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## Morningstar Moderate Real Return Fund Product Disclosure Statement

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## Morningstar Moderate Real Return Fund Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) | 29 September 2017

#### **Important Notes**

This PDS is a summary of the significant information you need to make a decision about the Morningstar Moderate Real Return Fund ARSN 092 232 589 ('Fund'). It highlights references to important information that is included in the 'Additional Information Document' which forms part of this PDS (together, the 'Disclosure Documents'). You should read the Disclosure Documents before making a decision to invest in the Fund.

The information provided in this PDS is general information only and does not take into account your personal investment objectives, financial situation or particular needs. It is recommended you seek professional financial advice tailored to your personal circumstances before making a decision.

You can access the Disclosure Documents for the Morningstar Investment Funds in the 'How to Invest' section of our website <u>www.morningstarinvestments.com.au</u> or by calling Morningstar on +61 2 9276 4550.

This PDS and the offer of units in the Fund are only available to Australian resident investors receiving this PDS (including electronically) in Australia and to New Zealand residents who are wholesale investors where permitted by Australian and New Zealand law. Other applications from outside Australia will not be accepted.

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### 1. About Morningstar Investment Management Australia Limited

Morningstar Investment Management Australia Limited (ABN 54 071 808 501; AFSL 228986) ('Morningstar' or 'Responsible Entity') is the Responsible Entity of the Fund and the issuer of units in the Fund. Morningstar's obligations are governed by the Fund's constitution ('Constitution'), the *Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)* ('Corporations Act') and general trust law. Morningstar is responsible for the operation of the Fund.

Morningstar is a leading provider of asset allocation, portfolio construction and investment research services with over 35 years' experience in the United States, Australia and other international markets. Morningstar advises and manages funds for superannuation funds, institutions, platform distributors, financial advisers and individuals.

Morningstar's disciplined investment approach delivers objective, cost effective and holistic solutions for our clients – helping them reach their financial goals. This long-term, valuation driven approach is underpinned by an emphasis on preserving capital and undertaking comprehensive fundamental analysis of global asset classes and securities.

## 2. How the Morningstar Moderate Real Return Fund Works

The Fund is a managed investment scheme registered with the Australian Securities & Investments Commission ('ASIC'), which is subject to the Corporations Act and other applicable law. The legal structure of the Fund is a unit trust governed by its Constitution. An investor's interest in the Fund is represented by their holding of units in the Fund. Investors do not own a direct share of the underlying assets of the Fund.

When you invest in the Fund, your money will be pooled with that of other investors. This pool is used to buy assets and they are managed on behalf of all investors according to the Fund's investment objective and investment strategy. By investing in the Fund, you have access to certain investments that you may not otherwise be able to access on your own. You also access Morningstar's disciplined investment process. Refer to Section 5 for the Fund's investment profile.

The total value of the assets in the Fund is divided into 'units' and a 'unit price' is generally calculated for each Business Day. The unit price will generally change daily, as the market value of assets in the Fund rise or fall.

#### Making an Initial Investment

Investors can make an initial investment in the Fund by completing the application form and submitting it in accordance with the instructions contained in the application form. An application form can be found in the 'How to Invest' section of our website

#### www.morningstarinvestments.com.au.

You can also invest using the managed funds settlement service operated by the ASX ('mFund'). Further information on mFund can be found in 'How to Apply' on page 7.

When you invest in the Fund, units are issued to you, subject to your application monies being received and you completing all identification documentation required under Australian anti-money laundering and counter-terrorism requirements. The number of units allocated to you is based on the amount invested divided by the entry price for the applicable Business Day. Refer to Section 8 on how to apply.

Entry prices are usually higher than exit prices due to the 'buy/sell spread'. The difference between the entry price and exit price of unit is called the 'buy/sell spread'. This covers Morningstar's reasonable estimate of the transaction costs of buying or selling investments when you apply for, switch or redeem units form the Fund.

The minimum initial investment in the Fund is \$20,000, but this amount may be waived or varied upon application.

Morningstar reserves the right to decline any application that is submitted without the need to give reasons.

You can increase your investment by acquiring additional units or decrease your investment by redeeming units in the Fund.

