power outages and other unforeseeable and external events, and the public response to or fear of such diseases or events, have and may in the future have an adverse effect on the economies and financial markets either in specific countries or worldwide and consequently on the value of the Fund's investments. Further, under such circumstances the operations, including functions such as trading and valuation, of the Investment Manager and other service providers could be reduced, delayed, suspended or otherwise disrupted.

5. How we invest your money

Warning: When choosing to invest in the Fund or an option of the Fund, you should consider the likely investment returns, the risks of investing and your investment time frame.

Investment objective

The Fund aims to seek long term capital appreciation by investing directly or indirectly in equity securities and equity-linked securities anywhere in the world that GQG Partners believes can sustain long term earnings growth and are available at a reasonable price. The objective for the Class is to provide a rate of return (after fees and expenses and before taxes) which exceeds the return of the MSCI ACWI Ex-Tobacco 100% Hedged to AUD Index.

Benchmark

MSCI ACWI Ex-Tobacco 100% Hedged to AUD

Strategic asset allocation

Global Equities (which may include Synthetic Equities): 90-100%

Cash & Cash Equivalents: 0-10%

It is anticipated that this Fund will typically hold between 35 and 80 investments. Generally, during normal market conditions, no single portfolio holding is anticipated to exceed 10% of the portfolio value.

Minimum suggested time frame

An investment horizon of at least five plus years

Risk level of the Class

High risk of short term loss.

The aim for the Class is to outperform the MSCI ACWI Ex-Tobacco 100% Hedged to AUD for investments held over the minimum suggested timeframe.

Investor suitability

5 years plus time horizon

The Fund may suit investors with a minimum investment horizon of at least five years, whose investment objective is to achieve capital appreciation.

Investment style and approach

The Responsible Entity (at Fund level) and GQG Partners employs a disciplined investment process rooted in deeply held beliefs about investing. GQG Partners pursues a fundamental security selection process, conducting analyses of a company's financial statements, economic health, competitors and the markets that it serves. GQG Partners seeks to identify companies with a strong financial position, capable management, and promising growth opportunities, which GQG Partners believes are most likely to enjoy sustained earnings growth over time. GQG Partners combines an intensive focus on high quality companies with strong pricing discipline.

GQG Partners intends to focus on companies that it believes can sustain strong earnings growth over the long term and the securities of which are available at a reasonable price. Once fully invested, it is intended that the Class will have invested in various countries and various industries, but the Class is actively managed and is not constrained by any benchmark index. Despite broad diversification guidelines, GQG Partners believes in and manages portfolios that can seem relatively concentrated at times, such as in companies based in different countries whose stock price could be helped or hurt by a single event. As a result, the Class's performance may be significantly affected by an individual holding or group of similarly-situated holdings.

Currency hedging transactions will be used for the Class to aim to offset the currency exposure arising from investments being denominated in certain currencies other than the Australian dollar and protect against movements in currency exchange rates between the time of the investment purchase and its corresponding sale. Those currency hedging arrangements are limited to foreign currencies that are liquid and freely traded. The Northern Trust Company has been appointed to provide non-discretionary currency hedging services in respect of the Class.

The Fund may hold cash or cash equivalents. The amount of cash in the Fund's portfolio is not a strategic factor, and is a residual function of GQG Partners' investment process. During normal market conditions, cash will typically represent less than 10% of its assets, except as determined by the Investment Manager in circumstances involving unusual market movements or with respect to temporary deviations during subscriptions into or withdrawals from the Fund.

The Fund may use derivative securities including, without limitation, participation notes or participatory notes and/or Low Exercise Price Options, collectively known as "Synthetic Equities," where the use of such securities is consistent with the Fund's strategies. The Fund may use Synthetic Equities primarily to gain access to securities which may be otherwise inaccessible to foreign investors or too costly for direct access to the underlying securities, such as due to market registration issues. Some Synthetic Equities are instruments that attempt to replicate ownership of an underlying equity security in foreign stock markets where non-resident shareholders are unable to own shares directly or find it advantageous to own shares through this indirect vehicle. Synthetic Equities are created by financial intermediaries such as investment banks and commercial banks and these instruments typically represent an unsecured obligation of the financial intermediary. As such, a Synthetic Equity is a direct obligation of the counterparty, and the non-resident investor has no direct claim on the issuer of the underlying security. In conjunction with these possible investments, GQG Partners has established general counterparty risk monitoring procedures. The Fund generally may not vote on matters put before the shareholders of a company with respect to which the Fund holds Synthetic Equities.

GQG Partners' sell discipline leads it to sell companies when its view of their risks or opportunities fundamentally changes, or when it believes that the stock price no longer reflects a good value. GQG Partners will also sell companies when it finds alternatives that it views as being more attractive.

The Fund may invest in equity securities or equity-linked instruments of companies located anywhere in the world, including, but not limited to, emerging markets countries, frontier markets and the United States. The Fund has no limitation on the capitalization size of the companies in which it invests nor on its ability to invest in foreign securities. It may invest in any country. Frontier markets are not expected to be a meaningful percentage of the Fund.

The Fund employs a long-term focus when analysing companies and constructing a portfolio. GQG Partners seeks to identify companies with a strong financial position, capable management, and promising growth opportunities, which GQG Partners believes are most likely to enjoy sustained earnings growth over time.

GQG Partners' investment process includes:

Screening: GQG Partners pursues a bottom-up fundamental research process when evaluating potential portfolio companies. GQG Partners narrows the broad universe of approximately 50,000 global securities to a small pool of 300-450 investable companies by identifying those that have produced superior rates of returns and margins relative to their peers and are not excessively levered. GQG Partners' screens primarily consist of elimination first and ranking thereafter based on return on equity, leverage, margins and stability of returns and margins. GQG Partners does not employ valuation metrics in its screens. This avoidance of valuation means that that GQG Partners' screens tend to be more stable.

GQG Partners' screening process seeks to identify companies that:

- have produced superior rates of growth in revenues and earnings over the previous 3-5 year periods relative to industry and country;
- have generated superior rates of return on equity and on total capital;
- have done so without excessive use of leverage; and
- have lower volatility in margins and return on invested capital than similar companies.

Not every attribute is found in every issuer in whose securities the Fund may invest.

Research: GQG Partners analyses those companies' businesses and the industries in which they operate to seek to understand the reasons for their superior results and to seek to predict their ability to continue to generate them. GQG Partners' process results in a list of companies that GQG Partners believes have a demonstrable and sustainable competitive advantage.

Central to GQG Partners' analysis of any company is a focus on its ongoing, long-term growth potential, in the judgment of GQG Partners. GQG Partners' long-term focus affects its view of the company's appropriate valuation.

Portfolio Construction: GQG Partners believes its approach to diversification differs from most investment managers. In GQG Partners' view, risk exists in a company's business itself, not in categorizations of industries, sectors and geographic regions. Therefore, GQG Partners seeks to understand each portfolio company's sources of revenues and competitive risks. GQG Partners does not believe optimization engines can identify such risks. For each portfolio company, GQG Partners focuses on its diversification of revenue sources and end-client behaviours. As a result, the Fund's portfolio may feature high industry and country concentrations and demonstrate significant tracking error against benchmark indexes.

GQG Partners' portfolio construction is not dictated by the composition of benchmark indexes because GQG Partners seeks to identify and invest in those constituents of a benchmark whose business prospects GQG Partners believes are inherently superior to the benchmark as a whole.

Sell Discipline: The key tenets of GQG Partners' investment purchase discipline are consistency, predictability, profitability, sustainability and sensible price. GQG Partners continues to monitor those aspects of each company in the Fund's portfolio on an ongoing basis. Not all such aspects will be present in every investment or afforded in any particular weighting. Ordinarily, absent outside events such as market disruptions or significant withdrawal requests, the Fund will remain invested in a company unless:

- the market price exceeds GQG Partners' valuation estimate;
- there occurs a meaningful deterioration of the company's long term earnings growth prospects;
- the company is involved in a major acquisition; or
- the company is replaced by an investment GQG Partners sees as more attractive.

