



**EC World**  
运通网城 REIT

## **EC WORLD REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST**

(Constituted in the Republic of Singapore  
pursuant to a trust deed dated 5 August 2015 (as amended))

### **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting ("**AGM**" or "**Meeting**") of the holders of units of EC World Real Estate Investment Trust ("**EC World REIT**", and the holders of units of EC World REIT, the "**Unitholders**") will be convened and held in a wholly physical format at Begonia Junior Ballroom 3011-2 & 3111-2 Level 3, Marina Bay Sands Expo and Convention Centre, 10 Bayfront Avenue, Singapore 018956 on Monday, 29 July 2024 at 10.00 am to transact the following business:

#### **(A) AS ORDINARY BUSINESS**

1. To receive and adopt the Report of DBS Trustee Limited, as trustee of EC World REIT (the "**Trustee**"), the Statement by EC World Asset Management Pte. Ltd., as manager of EC World REIT (the "**Manager**") and the Audited Financial Statements of EC World REIT for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 together with the Auditors' Report thereon.
2. To note PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP's retirement as Auditors of EC World REIT at the conclusion of the AGM.

**(Ordinary  
Resolution 1)**

#### **(B) AS SPECIAL BUSINESS**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without any modifications, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### **3. GENERAL MANDATE FOR THE ISSUE OF NEW UNITS AND/OR CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES**

That authority be given to the Manager to

- (a) (i) issue units in EC World REIT ("**Units**") whether by way of rights, bonus or otherwise; and/or
- (ii) make or grant offers, agreements or options (collectively, "**Instruments**") that might or would require Units to be issued, including but not limited to the creation and issue of (as well as adjustments to) securities, options, warrants, debentures or other instruments convertible into Units,

at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes and to such persons as the Manager may in its absolute discretion deem fit; and

- (b) issue Units in pursuance of any Instrument made or granted by the Manager while this Resolution was in force (notwithstanding that the authority conferred by this Resolution may have ceased to be in force at the time such Units are issued),

provided that:

- (1) the aggregate number of Units to be issued pursuant to this Resolution (including Units to be issued in pursuance of the Instruments made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) shall not exceed fifty per cent (50.0%) of the total number of issued Units (excluding treasury Units, if any) (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below), of which the aggregate number of Units to be issued other than on a pro rata basis to existing Unitholders (including Units to be issued in pursuance of Instruments to be made or granted pursuant to this Resolution) shall not exceed twenty per cent (20.0%) of the total number of issued Units (excluding treasury Units, if any) (as calculated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2) below);
- (2) subject to such manner of calculation as may be prescribed by the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "**SGX-ST**"), for the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Units and Instruments that may be issued under sub-paragraph (1) above, the total number of issued Units and Instruments shall be based on the total number of issued Units (excluding treasury Units, if any) at the time of the passing of this Resolution, after adjusting for:
  - (a) any new Units arising from the conversion or exercise of the Instruments; and
  - (b) any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Units;
- (3) in exercising the authority conferred by this Resolution, the Manager shall comply with the provisions of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST for the time being in force (unless such compliance has been waived by the SGX-ST) and the Trust Deed constituting EC World REIT (as amended) ("**Trust Deed**") for the time being in force (unless otherwise exempted or waived by the Monetary Authority of Singapore);

- (4) unless revoked or varied by Unitholders in a general meeting of EC World REIT, the authority conferred by this Resolution shall continue in force (i) until (a) the conclusion of the next AGM of EC World REIT or (b) the date by which the next AGM of EC World REIT is required by the applicable laws and regulations or the Trust Deed to be held, whichever is earlier or (ii) in the case of Units to be issued in pursuance of the Instruments, made or granted pursuant to this Resolution, until the issuance of such Units in accordance with the terms of the Instruments;
- (5) where the terms of the issue of the Instruments provide for adjustment to the number of Instruments or Units into which the Instruments may be converted in the event of rights, bonus or other capitalisation issues or any other events, the Manager is authorised to issue additional Instruments or Units pursuant to such adjustment notwithstanding that the authority conferred by this Resolution may have ceased to be in force at the time the Instruments or Units are issued; and
- (6) the Manager and the Trustee be and are hereby severally authorised to complete and do all such acts and things (including executing all such documents as may be required) as the Manager or, as the case may be, the Trustee may consider expedient or necessary or in the interest of EC World REIT to give effect to the authority conferred by this Resolution.

