

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

## A-REIT completes acquisition of two properties for S\$78.0 million

- Ascendas-MGM Funds Management Limited (the "Manager"), the manager of Ascendas Real Estate Investment Trust ("A-REIT") is pleased to announce the completion of the acquisition of two properties: Sembawang Kimtrans Logistics Centre and Logistics 21 (together, the "Properties") for S\$78.0 million, funded by bank debt.
- 2. HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Singapore) Limited as trustee of A-REIT (the "Trustee"), has today exercised the call option under the respective put and call option agreements (the "Option Agreements") entered into with Sembawang Kimtrans Limited ("SKL") and Logistics 21 Pte Ltd (the "Vendors") on 23 March 2006.
- Pursuant to the exercise of the respective call options under the Option Agreements, the Trustee and Vendors have entered into the sale and purchase agreements for the Properties and completed the sale and purchases today.
- 4. Sembawang Kimtrans Logistics Centre is located at 30 Old Toh Tuck Road and is accessible via the Ayer Rajah Expressway and Pan Island Expressway. The property comprises a four-storey ramp-up warehouse with ancillary office, a rooftop carpark and a container depot. SKL will lease back the entire property for 8 years with stepped rental increases.
- 5. Logistics 21 is located at 21 Jalan Buroh and is accessible via the West Coast Highway and the Ayer Rajah Expressway. The property comprises a three-storey ramp-up warehouse with ancillary office, a rooftop carpark and a container depot. Logistics 21 Pte Ltd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of SKL, will lease back the entire property for 8 years with stepped rental increases.

6. A-REIT currently has a portfolio of 66 properties worth S\$2.8 billon and has announced three other proposed acquisitions: LabOne Building which is expected to be completed by August 2006 and two development projects – separate warehouse retail facilities for Courts (Singapore) Limited and Cold Storage Singapore (1983) Pte Ltd which are expected to be completed by November 2006 and March 2007, respectively.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD ASCENDAS-MGM FUNDS MANAGEMENT LIMITED (Company Registration No. 200201987K) as manager of Ascendas Real Estate Investment Trust

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