Of these reasons, under ordinary conditions, GQG Partners expects that the most common reason for the Fund to divest a company is to replace it with a company GQG Partners finds more attractive.

Labour, Standards, Environmental, Social and Ethical Factors ("ESG Considerations")

EQT has delegated the investment function (including ESG responsibilities to the extent described below) to the Investment Manager.

The Responsible Entity (at Fund level) and GQG Partners recognizes that environmental, social and governance ("ESG") factors can materially impact a company's valuation. In its pursuit of long-term capital appreciation and dividend income on behalf of the Fund, GQG Partners may consider financially material ESG factors in its investment process. GQG Partners typically evaluates and may give meaningful weight to issues such as environmental responsibility, labour relations, corporate culture and the quality of corporate leadership in its assessment of a potential or existing portfolio company, although non-ESG related factors may outweigh any ESG considerations with respect to any particular investment decision, and, for timing or other reasons, investment decisions may be made before GQG Partners has completed a comprehensive evaluation of one or more ESG factors. This Fund will specifically exclude investments in companies that derive more than 25% of their revenue from tobacco related business activities. The Fund will also exclude investments in companies which generate greater than 25% of their revenue from the mining of Thermal Coal. In addition, no investments will be made in companies associated with the production of controversial weapons such as anti-personnel mines, cluster munitions, depleted uranium and biological or chemical weapons (i.e., companies screened out by the MSCI Ex-Controversial Weapons Index).

Class performance

Up to date information on the performance of the Class will be available in the fact sheets and annual report on the Equity Trustees website at www.eqt.com.au/insto.

6. Fees and costs

DID YOU KNOW?

Small differences in both investment performance and fees and costs can have a substantial impact on your long-term returns.

For example, total annual fees and costs of 2% of your investment balance rather than 1% could reduce your final return by up to 20% over a 30-year period (for example, reduce it from $100,000 to $80,000).

You should consider whether features such as superior investment performance or the provision of better member services justify higher fees and costs.

You may be able to negotiate to pay lower fees. Ask the Fund or your financial adviser.

TO FIND OUT MORE

If you would like to find out more, or see the impact of the fees based on your own circumstances, the **Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC)** Moneysmart website (www.moneysmart.gov.au) has a managed funds fee calculator to help you check out different fee options.

The information in the following Fees and Costs Summary can be used to compare costs between different simple managed investment schemes. Fees and costs can be paid directly from an investor's account or deducted from investment returns. For information on tax please see Section 7 of this PDS.

Fees and Costs Summary

GQG Partners Global Equity Fund - AUD Hedged Class		
Type of fee or cost	Amount	How and when paid
Ongoing annual fees and costs[1]		
Management fees and costs The fees and costs for managing your investment[2]	0.78% p.a. of the NAV of the Class	The management fees component of management fees and costs are accrued daily and paid from the Class monthly in arrears and reflected in the unit price. Otherwise, the fees and costs are variable and deducted and reflected in the unit price of the Class as they are incurred.
Performance fees Amounts deducted from your investment in relation to the performance of the product	Not applicable	Not applicable
Transaction costs The costs incurred by the scheme when buying or selling assets	0.03% p.a. of the NAV of the Class	Transaction costs are variable and deducted from the Class as they are incurred and reflected in the unit price. They are disclosed net of amounts recovered by the buy-sell spread.
Member activity related fees and costs (fees for services or when your money moves in or out of the scheme)		
Establishment fee The fee to open your investment	Not applicable	Not applicable
Contribution fee The fee on each amount contributed to your investment	Not applicable	Not applicable
Buy-sell spread An amount deducted from your investment representing costs incurred in transactions by the scheme	0.10% upon entry and 0.10% upon exit	These costs are an additional cost to the investor but are incorporated into the unit price and arise when investing application monies and funding withdrawals from the Class and are not separately charged to the investor. The Buy Spread is paid into the Class as part of an application and the Sell Spread is left in the Class as part of a redemption.
Withdrawal fee The fee on each amount you take out of your investment	Not applicable	Not applicable
Exit fee The fee to close your investment	Not applicable	Not applicable
Switching fee The fee for changing investment options	Not applicable	Not applicable

[1] All fees quoted above are inclusive of Goods and Services Tax (GST) and net of any Reduced Input Tax Credits (RITC). See below for more details as to how the relevant fees and costs are calculated.

[2] The management fee component of management fees and costs can be negotiated. See "Differential fees" in the "Additional Explanation of Fees and Costs" below.

Additional Explanation of Fees and Costs

Management fees and costs

The management fees and costs include amounts payable for administering and operating the Fund, investing the assets of the Fund, expenses and reimbursements in relation to the Fund and indirect costs if applicable.

Management fees and costs do not include performance fees or transaction costs, which are disclosed separately.

The management fees component of management fees and costs of 0.78% p.a. of the NAV of the Class is payable for managing the assets and overseeing the operations of the Fund. The management fees component is accrued daily and paid from the Class monthly in arrears and reflected in the unit price. As at the date of this PDS, the management fees component covers certain ordinary expenses such as Responsible Entity fees, investment management fees, custodian fees, and administration and audit fees. The management fees shown above do not include extraordinary expenses (if they are incurred in the future), such as litigation costs and the costs of convening investor meetings.

The indirect costs and other expenses component of 0.00% p.a. of the NAV of the Fund may include other ordinary expenses of operating the Fund, as well as management fees and costs (if any) arising from interposed vehicles in or through which the Fund invests and the costs of investing in over-the-counter derivatives to gain investment exposure to assets or implement the Fund's and Class's investment strategy (if any). The indirect costs and other expenses component is variable and reflected in the unit price of the Class as the relevant fees and costs are incurred. They are borne by investors, but they are not paid to the Responsible Entity or Investment Manager.

Actual indirect costs for the current and future years may differ. If in future there is an increase to indirect costs disclosed in this PDS, updates will be provided on Equity Trustees' website at www.eqt.com.au/insto where they are not otherwise required to be disclosed to investors under law.

Transaction costs

In managing the assets of the Fund, the Fund may incur transaction costs such as brokerage, buy-sell spreads in respect of the underlying investments of the Fund, settlement costs, clearing costs and applicable stamp duty when assets are bought and sold, transactional related custody costs, and the costs of over-the-counter derivatives that reflect transaction costs that would arise if the Fund held the ultimate reference assets, as well as the costs of over-the-counter derivatives used for hedging purposes. Transaction costs also include costs incurred by interposed vehicles in which the Fund invests (if any), that would have been transaction costs if they had been incurred by the Fund itself. Transaction costs are an additional cost to the investor where they are not recovered by the Buy/Sell Spread, and are generally incurred when the assets of the Fund are changed in connection with day-to-day trading or when there are applications or withdrawals which cause net cash flows into or out of the Fund.

The Buy/Sell Spread that is disclosed in the Fees and Costs Summary is a reasonable estimate of transaction costs that the Class will incur when buying or selling assets of the Class. These costs are an additional cost to the investor but are incorporated into the unit price and arise when investing application monies and funding withdrawals from the Class and are not separately charged to the investor. The Buy Spread is paid into the Class as part of an application and the Sell Spread is left in the Class as part of a redemption and not paid to Equity Trustees or the Investment Manager. The estimated Buy/Sell Spread is 0.10% upon entry and 0.10% upon exit. The dollar value of these costs based on an application or a withdrawal of $5,000 is $5 for each individual transaction. The Buy/Sell Spread can be altered by the Responsible Entity at any time and www.eqt.com.au/insto will be updated as soon as practicable to reflect any change. The Responsible Entity may also waive the Buy/Sell Spread in part or in full at its discretion. The transaction costs figure in the Fees and Costs Summary is shown net of any amount recovered by the Buy/Sell Spread charged by the Responsible Entity.