#### **Making Additional Investments**

The minimum additional investment is \$5,000 but this amount may be waived or varied upon application. Refer to Section 8 for how to apply for additional investments in the Fund.

#### **Making a Redemption**

You may apply to redeem any or all of your units on any Business Day. The minimum amount that may be redeemed from the Fund is \$5,000 or the balance of your investment in the Fund if the redemption request results in a balance of less than \$5,000. Morningstar has discretion to waive or vary the minimum redemption amount prior to redemption.

To redeem, you must complete a redemption form and submit it to the contact details as set out in the redemption form (please use the contact details shown on the last page of the PDS for a copy of a redemption form if required). If you are using mFund, you can withdraw units in the Fund in a similar way as you sell listed shares. Further information on mFund can be found on page 7.

The number of units redeemed is based on the amount redeemed divided by the exit price.

Under its Constitution, if the Fund is liquid, redemptions are to be paid within 30 days from receipt of a redemption request. However, Morningstar will endeavour to pay redemption requests as soon as possible. Normally, redemption proceeds will be paid within 6 Business Days following receipt of your request.

If the Fund is not liquid (as defined in the Corporations Act), you may only redeem from the Fund in accordance with the terms of a redemption offer made by Morningstar.

Redemption of units could make you liable for tax on any gain. Morningstar recommends you seek professional tax advice before you redeem units.

#### **Switching Between Funds**

You may switch your investment to another Morningstar fund subject to the redemption terms. The amount you switch must meet both the minimum redemption and switching investment amounts. As at the date of this PDS, these investment amounts are \$5,000, but this amount may be waived or varied.

To request a switch, you must complete and return both an additional investment application form and a redemption form.

When you request a switch, the units of the fund you switch out of are redeemed at the exit price and the units of the fund you switch into are issued at the entry price at the time of the redemption. As such, the buy/sell spreads of both funds will apply and the value of your investment may change.

#### Distributions

Distributions may include interest, dividends (including imputation credits, if any), rent, profits and net realised capital gains from the sale of assets.

Distributions will be made at least annually on 30 June, but are generally paid quarterly within 15 to 30 days after each 31 March, 30 June, 30 September and 31 December. The amount may vary at each distribution and the Fund may make no distribution for a quarter or the financial year. Capital gains are generally distributed annually at 30 June. You may choose to have your distributions paid directly to a nominated Australian bank, building society or credit union account.

Special distributions may be declared outside of these times where it is necessary to preserve equity between investors.

Your distributions will be reinvested if you have elected this on your application form. Any request for distribution reinvestment or cancellation of distribution reinvestment is effective if received and accepted by Morningstar in writing at least 7 days (or such other period as determined by Morningstar) before the end of the distribution period. The reinvestment unit price is the price calculated on the distribution date using that day's unit price, determined after making an allowance for income distribution. There would normally be no buy/sell spread associated with reinvestment because the assets remain invested in the Fund.

To calculate your distribution, the number of units you own on the relevant entitlement date is multiplied by the distribution cents per unit, as at the distribution date. This method for calculating distributions currently applies to this Fund and all classes of units in the Fund.

Unit prices may fall immediately after a distribution, reflecting the income that is paid out to you. If you invest just before a distribution, you may get some of your capital back as income. Conversely, if you redeem units just before a distribution, you may be converting what would otherwise be income into a capital gain or a reduced capital loss.

#### **Indirect Investors**

Morningstar authorises the use of this PDS as disclosure to persons who wish to access the Fund indirectly through an Investor Directed Portfolio Service (IDPS), IDPS-like scheme or a nominee or custody service (collectively referred to as an 'IDPS').

Persons who invest in the Fund through an IDPS will be subject to different conditions from those referred to in this PDS, particularly with regard to cut-off times for transacting, timing of distributions, cooling-off rights, applications, redemptions, Fund reporting and investor notices. Also, additional fees and costs to those disclosed in this PDS may be charged by your IDPS operator.

Indirect Investors should read the guide provided by the IDPS operator. If you are selecting the Fund through an IDPS, please refer to your IDPS operator or your financial adviser for information on how to invest in the Fund.