(Please see Explanatory Note)

**(Ordinary  
Resolution 2)**

By Order of the Board

EC World Asset Management Pte. Ltd.  
as Manager of EC World REIT  
(Company Registration No. 201523015N)

Josephine Toh  
Company Secretary

Singapore  
12 July 2024

## Explanatory Note:

The Ordinary Resolution 2 above, if passed, will empower the Manager from the date of this AGM until (i) the conclusion of the next AGM of the Unitholders of EC World REIT, or (ii) the date by which the next AGM of the Unitholders of EC World REIT is required by the applicable laws and regulations or the Trust Deed to be held, or (iii) such authority is varied or revoked by the Unitholders in a general meeting, whichever is the earliest, to issue Units, make or grant Instruments and to issue Units pursuant to such Instruments, up to a number not exceeding, in total, fifty per cent (50.0%) of the total number of issued Units (excluding treasury Units, if any), with a sub-limit of twenty per cent (20.0%) for issues other than on a *pro rata* basis to Unitholders.

For the purpose of determining the aggregate number of Units that may be issued, the percentage of issued Units will be calculated based on the total number of issued Units (excluding treasury Units, if any) at the time this Ordinary Resolution is passed, after adjusting for new Units arising from the conversion and any subsequent bonus issue, consolidation or subdivision of Units.

## Important Notice:

1. A Unitholder who is not a relevant intermediary (as defined in paragraph 2 below) and entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint one or two proxies to attend and vote in his/her/its stead. A proxy need not be a Unitholder. Where a Unitholder appoints more than one proxy, the appointments shall be invalid unless he/she/it specifies the proportion of his/her/its unitholding (expressed as a percentage of the whole) to be represented by each proxy.
2. A Unitholder who is a relevant intermediary and entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint more than two proxies to attend and vote instead of the Unitholder, but each proxy must be appointed to exercise the rights attached to a different Unit or Units held by such Unitholder. Where such Unitholder appoints more than one proxy, the appointments shall be invalid unless the Unitholder specifies the number of Units in relation to which each proxy has been appointed in the Proxy Form.

"Relevant intermediary" means:-

- (a) a banking corporation licensed under the Banking Act 1970 or a wholly-owned subsidiary of such a banking corporation, whose business includes the provision of nominee services and who holds Units in that capacity
  - (b) a person holding a capital markets services licence to provide custodial services for securities under the Securities and Futures Act 2001 and who holds Units in that capacity; or
  - (c) (if applicable) the Central Provident Fund Board ("**CPF Board**") established by the Central Provident Fund Act 1953, in respect of Units purchased under the subsidiary legislation made under that Act providing for the making of investments from the contributions and interest standing to the credit of members of the Central Provident Fund, if the CPF Board holds those Units in the capacity of an intermediary pursuant to or in accordance with that subsidiary legislation.
3. The AGM will be held in a wholly physical format at Begonia Junior Ballroom 3011-2 & 3111-2 Level 3, Marina Bay Sands Expo and Convention Centre, 10 Bayfront Avenue, Singapore 018956. **There will be no option for Unitholders to participate virtually.** Printed copies of this Notice of AGM will be sent to Unitholders. This Notice of AGM will also be made available on EC World REIT's website at the URL <https://ecwreit.listedcompany.com/agm2024.html> and on SGXNET at the URL <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements>.