Transaction costs generally arise through the day-to-day trading of the Class's assets and are reflected in the Class's unit price as an additional cost to the investor, as and when they are incurred.

The gross transaction costs for the Class are 0.10% p.a. of the NAV of the Class, which is based on the relevant costs incurred during the financial year ended 30 June 2025.

However, actual transaction costs for future years may differ.

Can the fees change?

Yes, all fees can change without investor consent, subject to the maximum fee amounts specified in the Constitution. The current maximum management fee to which Equity Trustees is entitled is 2.00% of the GAV of the Class. However, Equity Trustees does not intend to charge that amount and will generally provide investors with at least 30 days' notice of any proposed increase to the management fees component of management fees and costs. In most circumstances, the Constitution defines the maximum level that can be charged for fees described in this PDS. Equity Trustees also has the right to recover all reasonable expenses incurred in relation to the proper performance of its duties in managing the Fund and as such these expenses may increase or decrease accordingly, without notice.

Payments to IDPS Operators

Subject to the law, annual payments may be made to some IDPS Operators because they offer the Fund on their investment menus. Product access is paid by the Investment Manager out of its investment management fee and is not an additional cost to the investor.

Differential fees

The Investment Manager may from time to time negotiate a different fee arrangement (by way of a rebate or waiver of fees) with certain investors who are Wholesale Clients. Please contact the Responsible Entity on +613 8623 5000 for further information.

Example of annual fees and costs for an investment option

This table gives an example of how the ongoing annual fees and costs in the investment option for this product can affect your investment over a 1-year period. You should use this table to compare this product with other products offered by managed investment schemes.

EXAMPLE – GQG Partners Global Equity Fund (AUD Hedged Class)		
BALANCE OF $50,000 WITH A CONTRIBUTION OF $5,000 DURING THE YEAR		
Contribution Fees	Nil	For every additional $5,000 you put in, you will be charged $0
Plus Management fees and costs	0.78% p.a.	**And**, for every $50,000 you have in the GQG Partners Global Equity Fund (AUD Hedged Class) you will be charged or have deducted from your investment $390 each year
Plus Performance fees	Not applicable	**And**, you will be charged or have deducted from your investment $0 in performance fees each year
Plus Transaction costs	0.03% p.a.	**And**, you will be charged or have deducted from your investment $15 in transaction costs
Equals Cost of GQG Partners Global Equity Fund (AUD Hedged Class)		If you had an investment of $50,000 at the beginning of the year and you put in an additional $5,000 during that year, you would be charged fees and costs of: $405* **What it costs you will depend on the investment option you choose and the fees you negotiate.**

* Additional fees may apply. Please note that this example does not capture all the fees and costs that may apply to you such as the Buy/Sell Spread.

This example assumes the $5,000 contribution occurs at the end of the first year, therefore the fees and costs are calculated using the $50,000 balance only.

Warning: If you have consulted a financial adviser, you may pay additional fees. You should refer to the Statement of Advice or Financial Services Guide provided by your financial adviser in which details of the fees are set out.

ASIC provides a fee calculator on www.moneysmart.gov.au, which you may use to calculate the effects of fees and costs on account balances.

The indirect costs and other expenses component of management fees and costs and transaction costs may also be based on estimates. As a result, the total fees and costs that you are charged may differ from the figures shown in the table.

Further reading

You should read the important information in the Reference Guide about fees and costs under the "Fees and other costs" section before making a decision. Go to the Reference Guide which is available at www.eqt.com.au/insto. The material relating to these matters may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

7. How managed investment schemes are taxed

Warning: Investing in a registered managed investment scheme (such as the Fund) is likely to have tax consequences. You are strongly advised to seek your own professional tax advice about the applicable Australian tax (including income tax, GST and duty) consequences and, if appropriate, foreign tax consequences which may apply to you based on your particular circumstances before investing in the Fund.

The Fund is an Australian resident for tax purposes and does not generally pay tax on behalf of its investors. Australian resident investors are assessed for tax on any income and capital gains generated by the Fund to which they become presently entitled or, where the Fund has made a choice to be an Attribution Managed Investment Trust ("AMIT") and the choice is effective for the income year, are attributed to them.

Further reading

You should read the important information in the Reference Guide about Taxation under the "Other important information" section before making a decision. Go to the Reference Guide which is available at www.eqt.com.au/insto. The material relating to these matters may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

8. How to apply

To invest please complete the Application Form accompanying this PDS, send funds (see details in the Application Form) and your completed Application Form to:

GQG Partners Unit Registry
GPO Box 804
Melbourne VIC 3001
or sending it via email to
gqgpartners.transactions@unitregistry.com.au

Please note that cash cannot be accepted and all applications must be made in Australian dollars.

Who can invest?

Eligible persons (as detailed in the 'About this PDS' section) can invest, however individual investors must be 18 years of age or over.

Investors investing through an IDPS should use the application form provided by the IDPS Operator.

Cooling off period

If you are a Retail Client who has invested directly in the Fund, you may have a right to a 'cooling off' period in relation to your investment for 14 days from the earlier of:

- confirmation of the investment being received; and
- the end of the fifth business day after the units are issued.

A Retail Client may exercise this right by notifying Equity Trustees in writing. A Retail Client is entitled to a refund of their investment adjusted for any increase or decrease in the relevant Application Price between the time we process your application and the time we receive the notification from you, as well as any other tax and other reasonable administrative expenses and transaction costs associated with the acquisition and termination of the investment.

The right of a Retail Client to cool off does not apply in certain limited situations, such as if the issue is made under a distribution reinvestment plan, switching facility or represents additional contributions required under an existing agreement. Also, the right to cool off does not apply to you if you choose to exercise your rights or powers as a holder of the units during the 14 day period. This could include selling part of your investment or switching it to another product.

Indirect Investors should seek advice from their IDPS Operator as to whether cooling off rights apply to an investment in units via the IDPS. The right to cool off in relation to units is not directly available to an Indirect Investor. This is because an Indirect Investor does not acquire the rights of a direct holder of units. Rather, an Indirect Investor directs the IDPS Operator to arrange for their monies to be invested in units on their behalf. The terms and conditions of the IDPS Guide or similar type document will govern an Indirect Investor's investment in relation to investments such as units and any rights an Indirect Investor may have in this regard.

Complaints resolution

Equity Trustees has an established complaints handling process and is committed to properly considering and resolving all complaints. If you have a complaint about your investment, please contact us on:

Phone: 1300 133 472
Post: Equity Trustees Limited
GPO Box 2307, Melbourne VIC 3001
Email: compliance@eqt.com.au

We will acknowledge receipt of the complaint within 1 Business Day or as soon as possible after receiving the complaint. We will seek to resolve your complaint as soon as practicable but not more than 30 calendar days after receiving the complaint.

If you are not satisfied with our response to your complaint, you may be able to lodge a complaint with the Australian Financial Complaints Authority ("AFCA").

Contact details are:
Online: www.afca.org.au
Phone: 1800 931 678
Email: info@afca.org.au
Post: GPO Box 3, Melbourne VIC 3001.

The external dispute resolution body is established to assist you in resolving your complaint where you have been unable to do so with us. However, it's important that you contact us first.

9. Other information

Consent

The Investment Manager has given and, as at the date of this PDS, has not withdrawn:

- its written consent to be named in this PDS as the investment manager of the Fund; and
- its written consent to the inclusion of the statements made about it which are specifically attributed to it, in the form and context in which they appear.

