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(Constituted in the Republic of Singapore  
pursuant to a trust deed dated 9 October 2002 (as amended))

**FINAL RESULTS OF THE S\$1,310 MILLION RIGHTS ISSUE**

*Unless otherwise defined, all terms and references used herein shall bear the same meaning ascribed to them in the offer information statement dated 1 November 2019 issued in connection with the Rights Issue (the “**Offer Information Statement**”).*

**1. RESULTS OF THE RIGHTS ISSUE**

**1.1 Level of Subscription**

Ascendas Funds Management (S) Limited, in its capacity as the manager (the “**Manager**”), of Ascendas Real Estate Investment Trust (“**Ascendas Reit**”), wishes to announce that valid acceptances and excess applications for a total of 679,086,589 Rights Units, representing approximately 136.4% of the total number of Rights Units available under the Rights Issue of 498,040,904 Rights Units, were received as at the close of the Rights Issue on 28 November 2019.

The valid acceptances received include the acceptances by CapitaLand Singapore (BP&C) Pte. Ltd. and Ascendas Funds Management (S) Limited (in its own capacity) of their aggregate *pro rata* entitlements, collectively representing 19.0% of the total number of Rights Units under the Rights Issue.

Details of the valid acceptances and excess applications received are as follows:

	<b>Number of Rights Units</b>	<b>% of Rights Issue</b>
Valid acceptances	478,072,009	96.0%
Excess applications	201,014,580	40.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>679,086,589</b>	<b>136.4%</b>

## **1.2 Allotment of Rights Units for Excess Rights Units Applications**

The balance of 19,968,895 Rights Units which were not validly accepted will be allotted to satisfy excess applications. In such allotment, preference will be given to the rounding of odd lots (if any) followed by allotment to Unitholders who are neither Directors<sup>1</sup> nor Substantial Unitholders<sup>2</sup>.

Directors and Substantial Unitholders who have control or influence over Ascendas Reit or the Manager in connection with the day-to-day affairs of Ascendas Reit or the terms of the Rights Issue, or have representation (direct or through a nominee) on the board of Directors, will rank last in priority for the rounding of odd lots and allotment of Excess Rights Units.

## **2. ALLOTMENT OF RIGHTS UNITS**

### **2.1 Allotment**

Successful subscribers of the Rights Units with securities accounts with CDP ("**Securities Accounts**"), including those who have elected to receive their Rights Units in their respective Securities Accounts, will receive via ordinary post, at their own risk, within 10 Market Days<sup>3</sup> after closing, at their mailing addresses in Singapore as maintained with CDP, a notification letter from CDP stating the number of Rights Units that have been credited to their respective Securities Accounts.

### **2.2 Refunds**

When any acceptance of Rights Entitlements and/or Excess Rights Units application is invalid or unsuccessful, the amount paid on acceptance and/or application will be returned or refunded to such applicants without interest or any share of revenue or other benefit arising therefrom within three business days after commencement of trading of the Rights Units, by any one or a combination of the following:

- (i) where the acceptance and/or application had been made through CDP, by means of a crossed cheque drawn on a bank in Singapore and sent by ordinary post at their own risk to their mailing address as maintained with CDP or in such other manner as they have agreed with CDP for the payment of any cash distributions; and

<sup>1</sup> "**Directors**" refers to the directors of the Manager.

<sup>2</sup> "**Substantial Unitholders**" refers to Unitholders with interests in not less than 5.0% of all Units in issue.

<sup>3</sup> "**Market Day**" refers to any day (other than a Saturday, Sunday or gazetted public holiday) on which banks are open for business in Singapore and the SGX-ST is open for trading.

- (ii) where the acceptance and/or application had been made through Electronic Applications, by crediting their bank accounts with the relevant Participating Bank<sup>4</sup> at their own risk, the receipt by such bank being a good discharge of the Manager's and CDP's obligations.

### **2.3 The Rights Entitlements of Ineligible Unitholders**

A total of 546,994 Rights Units, which would otherwise have been provisionally allotted to Unitholders other than Eligible Unitholders ("**Ineligible Unitholders**"), were sold "nil-paid" on the SGX-ST.