## 4. Arrangements for conduct of the AGM

Arrangements relating to the conduct of the AGM, including:

- (a) attending the AGM in person;
- (b) submitting questions related to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM, in advance of the AGM or at the AGM itself; and/or
- (c) voting at the AGM by the Unitholder (a) in person or (b) by his/her/its duly appointed proxy(ies).

are set out in the Annual Report. Any reference to a time of day is made by reference to Singapore time. The Annual Report may be accessed at EC World REIT's website at the URL <https://ecwreit.listedcompany.com/ar.html>, and will also be made available on SGXNET at the URL <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements>.

Unitholders, including CPF and SRS investors, or, where applicable, their appointed proxy(ies) who will be attending the AGM in person should bring along their NRIC/passport so as to enable the verification of their identity on the day of the AGM.

## 5. Question and answer and AGM minutes

Unitholders, including CPF and SRS investors, or, where applicable, their appointed proxy(ies) will be able to submit questions related to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM to the Chairman of the AGM, at the AGM.

Unitholders, including CPF and SRS investors, may also submit questions related to the resolutions to be tabled for approval at the AGM, in advance of the AGM. To do so, all questions must be submitted in the following manner by **10.00 a.m. (Singapore time) on 22 July 2024**:

- (a) if submitted by post, be deposited at the office of the Unit Registrar, Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd., at 1 Harbourfront Avenue, #14-07 Keppel Bay Tower, Singapore 098632; or
- (b) if submitted electronically, via email to the Manager at [ir@ecwreit.com](mailto:ir@ecwreit.com).

Unitholders, including CPF and SRS investors, who submit questions by post to the Unit Registrar or via email to the Manager must provide the following information:

- i. the Unitholder's full name;
- ii. the Unitholder's address; and
- iii. the manner in which the Unitholder holds Units in EC World REIT (e.g., via CDP, CPF or SRS).

Unitholders are strongly encouraged to submit their questions via email.

The Manager will endeavour to address all substantial and relevant questions received by it in the manner set out above, prior to or during the AGM. The Manager will publish the responses to such substantial and relevant questions which the Manager is unable to address during the AGM, on EC World REIT's website and on SGXNET. Where substantially similar questions are received, the Manager will consolidate such questions and consequently not all questions may be individually addressed.

The Manager will publish the minutes of the AGM on EC World REIT's website and on SGXNET within one month from the date of the AGM, and the minutes will include the responses to the substantial and relevant questions received from Unitholders which are addressed during the AGM.

#### 6. Voting, or appointing proxy(ies) to vote, at the AGM

A Unitholder who wishes to exercise his/her/its voting rights at the AGM may: (a) vote at the AGM in person or (b) appoint proxy(ies) to vote on his/her/its behalf at the AGM.

A Unitholder who wishes to submit an instrument appointing proxy(ies) must complete the accompanying proxy form ("**Proxy Form**"), before submitting it in the manner set out below. Printed copies of the Proxy Form will be sent to Unitholders. The Proxy Form may also be accessed at EC World REIT's website at the URL <https://ecwreit.listedcompany.com/agma2024.html>, and will also be made available on SGXNET at the URL <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements>.

Where a Unitholder appoints proxy(ies), he/she/it may give specific instructions as to voting, or abstentions from voting, in respect of the resolution in the Proxy Form, failing which the proxy(ies) will vote or abstain from voting at his/her/their discretion, as he/she/they may on any other matter arising at the AGM.

#### 7. The Proxy Form must be submitted to the Manager c/o EC World REIT's Unit Registrar, Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd., in the following manner:

- (a) if submitted by post, by completing and signing the Proxy Form, and lodging the same at the Unit Registrar's office at Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd., 1 Harbourfront Avenue, #14-07 Keppel Bay Tower, Singapore 098632; or
- (b) if submitted electronically, by completing and signing the Proxy Form, and attaching and sending a clear PDF copy of the same via email to the Unit Registrar at [srs.proxy@boardroomlimited.com](mailto:srs.proxy@boardroomlimited.com).

in either case, by **10.00 a.m. (Singapore time) on 26 July 2024**, being 72 hours before the time fixed for holding the AGM.