You should read the important information about 'Investment in and redeeming from the Fund' (including restrictions on withdrawals and information relevant to Indirect Investors) before making a decision. Go to Section 1 of the **'Additional Information Document'**. The material relating to investment in and redeeming from the Fund may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

### 3. Benefits of Investing in the Morningstar Moderate Real Return Fund

The significant benefits of investing in the Fund include:

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Experience and unparalleled resources. The Fund is managed by our Australian investment professionals comprising experienced portfolio managers, analysts and asset allocation specialists. They are supported by one of the largest research teams globally.

Focus on investor's real return objectives. The Fund is managed with an investment objective to grow an investor's savings above a clearly defined rate of inflation.

Maximising capital preservation.

Our risk management approach is designed to preserve capital in adverse markets by focusing on assets with higher reward for risk. By preferring undervalued assets, we aim to deliver more consistent returns with lower drawdown risk and preserve investors' savings.

► Valuation driven asset allocation.

Our asset allocation approach utilises our global valuation driven asset allocation framework which provides the flexibility to take advantage of investment opportunities as and when they arise.

## 4. Risks of Managed Investment Schemes

#### All investments carry risk.

It's important to understand that different investment strategies may carry different levels of risk, depending on the assets that make up the strategy.

Assets with the highest long-term returns may also carry the highest level of short-term risks (this is known as the 'Risk/Return Trade Off'), particularly if you exit your investment without considering the minimum suggested investment time frame. Investment returns are not guaranteed and future returns may differ from past returns. This means the value of your investment may vary, and you may lose some of the value of your investment.

In making an investment decision, it is important to understand the risks involved in the investment you are considering, your risk tolerance and investment time horizon. You should also consider how the investment relates to your financial goals and how it fits with other investments you may hold.

You should read all the information in this PDS carefully and seek appropriate professional advice before you make a decision.

The significant and specific risks of investing in the Fund include, but are not limited to:

#### Investment Markets

The risk of negative returns resulting from unfavourable investment market conditions.

#### **Foreign Currency**

The risk of losses related to investments exposed to foreign exchange rate movements. The Fund may use currency hedging to reduce the magnitude of this risk.

#### **Manager Risk**

The risk that external managers may fail to meet their obligations or provide sub-standard returns for the Fund.

#### **Asset Allocation**

Morningstar's Valuation Driven Asset Allocation approach does not guarantee positive investment performance.

#### **Counterparty or Default Risk**

The risk that a party Morningstar contracts with in relation to the Fund, fails to meet its contractual obligations, resulting in losses. Counterparties include brokers and foreign exchange dealers.

In addition, investing through an administration platform brings some risk that the operator of the administration platform may not perform its obligations properly.

#### **Changes in Laws**

The value of investments held by the Fund may be affected by changes to laws in Australia or overseas, such as taxation.

#### **Derivatives Risk**

The risk of losses arising from the use of derivative contracts. Further information can be found in Morningstar's Derivative Risk Statement which can be obtained free of charge by contacting Morningstar.

#### **Inflation Risk**

Inflation reduces the purchasing power of assets or income over time. Changes in inflation may impact the value of your investment in the Fund.

#### **Interest Rate Risk**

The risk of investment losses resulting from an increase in interest rates.

#### **Liquidity Risk**

The risk that investments may not be able to be converted into cash on a timely basis with little or no loss of capital. During extreme market volatility, Morningstar may choose to suspend redemptions and defer payments for a period of time to protect investors.

You should read the important information about 'Further risks' before making a decision. Go to Section 2 of the *'Additional Information Document'*. The material relating to further risks may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

### 5. How We Invest Your Money

You should consider the likely investment return, risk and your investment timeframe before choosing to invest in the Fund.

The Fund adopts a multi-asset investment strategy that can access the most attractively valued investment opportunities globally. The Fund's Valuation Driven Asset Allocation approach takes advantage of current investment opportunities.

The Fund aims to deliver a defined return above inflation ('real return') whilst focusing on capital preservation in potentially adverse market environments.

#### **Investment Profile**

#### Investment Objective<sup>1</sup>

Aims to earn a rate of return that exceeds Consumer Price Index increases by at least 1.0% pa over rolling 3 year periods.