The Investment Manager has not otherwise been involved in the preparation of this PDS or caused or otherwise authorised the issue of this PDS. None of the Investment Manager nor their employees or officers accept any responsibility arising in any way for errors or omissions, other than those statements for which they have provided their written consent to Equity Trustees for inclusion in this PDS.

Further reading

You should read the important information in the Reference Guide about:

- Your privacy;
- The Constitution;
- Anti-Money Laundering and Counter Terrorism Financing ("AML/CTF");
- Indirect Investors;
- Information on underlying investments;
- Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act ("FATCA"); and
- Common Reporting Standard ("CRS"),

under the "Other important information" section before making a decision. Go to the Reference Guide which is available at www.eqt.com.au/insto. The material relating to these matters may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

GQG PARTNERS

GQG PARTNERS FUNDS APPLICATION FORM

This application form accompanies the Product Disclosure Statement (PDS)/Information Memorandum (IM) relating to units in the following product/s issued by Equity Trustees Limited (ABN 46 004 031 298, AFSL 240975). The PDS/IM contains information about investing in the Fund/Trust. You should read the PDS/IM in its entirety before applying.

- GQG Partners Emerging Markets Equity Fund – A Class
- GQG Partners Global Equity Fund – A Class
- GQG Partners Global Equity Fund – AUD Hedged Class
- GQG Partners Global Quality Value Fund

The law prohibits any person passing this Application Form on to another person unless it is accompanied by a complete PDS/IM.

- If completing by hand, use a black or blue pen and print within the boxes in BLOCK LETTERS, if you make a mistake, cross it out and initial. DO NOT use correction fluid
- The investor(s) must complete and sign this form
- Keep a photocopy of your completed Application Form for your records

U.S. Persons: This offer is not open to any U.S. Person. Please refer to the PDS/IM for further information.

Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) and Common Reporting Standard (CRS)

We are required to collect certain information to comply with FATCA and CRS, please ensure you complete section 7.

If investing with an authorised representative, agent or financial adviser

Please ensure you, your authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser also complete Section 6.

Provide certified copies of your identification documents

Please refer to section 9 on AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements.

Send your documents & make your payment

See section 2 for payment options and where to send your application form.

SECTION 1 – YOUR CONSUMER ATTRIBUTES

Please Note that unadvised retail investors are not permitted to invest in the GQG Funds.

Retail Investors must have a Financial Advisor and have completed Section 6 “AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE, AGENT AND/OR FINANCIAL ADVISER”.

If you are not a retail investor you will be required to provide a wholesale certificate to support your application.

Please select ONE of the below options:

I attest that I have received financial advice from a licensed Financial Advisor.

☐ YES (Record these details in Section 6)

☐ NO (A Wholesale Certificate is attached, see below)

Wholesale Investors:

Section 761G of the Australian Corporations Act 2001 defines who is a "retail client" versus a "wholesale client" for the purposes of financial services regulation. A client is considered a retail client unless they meet specific criteria to be classified as a wholesale client, which generally involves having a net asset value of over $500,000, providing a certificate from an accountant, being a professional investor, or acquiring a product for use in connection with a non-small business.

Requirements for Wholesale Certificates:
1. Signed by a qualified accountant.
2. Date of certificate issue within two years.

SECTION 1.2 – ARE YOU AN EXISTING INVESTOR IN THE FUND/TRUST AND WISH TO ADD TO YOUR INVESTMENT?

Do you have an existing investment in the Fund/Trust and the information provided remains current and correct?

☐ **Yes**, if you can tick both of the boxes below, complete Sections 2 and 8

- ☐ I/We confirm there are no changes to our identification documents previously provided and that these remain current and valid.
- ☐ I/We confirm there have been no changes to our FATCA or CRS status

Existing investor number: _____

If there have been changes in your identification documents or FATCA/CRS status since your last application, please complete the full Application Form as indicated below.

☐ **No**, please complete sections relevant to you as indicated below:

Investor Type:

- ☐ **Individuals/Joint:** complete section 2, 3, 6 (if applicable), 7, 8 & 9
- ☐ **Companies:** complete section 2, 4, 6 (if applicable), 7, 8 & 9
- ☐ **Custodians on behalf of underlying clients:** complete section 2, 4, 5, 5.1, 6 (if applicable), 7, 8 & 9
- ☐ **Trusts/superannuation funds:**
  - with an individual trustee – complete sections 2, 3, 5, 6 (if applicable), 7, 8 & 9
  - with a company as a trustee – complete sections 2, 4, 5, 6 (if applicable), 7, 8 & 9

If you are an Association, Co-operative, Partnership, Government Body or other type of entity not listed above, please contact Equity Trustees.

SECTION 2 – INVESTMENT DETAILS

Investment to be held in the name(s) of (must include name(s) of investor(s))

Postal address

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Email address | Contact no.

FUND/TRUST NAME	APIR CODE	**APPLICATION AMOUNT (AUD)**
GQG Partners Emerging Markets Equity Fund – A Class	ETL4207AU	$
GQG Partners Global Equity Fund – A Class	ETL7377AU	$
GQG Partners Global Equity Fund – AUD Hedged Class	ETL0666AU	$
GQG Partners Global Quality Value Fund	ETL8457AU	$

The minimum initial investment is **$5,000**.

Distribution Instructions

If you do not select a distribution option, we will automatically reinvest your distribution. If you select cash, please ensure you provide your bank details below.

☐ **Reinvest distributions** if you select this option your distribution will be reinvested in the Fund/Trust

☐ **Pay distributions to the bank** if you select this option your distribution will be paid to the bank account below

Investor bank details

For withdrawals and distributions (if applicable), these must match the investor(s)' name and must be an AUD-denominated bank account with an Australian domiciled bank.

Financial institution name and branch location

BSB number | Account number

Account name

Payment method

☐ Direct credit – pay to:

Financial institution name and branch location	National Australia Bank Limited, 500 Bourke Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000
BSB number	083 001
Account number	33 551 1523
Account name	SS&C Solutions Pty Limited ARF GQG Partners LLC
Reference	<Investor name>

Source of investment

Please indicate the source of the investment amount (e.g. retirement savings, employment income):

Send your completed Application Form to:

NT - GPO BOX 804
GPO Box 804 Melbourne VIC 3001
Or sending it via email to gqgpartners.transactions@unitregistry.com.au

For additional queries please contact the GQG Investor Service Team on 1800 180 079

Please ensure you have completed all relevant sections and signed the Application Form

SECTION 3 – INVESTOR DETAILS – INDIVIDUALS/JOINT

Please complete if you are investing individually, jointly or you are an individual or joint trustee.

See Group A AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements in Section 9

Investor 1

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Email address
(Statements will be sent to this address, unless you elect otherwise in Section 6)

Contact no.

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY) / / Tax File Number* – or exemption code

Country of birth | Occupation

Does the investor named above hold a prominent public position or function in a government body (local, state, territory, national or foreign) or in an international organisation or are you an immediate family member or a business associate of such a person?

☐ No ☐ Yes, please give details:

Investor 2

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Email address
(Statements will be sent to this address, unless you elect otherwise in Section 6)

Contact no.

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY) / / Tax File Number* – or exemption code

Country of birth | Occupation

Does the investor named above hold a prominent public position or function in a government body (local, state, territory, national or foreign) or in an international organisation or are you an immediate family member or a business associate of such a person?

☐ No ☐ Yes, please give details:

If there are more than 2 registered owners, please provide details as an attachment.

SECTION 4 – INVESTOR DETAILS – COMPANIES/CORPORATE TRUSTEE

Please complete if you are investing for a company or where the company is acting as trustee.

See Group B AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements in Section 9

Full company name (as registered with ASIC or relevant foreign registered body)

Registered office address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Australian Company Number | Tax File Number* – or exemption code

Australian Business Number* (if registered in Australia) or equivalent foreign company identifier

Contact Person

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Email address
(Statements will be sent to this address, unless you elect otherwise in Section 6)

Contact no.