The net proceeds from such sales of the Rights Entitlements, which would otherwise have been allotted to Ineligible Unitholders, after deducting all expenses therefrom, will be pooled and thereafter distributed to Ineligible Unitholders in proportion to their respective unitholdings held as at 5.00 p.m. on 11 November 2019, being the Rights Issue Books Closure Date, and sent to them at their own risk by ordinary post, without interest or any share of revenue or other benefit arising therefrom, provided that where the amount of net proceeds to be distributed to any single Ineligible Unitholder is less than S\$10.00, the Manager shall be entitled to retain or deal with such net proceeds as the Manager may, in its absolute discretion, deem fit for the sole benefit of Ascendas Reit and no Ineligible Unitholder shall have any claim whatsoever against the Manager, the Trustee<sup>5</sup>, the Joint Lead Managers or Underwriters<sup>6</sup> or CDP in connection herewith.

## **3. ISSUE AND LISTING OF RIGHTS UNITS**

### **3.1 Listing and Quotation**

The Manager further expects that the Rights Units will be listed and quoted on the Main Board of the SGX-ST with effect from **9.00 a.m. on 6 December 2019**.

The Rights Units will, upon allotment and issue, rank *pari passu* in all respects with the existing Units in issue as at the date of issue of the Rights Units, including the right to any distributions which may accrue for the period from 1 October 2019 to 31 December 2019, as well as all distributions thereafter.

### **3.2 Trading of Odd Lots**

For the purposes of trading on the SGX-ST, each board lot of Units will comprise 100 Units. There will be no temporary counter established for Unitholders and investors to trade Units in board lots other than board lots of 100 Units.

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4 "**Participating Banks**" refers to DBS Bank Ltd. (including POSB), Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation Limited or United Overseas Bank Limited.

5 "**Trustee**" refers to HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Singapore) Limited, in its capacity as trustee of Ascendas Reit.

6 "**Joint Lead Managers and Underwriters**" refers to DBS Bank Ltd. and J.P. Morgan (S.E.A.) Limited.

Eligible Unitholders who hold odd lots of Units (that is, lots other than board lots of 100 Units) and who wish to trade in odd lots are able to trade odd lots of Units on the SGX-ST's Unit Share Market<sup>7</sup>.

The Manager wishes to take this opportunity to thank Unitholders for their support in ensuring the successful completion of the Rights Issue.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

**ASCENDAS FUNDS MANAGEMENT (S) LIMITED**

(Company Registration No. 200201987K)

(as manager of Ascendas Real Estate Investment Trust)

Mary Judith de Souza

Company Secretary

2 December 2019

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Any offering of Rights Units will be made in and accompanied by the Offer Information Statement. A potential investor should read the Offer Information Statement before deciding whether to subscribe for Rights Units under the Rights Issue. The Offer Information Statement may be accessed online at the website of the MAS. The MAS assumes no responsibility for the contents of the Offer Information Statement. The availability of the Offer Information Statement on the MAS website does not imply that the Securities and Futures Act, Chapter 289 of Singapore, or any other legal or regulatory requirements, have been complied with. The MAS has not, in any way, considered the investment merits of Ascendas Reit. This announcement is qualified in its entirety by, and should be read in conjunction with the full text of the Offer Information Statement when it is lodged with the MAS.

The value of the Units and the income derived from them may fall as well as rise. Units are not obligations of, deposits in, or guaranteed by, the Manager, HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Singapore) Limited, in its capacity as trustee of Ascendas Reit, CapitaLand Singapore (BP&C) Pte. Ltd. (formerly known as "Ascendas Land (Singapore) Pte Ltd"), as the sponsor of Ascendas Reit, or any of their respective affiliates.

An investment in the Units is subject to investment risks, including the possible loss of the principal amount invested. Unitholders have no right to request that the Manager redeem or purchase their Units while the Units are listed. It is intended that Unitholders may only deal in their Units through trading on SGX-ST. Listing of the Units on the SGX-ST does not guarantee a liquid market for the

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<sup>7</sup> "Unit Share Market" refers to the ready market of the SGX-ST for trading of odd lots of Units with a minimum size of one Unit.

Units. The past performance of Ascendas Reit is not necessarily indicative of the future performance of Ascendas Reit.

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