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

## RECEIPT OF APPROVAL IN-PRINCIPLE FOR LISTING AND QUOTATION OF UP TO 202,430,000 NEW UNITS IN CAPITALAND ASCENDAS REIT ("CLAR") PURSUANT TO THE PRIVATE PLACEMENT

Capitalised terms used herein, unless otherwise defined, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the announcement of CLAR dated 29 May 2025 in relation to the close of the private placement (the "**Close of Placement Announcement**").

Further to the Close of Placement Announcement in relation to the placement of 202,430,000 new units (the "**New Units**") in CLAR at an issue price of S\$2.470 per New Unit (the "**Private Placement**"), CapitaLand Ascendas REIT Management Limited, in its capacity as manager of CLAR (the "**Manager**"), is pleased to announce that approval in-principle has been obtained on 2 June 2025 from Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "**SGX-ST**") for the listing of and quotation on the Main Board of the SGX-ST of up to 202,430,000 New Units which are proposed to be issued pursuant to the Private Placement.

The SGX-ST's approval in-principle is not to be taken as an indication of the merits of the Private Placement, the New Units, CLAR and/or its subsidiaries.

In respect of the Private Placement, the SGX-ST's approval in-principle is subject to:

- (i) compliance with the SGX-ST's listing requirements;
- (ii) a written undertaking from the Manager that it will comply with Rule 704(30) and Rule 1207(20) of the listing manual of the SGX-ST (the "Listing Manual") in relation to the use of proceeds from the Private Placement and where proceeds are to be used for working capital purposes, the Manager will disclose a breakdown with specific details on the use of proceeds for working capital in CLAR's announcements on use of proceeds and in its annual report;
- (iii) a written undertaking from the Manager that it will comply with Rule 803 of the Listing Manual;
- (iv) a written undertaking from Citigroup Global Markets Singapore Pte. Ltd. and DBS Bank Ltd., as joint global co-ordinators for the Private Placement (the "Joint Global Co-ordinators") and United Overseas Bank Limited (together with the Joint Global Co-ordinators, the "Joint

**Bookrunners and Underwriters**") that they will ensure that the Manager will comply with Rule 803 of the Listing Manual;

- (v) a written confirmation from the Manager that it will not issue the New Units to persons prohibited under Rule 812(1) of the Listing Manual; and
- (vi) a written confirmation from the Joint Bookrunners and Underwriters that the New Units will not be placed out to persons prohibited under Rule 812(1) of the Listing Manual.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD **CAPITALAND ASCENDAS REIT MANAGEMENT LIMITED** (Company Registration No. 200201987K) (as manager of CapitaLand Ascendas REIT)

Hon Wei Seng Company Secretary 3 June 2025

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No recognition or approval of the Securities Commission Malaysia has been applied for or will be obtained for the placement of the New Units under the Malaysian Capital Markets and Services Act 2007 and any other applicable guidelines issued by the Securities Commission Malaysia. Neither has a prospectus or any offering document been nor will be registered with the Securities Commission Malaysia in connection with the Private Placement. Accordingly, this announcement or any amendment or supplement hereto or any other offering documents relating to the Private Placement must not be circulated or distributed in Malaysia, directly or indirectly, nor will the New Units be offered or sold, or be made the subject of an invitation for subscription or purchase, whether directly or indirectly, to anyone in Malaysia. Any other reproduction or distribution of this announcement or any other offering documents relating to the Private Placement in Malaysia, in whole or in part, or the disclosure of their contents in Malaysia is prohibited.

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The value of Units and the income derived from them, if any, may fall as well as rise. Units are not obligations of, deposits in, or guaranteed by, the Manager or any of its affiliates. An investment in Units is subject to investment risks, including the possible loss of the principal amount invested.

Investors should note that they will have no right to request the Manager to redeem or purchase their Units for so long as the Units are listed on the SGX-ST. It is intended that Unitholders may only deal in their Units through trading on the SGX-ST. Listing of the Units on the SGX-ST does not guarantee a liquid market for the Units.

The past performance of CLAR is not necessarily indicative of the future performance of CLAR.

All figures in this announcement unless expressed differently or otherwise stated are rounded off to one decimal place.

This publication has not been reviewed by the Monetary Authority of Singapore.

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