Principal place of business: If the principal place of business is the same as the registered office street address, state 'As above' below. Otherwise provide address details. For foreign companies registered with ASIC please provide a local agent name and address if you do not have a principal place of business in Australia.

Principal Place of Business Address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Registration details

Name of regulatory body

Identification number (e.g. ARBN)

Controlling Persons, Directors and Beneficial Owners

All beneficial owners who own, hold or control either directly or indirectly 25% or more of the issued capital of a proprietary or private company that is not regulated i.e. does not have an AFSL or ACLN etc., will need to provide Group A AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements specified in Section 9. In the case of an unregulated public company not listed on a securities exchange, provide the details of the senior managing official(s) as controlling person(s) (e.g. managing director, senior executive(s) etc. who is/are authorised to sign on the company's behalf, and make policy, operational and financial decisions) in the following sections. All proprietary and private companies, whether regulated or unregulated, must provide the names of all of the directors.

Names of the Directors of a Proprietary or Private Company whether regulated or unregulated

1	2
3	4

If there are more than 4 directors, please write the other names below.

Names of the Beneficial Owners or Senior Managing Official(s)

Select:

☐ Beneficial owner 1 of an unregulated proprietary or private company; OR

☐ Senior Managing Official of an unregulated, unlisted, public (e.g. Limited) company

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY)

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Does the beneficial owner named above hold a prominent public position or function in a government body (local, state, territory, national or foreign) or in an international organisation or are you an immediate family member or a business associate of such a person?

☐ No ☐ Yes, please give details:

Select:

☐ Beneficial owner 2 of an unregulated proprietary or private company; OR

☐ Senior Managing Official of an unregulated, unlisted, public (e.g. Limited) company

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY)

/ /

Does the beneficial owner named above hold a prominent public position or function in a government body (local, state, territory, national or foreign) or in an international organisation or are you an immediate family member or a business associate of such a person?

☐ No ☐ Yes, please give details:

If there are more than 2 beneficial owners or managing officials, please copy and complete this page for the other persons or alternatively, provide the additional details as an attachment.

SECTION 5 – INVESTOR DETAILS – TRUSTS/SUPERANNUATION FUNDS

Please complete if you are investing for a trust or superannuation fund.

See Group C AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements in section 9

Full name of trust or superannuation fund

Full name of business (if any)

Country where established

Australian Business Number* (if obtained)

Tax File Number* – or exemption code

Trustee details – How many trustees are there?

☐ **Individual trustee(s)** – complete Section 3 – Investor details – Individuals/Joint

☐ **Company trustee(s)** – complete Section 4 – Investor details – Companies/Corporate Trustee

☐ **Combination** – trustee(s) to complete each relevant section

Type of Trust

☐ **Registered Managed Investment Scheme**

Australian Registered Scheme Number (ARSN)

☐ **Regulated Trust** (including self-managed superannuation funds and registered charities that are trusts)

Name of Regulator (e.g. ASIC, APRA, ATO, ACNC)

Registration/Licence details or ABN

☐ **Other Trust** (unregulated)

Please describe

Beneficiaries of an unregulated trust

Please provide details below of any beneficiaries who directly or indirectly are entitled to an interest of 25% or more of the trust.

1	2
3	4

If there are no beneficiaries of the trust, describe the class of beneficiary (e.g. the name of the family group, class of unit holders, the charitable purpose or charity name):

Other Trust (unregulated) Continued

Settlor details

Please provide the full name and last known address of the settlor of the trust where the initial asset contribution to the trust was greater than $10,000.

☐ This information is not required if the initial asset contribution was less than $10,000, and/or

☐ This information is not required if the settlor is deceased

Settlor's full name and last known address

Beneficial owners of an unregulated trust

Please provide details below of any beneficial owner of the trust. A beneficial owner is any individual who directly or indirectly has a 25% or greater interest in the trust or is a person who exerts control over the trust. This includes the appointer of the trust who holds the power to appoint or remove the trustees of the trust.

All beneficial owners will need to provide Group A AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements in Section 9

Beneficial owner 1 or Controlling Person 1

Select:

☐ Beneficial owner 1; OR

☐ Controlling Person – What is the role e.g. Appointer:

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY) / /

Does the beneficial owner named above hold a prominent public position or function in a government body (local, state, territory, national or foreign) or in an international organisation or are you an immediate family member or a business associate of such a person?

☐ No ☐ Yes, please give details:

Beneficial owner 2 or Controlling Person 2

Select:

☐ Beneficial owner 2; OR

☐ Controlling Person – What is the role e.g. Appointer:

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY) / /

Does the beneficial owner named above hold a prominent public position or function in a government body (local, state, territory, national or foreign) or in an international organisation or are you an immediate family member or a business associate of such a person?

☐ No ☐ Yes, please give details:

If there are more than 2 beneficial owners or controlling persons, please copy and complete this page for the other persons or alternatively, provide the additional details as an attachment.

SECTION 5.1 – CUSTODIAN ATTESTATION: CHAPTER 4, PARTS 4.4.18 AND 4.4.19 OF THE AML/CTF RULES

If you are a Company completing this Application Form on behalf of an individual, another company, a trust or other entity, in a Custodial capacity, please complete this section.

In accordance with Chapter 4, part 4.4.19 (1)(a) to (d) of the AML/CTF Rules, does the Custodian meet the definition (see 'Section 10 – Glossary') of a Custodian?

☐ No ☐ Yes

In accordance with Chapter 4, part 4.4.19 (e) of the AML/CTF Rules, do you, in your capacity as Custodian attest that prior to requesting this designated service from Equity Trustees, it has carried out and will continue to carry out, all applicable customer identification procedures on the underlying account holder named or to be named in the Fund's register, including conducting ongoing customer due diligence requirements in accordance with Chapter 15 of the AML/CTF Rules?

☐ No ☐ Yes

If you answered YES to all of the above questions, then Equity Trustees is able to apply the Chapter 4, part 4.4 Custodian rules to this account and will rely upon the customer due diligence conducted by the Custodian on the underlying account holder named or to be named in the Fund's register.

If requested to do so at any time after the provision of this designated service, the Custodian agrees to honour any reasonable request made by Equity Trustees for information or evidence about the underlying account holder in order to allow Equity Trustees to meet its obligations under the AML/CTF Act.

☐ No ☐ Yes

Excepting the below circumstances where the custodian answered NO or did not complete any of the above questions, no other information about the underlying account holder is required to be collected. However, further information about you as the Custodian and as a company is required to be collected and verified as required by the AML/CTF rules. Please complete the rest of this form for the Custodian.

Excepting circumstances:

If you answered NO or did not complete any of the above questions, then we are unable to apply the Chapter 4, part 4.4 Custodian rules to this application. We are therefore obligated to conduct full Know Your Client procedures on the underlying account holder named or to be named in the Fund's register including any named nominee, as well as the trustees, beneficial owners and controlling persons of the underlying named account in addition to the Custodian. Therefore, please complete the relevant forms and provide identity documents for all parties connected to this account.

SECTION 6 – AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE, AGENT AND/OR FINANCIAL ADVISER

Please complete if you are appointing an authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser.

See Group D AML/CTF Identity Verification Requirements in Section 9

☐ I am an **authorised representative or agent** as nominated by the investor(s)

You must attach a valid authority such as Power of Attorney, guardianship order, grant of probate, appointment of bankruptcy etc. that is a certified copy. The document must be current and complete, signed by the investor or a court official and permits the authorised representative or agent to transact on behalf of the investor.

Full name of authorised representative or agent

Role held with investor(s)

Signature

Date

☐ I am a **financial adviser** as nominated by the investor

Name of adviser

AFSL number

Dealer group

Name of advisory firm

Postage address

Suburb

State

Postcode

Country

Email address

Contact no.