#### 8. Relevant intermediaries

Persons who hold Units through relevant intermediaries, other than CPF and SRS investors, and who wish to participate in the AGM should contact the relevant intermediary through which they hold such Units as soon as possible. Persons who hold Units through relevant intermediaries, other than CPF and SRS investors, may (i) vote at the AGM if they are appointed as proxies by their respective relevant intermediaries; or (ii) specify their voting instructions to/arrange for their votes to be submitted with their respective relevant intermediaries, and should contact their respective relevant intermediaries as soon as possible in order for the necessary arrangements to be made.

In addition, CPF and SRS investors may (a) vote at the AGM if they are appointed as proxies by their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators, and should contact their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators if they have any queries regarding their appointment as proxies; or (b) specify their voting instructions to/arrange for their votes to be submitted with their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators, and should approach their respective CPF Agent Banks or SRS Operators by **10.00 a.m. (Singapore time) on 17 July 2024**, being at least seven working days before the date of the AGM, to ensure their votes are submitted.

9. The Annual Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 has been uploaded on SGXNET on 12 July 2024 at the URL <https://www.sgx.com/securities/company-announcements> and may be accessed at EC World REIT's website at the URL <https://ecwreit.listedcompany.com/ar.html>. Printed copies of the Annual Report will not be sent to Unitholders unless requested for by a Unitholder completing and returning the Request Form accompanying this Notice of AGM and the Proxy Form in the following manner:

- (a) by completing and returning the Request Form to the Manager c/o the Unit Registrar, Boardroom Corporate & Advisory Services Pte. Ltd., at 1 Harbourfront Avenue, #14-07 Keppel Bay Tower, Singapore 098632; or
- (b) by completing and signing the Request Form, and attaching and sending a clear PDF copy of the same via email to the Manager c/o the Unit Registrar at [srs.requestform@boardroomlimited.com](mailto:srs.requestform@boardroomlimited.com),

which should reach the Unit Registrar by **10.00 a.m. (Singapore time) on 22 July 2024**.

A printed copy of the Annual Report will then be sent to the address specified by the Unitholder at his/her/its own risk.

#### **Personal Data Privacy:**

By either (a) attending the AGM or (b) submitting an instrument appointing proxy(ies) to attend, speak and vote at the AGM and/or any adjournment thereof; and/or (c) submitting any question in advance of, or at, the AGM, a Unitholder:

- (i) consents to the collection, use and disclosure of the Unitholder's personal data by EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers) for the following purposes:
  - (1) the processing, administration and analysis by EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers) of instruments appointing proxy(ies) for the AGM (including any adjournment thereof);
  - (2) the addressing of questions received from Unitholders at the AGM and, if necessary, the following up with the relevant Unitholders in relation to such questions;
  - (3) the preparation and compilation of the attendance lists, proxy lists, minutes and other documents relating to the AGM (including any adjournment thereof); and
  - (4) in order for EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers) to comply with any applicable laws, listing rules, take-over rules, regulations and/or guidelines,(collectively, the "**Purposes**");
- (ii) warrants that where the Unitholder discloses the personal data of the Unitholder's proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) to EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers), the Unitholder has obtained the prior consent of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the collection, use and disclosure by EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers) of the personal data of such proxy(ies) and/or representative(s) for the Purposes;
- (iii) agrees to provide the Manager and the Trustee with written evidence of such prior consent upon reasonable request;
- (iv) agrees that the Unitholder will indemnify EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee in respect of any penalties, liabilities, claims, demands, losses and damages as a result of the Unitholder's breach of warranty;
- (v) agrees and consents to such photographic, sound and/or video recordings of the AGM as may be made by EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers) for record keeping and to ensure the accuracy of the minutes prepared of the AGM. Accordingly, the personal data of the Unitholder (such as his/her name, his/her presence at the AGM and any questions he/she may raise or motions he/she may propose/second) may be recorded by EC World REIT, the Manager and the Trustee (or their respective agents or service providers) for such purpose.