Financial Advice (only complete if applicable)

☐ The investor has received personal financial product advice in relation to this investment from a licensed financial adviser and that advice is current.

Financial Adviser Declaration

☐ I/We hereby declare that I/we are not a US Person as defined in the PDS/IM.

☐ I/We hereby declare that the investor is not a US Person as defined in the PDS/IM.

☐ I/We have attached the relevant CIP documents;

Signature

Date

Access to information

Unless you elect otherwise, your authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser will also be provided access to your investment information and/or receive copies of statements and transaction confirmations. By appointing an authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser you acknowledge that you have read and agreed to the terms and conditions in the PDS/IM relating to such appointment.

☐ Please tick this box if you DO NOT want your authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser to have access to information about your investment.

☐ Please tick this box if you DO NOT want copies of statements and transaction confirmations sent to your authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser.

☐ Please tick this box if you want statements and transaction confirmations sent ONLY to your authorised representative, agent and/or financial adviser.

SECTION 7 – FOREIGN ACCOUNT TAX COMPLIANCE ACT (FATCA), COMMON REPORTING STANDARD (CRS) SELF-CERTIFICATION FORM – ALL INVESTORS MUST COMPLETE

Sub-Section I – Individuals

Please fill this Sub-Section I only if you are an individual. If you are an entity, please fill Sub-Section II.

1. Are you a US tax resident (e.g. US citizen or US resident)?

☐ Yes: provide your US Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) and continue to question 2

Investor 1	
Investor 2	

☐ No: continue to question 2

2. Are you a tax resident of any other country outside of Australia?

☐ Yes: state each country and provide your TIN or equivalent (or Reason Code if no TIN is provided) for each jurisdiction below and skip to question 12

Investor 1

Country/Jurisdiction of tax residence	TIN	If no TIN available enter Reason A, B or C
1		
2		

Investor 2

Country/Jurisdiction of tax residence	TIN	If no TIN available enter Reason A, B or C
1		
2		

If more space is needed please provide details as an attachment.

☐ No: skip to question 12

Reason Code:

If TIN or equivalent is not provided, please provide reason from the following options:

- Reason A: The country/jurisdiction where the investor is resident does not issue TINs to its residents.
- Reason B: The investor is otherwise unable to obtain a TIN or equivalent number (Please explain why the investor is unable to obtain a TIN in the below table if you have selected this reason).
- Reason C: No TIN is required. (Note. Only select this reason if the domestic law of the relevant jurisdiction does not require the collection of the TIN issued by such jurisdiction).

If Reason B has been selected above, explain why you are not required to obtain a TIN:

	Reason B explanation
Investor 1	
Investor 2	

Sub-Section II – Entities

Please fill this Sub-Section II only if you are an entity. If you are an individual, please fill Sub-Section I.

3. Are you an Australian complying superannuation fund?

☐ Yes: skip to question 12

☐ No: continue to question 4

FATCA

4. Are you a US Person?

☐ Yes: continue to question 5

☐ No: skip to question 6

5. Are you a Specified US Person?

☐ Yes: provide your TIN below and skip to question 7

☐ No: indicate exemption type and skip to question 7

6. Are you a Financial Institution for the purposes of FATCA?

☐ Yes: provide your Global Intermediary Identification Number (GIIN)

If you do not have a GIIN, please provide your FATCA status below and then continue to question 7. If you are a sponsored entity, please provide your GIIN above and your sponsor's details below and then continue to question 7.

☐ Exempt Beneficial Owner, provide type below:

☐ Deemed-Compliant FFI (other than a Sponsored Investment Entity or a Trustee Documented Trust), provide type below:

☐ Non-Participating FFI, provide type below:

☐ Sponsored Entity. Please provide the Sponsoring Entity's name and GIIN:

☐ Trustee Documented Trust. Please provide your Trustee's name and GIIN:

☐ Other, provide details:

☐ No: continue to question 7

CRS

7. Are you a tax resident of any country outside of Australia and the US?

☐ Yes: state each country and provide your TIN or equivalent (or Reason Code if no TIN is provided) for each jurisdiction below and continue to question 8

Investor 1

Country/Jurisdiction of tax residence	TIN	If no TIN available enter Reason A, B or C
1		
2		

Investor 2

Country/Jurisdiction of tax residence	TIN	If no TIN available enter Reason A, B or C
1		
2		

If more space is needed please provide details as an attachment.

Reason Code:

If TIN or equivalent is not provided, please provide reason from the following options:

- Reason A: The country/jurisdiction where the investor is resident does not issue TINs to its residents.
- Reason B: The investor is otherwise unable to obtain a TIN or equivalent number (Please explain why the investor is unable to obtain a TIN in the below table if you have selected this reason).
- Reason C: No TIN is required. (Note. Only select this reason if the domestic law of the relevant jurisdiction does not require the collection of the TIN issued by such jurisdiction).

If Reason B has been selected above, explain why you are not required to obtain a TIN:

	Reason B explanation
Investor 1	
Investor 2	

☐ No: continue to question 8

8. Are you a Financial Institution for the purpose of CRS?

☐ Yes: specify the type of Financial Institution below and continue to question 9

- ☐ Reporting Financial Institution
- ☐ Non-Reporting Financial Institution:
  - ☐ Trustee Documented Trust
  - ☐ Other: please specify:

☐ No: skip to question 10

9. Are you an investment entity resident in a non-participating jurisdiction for CRS purposes and managed by another financial Institution?

☐ Yes: skip to question 11

☐ No: skip to question 12

Non-Financial Entities

10. Are you an Active Non-Financial Entity (Active NFE)?

☐ Yes: specify the type of Active NFE below and skip to question 12:

☐ Less than 50% of the entity's gross income from the preceding calendar year is passive income (e.g. dividends, distribution, interests, royalties and rental income) and less than 50% of its assets during the preceding calendar year are assets held for the production of passive income

☐ Corporation that is regularly traded or a related entity of a regularly traded corporation

Provide name of Listed Entity:

and exchange on which traded:

☐ Governmental Entity, International Organisation or Central Bank

☐ Other: please specify:

☐ No: you are a Passive Non-Financial Entity (Passive NFE). Continue to question 11

Controlling Persons

11. Does one or more of the following apply to you:

- Is any natural person that exercises control over you (for corporations, this would include directors or beneficial owners who ultimately own 25% or more of the share capital) a tax resident of any country outside of Australia?
- If you are a trust, is any natural person including trustee, protector, beneficiary, settlor or any other natural person exercising ultimate effective control over the trust a tax resident of any country outside of Australia?
- Where no natural person is identified as exercising control of the entity, the controlling person will be the natural person(s) who holds the position of senior managing official.

☐ Yes. provide controlling person information below:

Controlling person 1

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY) / /

Country/Jurisdiction of tax residence	TIN	If no TIN available enter Reason A, B or C
1		
2		

Controlling person 2

Title | First name(s) | Surname

Residential address (not a PO Box/RMB/Locked Bag)

Suburb | State | Postcode | Country

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY) / /

Country/Jurisdiction of tax residence	TIN	If no TIN available enter Reason A, B or C
1		
2		

If there are more than 2 controlling persons, please provide details as an attachment.

Reason Code:

If TIN or equivalent is not provided, please provide reason from the following options:

- Reason A: The country/jurisdiction where the investor is resident does not issue TINs to its residents.
- Reason B: The investor is otherwise unable to obtain a TIN or equivalent number (Please explain why the investor is unable to obtain a TIN in the below table if you have selected this reason).
- Reason C: No TIN is required. (Note. Only select this reason if the domestic law of the relevant jurisdiction does not require the collection of the TIN issued by such jurisdiction).

If Reason B has been selected above, explain why you are not required to obtain a TIN:

	Reason B explanation
Investor 1	
Investor 2	

☐ No: continue to question 12

12. Signature and Declaration – ALL investors must sign

☐ I undertake to provide a suitably updated self-certification within 30 days of any change in circumstances which causes the information contained herein to become incorrect.

☐ I declare the information above to be true and correct.

Investor 1

Name of individual/entity

Name of authorised representative

Signature

Date

Investor 2

Name of individual/entity

Name of authorised representative

Signature

Date

SECTION 8 – DECLARATIONS – ALL INVESTORS MUST COMPLETE

In most cases the information that you provide in this form will satisfy the AML/CTF Act, the US Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) and the Common Reporting Standard (CRS). However, in some instances the Responsible Entity may contact you to request further information. It may also be necessary for the Responsible Entity to collect information (including sensitive information) about you from third parties in order to meet its obligations under the AML/CTF Act, FATCA and CRS.

When you complete this Application Form you make the following declarations:

- I/We have received the PDS/IM and made this application in Australia (and/or New Zealand for those offers made in New Zealand).
- I/We have read the PDS/IM to which this Application Form applies and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of the PDS/IM and the Constitution of the relevant Fund/Trust in which I/we have chosen to invest.
- I/we have carefully considered the features of Fund/Trust as described in the PDS (including its investment objectives, minimum suggested investment timeframe, risk level, withdrawal arrangements and investor suitability) and, after obtaining any financial and/or tax advice that I/we deemed appropriate, am/are satisfied that my/our proposed investment in the Fund/Trust is consistent with my/our investment objectives, financial circumstances and needs.*
- I/We have considered our personal circumstances and, where appropriate, obtained investment and/or taxation advice.
- I/We hereby declare that I/we are not a US Person as defined in the PDS/IM.
- I/We acknowledge that (if a natural person) I am/we are 18 years of age or over and I am/we are eligible to hold units in the Fund/Trust in which I/We have chosen to invest.
- I/We acknowledge and agree that Equity Trustees has outlined in the PDS/IM provided to me/us how and where I/we can obtain a copy of the Equity Trustees Group Privacy Statement.
- I/We consent to the transfer of any of my/our personal information to external third parties including but not limited to fund administrators, fund investment manager(s) and related bodies corporate who are located outside Australia for the purpose of administering the products and services for which I/we have engaged the services of Equity Trustees or its related bodies corporate and to foreign government agencies for reporting purposes (if necessary).
- I/we hereby confirm that the personal information that I/we have provided to Equity Trustees is correct and current in every detail, and should these details change, I/we shall promptly advise Equity Trustees in writing of the change(s).
- I/We agree to provide further information or personal details to the Responsible Entity if required to meet its obligations under anti-money laundering and counter-terrorism legislation, US tax legislation or reporting legislation and acknowledge that processing of my/our application may be delayed and will be processed at the unit price applicable for the Business Day as at which all required information has been received and verified.
- If I/we have provided an email address, I/we consent to receive ongoing investor information including PDS/IM information, confirmations of transactions and additional information as applicable via email.
- I/We acknowledge that Equity Trustees does not guarantee the repayment of capital or the performance of the Fund/Trust or any particular rate of return from the Fund/Trust.
- I/We acknowledge that an investment in the Fund/Trust is not a deposit with or liability of Equity Trustees and is subject to investment risk including possible delays in repayment and loss of income or capital invested.
- I/We acknowledge that Equity Trustees is not responsible for the delays in receipt of monies caused by the postal service or the investor's bank.
- If I/we lodge a fax application request, I/we acknowledge and agree to release, discharge and agree to indemnify Equity Trustees from and against any and all losses, liabilities, actions, proceedings, account claims and demands arising from any fax application.
- If I/we have completed and lodged the relevant sections on authorised representatives, agents and/or financial advisers on the Application Form then I/we agree to release, discharge and indemnify Equity Trustees from and against any and all losses, liabilities, actions, proceedings, account claims and demands arising from Equity Trustees acting on the instructions of my/our authorised representatives, agents and/or financial advisers.
- If this is a joint application each of us agrees that our investment is held as joint tenants.
- I/We acknowledge and agree that where the Responsible Entity, in its sole discretion, determines that:
  - I/we are ineligible to hold units in a Fund/Trust or have provided misleading information in my/our Application Form; or
  - I/we owe any amounts to Equity Trustees, then I/we appoint the Responsible Entity as my/our agent to submit a withdrawal request on my/our behalf in respect of all or part of my/our units, as the case requires, in the Fund/Trust.
- **For Wholesale Clients*** – I/We acknowledge that I am/we are a Wholesale Client (as defined in Section 761G of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)) and are therefore eligible to hold units in the Fund/Trust.
- **For New Zealand applicants*** – I/we have read the terms of the offer relating to New Zealand investors, including the New Zealand warning statement.
- **For New Zealand Wholesale Investors*** – I/We acknowledge and agree that:
  - I/We have read the "New Zealand Wholesale Investor Fact Sheet" and PDS/IM or "New Zealand Investors: Selling Restriction" for the Fund/Trust;
  - I am/We are a Wholesale Investor and am/are therefore eligible to hold units in the Fund/Trust; and
  - I/We have not:

- Offered, sold, or transferred, and will not offer, sell, or transfer, directly or indirectly, any units in the Fund/Trust;
- Granted, issued, or transferred, and will not grant, issue, or transfer, any interests in or options over, directly or indirectly, any units in the Fund/Trust; and
- Distributed and will not distribute, directly or indirectly, the PDS/IM or any other offering materials or advertisement in relation to any offer of units in the Fund/Trust, in each case in New Zealand, other than to a person who is a Wholesale Investor; and

– I/We will notify Equity Trustees if I/we cease to be a Wholesale Investor.

All references to Wholesale Investor in this Declaration are a reference to Wholesale Investor in terms of clause 3(2) of Schedule 1 of the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 (New Zealand).

* Disregard if not applicable.

*Terms and conditions for collection of Tax File Numbers (TFN) and Australian Business Numbers (ABN)

Collection of TFN and ABN information is authorised and its use and disclosure strictly regulated by tax laws and the Privacy Act. Investors must only provide an ABN instead of a TFN when the investment is made in the course of their enterprise. You are not obliged to provide either your TFN or ABN, but if you do not provide either or claim an exemption, we are required to deduct tax from your distribution at the highest marginal tax rate plus Medicare levy to meet Australian taxation law requirements.

For more information about the use of TFNs for investments, contact the enquiries section of your local branch of the ATO. Once provided, your TFN will be applied automatically to any future investments in the Fund/Trust where formal application procedures are not required (e.g. distribution reinvestments), unless you indicate, at any time, that you do not wish to quote a TFN for a particular investment. Exempt investors should attach a copy of the certificate of exemption. For super funds or trusts list only the applicable ABN or TFN for the super fund or trust.

When you sign this Application Form you declare that you have read, agree to and make the declarations above

Investor 1

Name of individual/entity

Capacity (e.g. Director, Secretary, Authorised signatory)

Signature

Date

Investor 2

Name of individual/entity

Capacity (e.g. Director, Secretary, Authorised signatory)

Signature

Date

Company Seal (if applicable)

SECTION 9 – AML/CTF IDENTITY VERIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

The AML/CTF Act requires the Responsible Entity to adopt and maintain an Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing (AML/CTF) Program. The AML/CTF Program includes ongoing customer due diligence, which may require the Responsible Entity to collect further information.

- Identification documentation provided must be in the name of the investor.
- Non-English language documents must be translated by an accredited translator. Provide both the foreign language document and the accredited English translation.
- Applications made without providing this information cannot be processed until all the necessary information has been provided.
- If you are unable to provide the identification documents described please contact Equity Trustees.

These documents should be provided as an original or a CERTIFIED COPY of the original.

Who can certify?

Below is an example of who can certify proof of ID documents under the AML/CTF requirements:

- Bailiff
- Bank officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Building society officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Chiropractor (licensed or registered)
- Clerk of court
- Commissioner for Affidavits
- Commissioner for Declarations
- Credit union officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Dentist (licensed or registered)
- Fellow of the National Tax Accountant's Association
- Finance company officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Judge of a court
- Justice of the peace
- Legal practitioner (licensed or registered)
- Magistrate
- Marriage celebrant licensed or registered under Subdivision C of Division 1 of Part IV of the Marriage Act 1961
- Master of a court
- Medical practitioner (licensed or registered)
- Member of Chartered Secretaries Australia
- Member of Engineers Australia, other than at the grade of student
- Member of the Association of Taxation and Management Accountants
- Member of the Australian Defence Force with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia, the Australian Society of Certified Practicing Accountants or the Institute of Public Accountants
- Member of the Parliament of the Commonwealth, a State, a Territory Legislature, or a local government authority of a State or Territory
- Minister of religion licensed or registered under Subdivision A of Division 1 of Part IV of the Marriage Act 1961
- Nurse (licensed or registered)
- Optometrist (licensed or registered)
- Permanent employee of Commonwealth, State or local government authority with at least 5 or more years of continuous service.
- Permanent employee of the Australian Postal Corporation with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Pharmacist (licensed or registered)
- Physiotherapist (licensed or registered)
- Police officer
- Psychologist (licensed or registered)
- Registrar, or Deputy Registrar, of a court
- Sheriff
- Teacher employed on a full-time basis at a school or tertiary education institution
- Veterinary surgeon (licensed or registered)

When certifying documents, the following process must be followed:

- All copied pages of original proof of ID documents must be certified and the certification must not be older than 2 years.
- The authorised individual must ensure that the original and the copy are identical; then write or stamp on the copied document “certified true copy”. This must be followed by the date and signature, printed name and qualification of the authorised individual.
- In cases where an extract of a document is photocopied to verify customer ID, the authorised individual should write or stamp “certified true extract”.

GROUP A – Individuals/Joint

Each individual investor, individual trustee, beneficial owner, or individual agent or authorised representative must provide one of the following primary photographic ID:

☐ A current Australian driver's licence (or foreign equivalent) that includes a photo and signature.

☐ An Australian passport (not expired more than 2 years previously).

☐ A foreign passport or international travel document (must not be expired)

☐ An identity card issued by a State or Territory Government that includes a photo.

If you do NOT own one of the above ID documents, please provide one valid option from Column A and one valid option from Column B.

Column A

☐ Australian birth certificate.

☐ Australian citizenship certificate.

☐ Pension card issued by Department of Human Services.

Column B

☐ A document issued by the Commonwealth or a State or Territory within the preceding 12 months that records the provision of financial benefits to the individual and which contains the individual's name and residential address.

☐ A document issued by the Australian Taxation Office within the preceding 12 months that records a debt payable by the individual to the Commonwealth (or by the Commonwealth to the individual), which contains the individual's name and residential address. Block out the TFN before scanning, copying or storing this document.

☐ A document issued by a local government body or utilities provider within the preceding 3 months which records the provision of services to that address or to that person (the document must contain the individual's name and residential address).

☐ If under the age of 18, a notice that: was issued to the individual by a school principal within the preceding 3 months; and contains the name and residential address; and records the period of time that the individual attended that school.

GROUP B – Companies

For Australian Registered Companies, provide one of the following (must clearly show the Company's full name, type (private or public) and ACN):

☐ A certified copy of the company's Certificate of Registration or incorporation issued by ASIC.

☐ A copy of information regarding the company's licence or other information held by the relevant Commonwealth, State or Territory regulatory body e.g. AFSL, RSE, ACL etc.

☐ A full company search issued in the previous 3 months or the company's last annual statement issued by ASIC.

☐ If the company is listed on an Australian securities exchange, provide details of the exchange and the ticker (issuer) code.

☐ If the company is a majority owned subsidiary of a company listed on an Australian securities exchange, provide details of the holding company name, its registration number e.g. ACN, the securities exchange and the ticker (issuer) code.

All of the above must clearly show the company's full name, its type (i.e. public or private) and the ACN issued by ASIC.

For Foreign Companies, provide one of the following:

☐ A certified copy of the company's Certificate of Registration or incorporation issued by the foreign jurisdiction(s) in which the company was incorporated, established or formed.

☐ A certified copy of the company's articles of association or constitution.

☐ A copy of a company search on the ASIC database or relevant foreign registration body.

☐ A copy of the last annual statement issued by the company regulator.

All of the above must clearly show the company's full name, its type (i.e. public or private) and the ARBN issued by ASIC, or the identification number issued to the company by the foreign regulator.

In addition, please provide verification documents for each beneficial owner or controlling person (senior managing official and shareholder) as listed under Group A.

A beneficial owner of a company is any person entitled (either directly or indirectly) to exercise 25% or more of the voting rights, including a power of veto, or who holds the position of senior managing official (or equivalent) and is thus the controlling person.

GROUP C – Trusts

For a Registered Managed Investment Scheme, Government Superannuation Fund or a trust registered with the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profit Commission (ACNC), or a regulated, complying Superannuation Fund, retirement or pension fund (including a self-managed super fund), provide one of the following:

☐ A copy of the company search of the relevant regulator's website e.g. APRA, ASIC or ATO.

☐ A copy or relevant extract of the legislation establishing the government superannuation fund sourced from a government website.

☐ A copy from the ACNC of information registered about the trust as a charity

☐ Annual report or audited financial statements.

☐ A certified copy of a notice issued by the ATO within the previous 12 months.

☐ A certified copy of an extract of the Trust Deed (i.e. cover page and signing page and first two pages that describes the trust, its purpose, appointer details and settlor details etc.)

For all other Unregulated trust (including a Foreign trust), provide the following:

☐ A certified copy of an extract of the Trust Deed (i.e. cover page and signing page and first two pages that describes the trust, its purpose, appointer details and settlor details etc.)

If the trustee is an individual, please also provide verification documents for one trustee as listed under Group A.

If the trustee is a company, please also provide verification documents for a company as listed under Group B.

GROUP D – Authorised Representatives and Agents

In addition to the above entity groups:

☐ If you are an **Individual Authorised Representative or Agent** – please also provide the identification documents listed under Group A.

☐ If you are a **Corporate Authorised Representative or Agent** – please also provide the identification documents listed under Group B.

All Authorised Representatives and Agents must also provide a certified copy of their authority to act for the investor e.g. the POA, guardianship order, Executor or Administrator of a deceased estate, authority granted to a bankruptcy trustee, authority granted to the State or Public Trustee etc.

SECTION 10 – GLOSSARY

Custodian – means a company that:

a) is acting in the capacity of a trustee; and
b) is providing a custodial or depository service of the kind described in item 46 of table 1 in subsection 6(2) of the Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Act 2006 (AML/CTF Act); and
c) either:
    i. holds an Australian financial services licence authorising it to provide custodial or depository services under the Corporations Act 2001; or
    ii. is exempt under the Corporations Act 2001 from the requirement to hold such a licence; and
d) either:
    i. satisfies one of the 'geographical link' tests in subsection 6(6) of the AML/CTF Act; or
    ii. has certified in writing to the relevant reporting entity that its name and enrolment details are entered on the Reporting Entities Roll; and
e) has certified in writing to the relevant reporting entity that it has carried out all applicable customer identification procedures and ongoing customer due diligence requirements in accordance with Chapter 15 of the AML/CTF Rules in relation to its underlying customers prior to, or at the time of, becoming a customer of the reporting entity.