#### **Investment Strategy**

An actively managed multi-asset Fund with a long term average exposure of around 30% to growth assets such as shares, property and infrastructure and around 70% exposure to defensive assets such as cash and fixed interest. The Fund will be invested dynamically across managed funds, direct securities, exchange traded funds, foreign exchange contracts and/or derivatives. The portfolio aims to deliver real returns whilst preserving capital over the targeted investment horizon.

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Minimum Suggested	3 years
Suggesteu Timeframe for	
Holding Investment	
Suitable Investor	The Fund is designed for
Profile	investors who seek the
	potential for a consistent
	income return and a
	modest amount of capital
	growth by investing in a
	diversified portfolio of
	defensive and growth
	asset classes, with an
	emphasis on defensive
	assets.
Risk Level/Profile <sup>2</sup>	Low to Medium
Inception Date	7/7/2000
Fund Net Asset	\$94.45 million
Value as at 31	
August 2017	
Distribution	Quarterly
Frequency	
APIR Code	INT0034AU
ARSN	092 232 589
Changes to the	The Fund's investment
Fund	return objective
	(including its benchmark),

asset classes, asset ranges and currency strategy (if any) can be changed, without prior notice in some cases. Investors will be informed of any material change to the Fund as required by law.

#### Notes

 The investment return objective is expressed before the deduction of Morningstar's management fee and any taxes payable by you. Refer to Section 6 for details on fees and costs and Section 7 for details on taxation.

The investment return objective is not intended to be a forecast; it is merely an indication of what the Fund aims to achieve over the investment time horizon. The Fund may not be successful in meeting its investment return objective and **returns are not guaranteed**.

 'Low to Medium' risk profile means that the Fund is not expected to have frequent periods of negative and/or volatile returns, although you may experience negative returns in certain market conditions.

#### **Ethical Statement**

Morningstar does not explicitly take into account labour standards or environmental, social or ethical considerations when making investment decisions for the Fund or when selecting or monitoring underlying managers. Selected underlying managers are also not required to take any such considerations into account when making their investment decisions.

You should read the important information about 'How we invest your money' before making a decision. Go to Section 3 of the *'Additional Information Document'*. The material relating to how we invest your money may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

Asset Allocation <sup>3,4,5</sup>	
Sectors	Ranges (%)
Australian Shares	0–30
International Shares <sup>6</sup>	0–30
Global Property & Infrastructure <sup>7</sup>	0–25
Alternative Investments	0–25
Australian Bonds <sup>8</sup>	0–50
International Bonds (Hedged) <sup>8</sup>	0–50
Cash	0–70

<sup>3.</sup> The ranges may be changed without prior notice but Morningstar will notify affected investors as soon as practicable and within 30 days of making any such material adjustments. For the most recent asset allocations, please refer to our website <u>www.morningstarinvestments.com.au</u>.

- 4. The Fund may invest through other Morningstar funds to obtain its desired asset allocation. Where the Fund invests in another fund managed by Morningstar, the management fee will only be charged once on the invested amount.
- 5. Morningstar determines the level of currency exposure and hedging to adopt for each Fund. Currency hedging aims to reduce the impact of movements in the value of the Australian dollar against other currencies. For information associated with the risk of currency, please refer to 'Foreign Currency' on page 4.
- 6. The asset class 'International Shares' is actively hedged for currency exposure.
- 7. 'Global Property Securities' and Global Infrastructure' have been combined to form a consolidated asset class 'Global Property & Infrastructure'.
- 8. 'Global Inflation-Linked Securities (Hedged)' have been incorporated into 'Australian Bonds' and 'International Bonds (Hedged)'.

#### 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 account 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 contribution fees and management costs where applicable. 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)** website (<u>www.moneysmart.gov.au</u>) has a managed funds fee calculator to help you check out different fee options.

The information in the fee tables below can be used to compare costs between different managed investment schemes. To calculate the effect of fees and costs on account balances use the calculator on the ASIC 'Moneysmart' website at <u>www.moneysmart.gov.au</u>. Fees and costs are deducted from the assets of the Fund and reduce investment return to investors.

Type of Fee or Cost		Amount	How and when paid	
Fees When Your Money Moves In or Out of the Fund				
<b>Establishment fee</b> <i>The fee to open your investment.</i>		Nil	Not Applicable	
<b>Contribution fee</b> The fee on each amount contributed to your investment.		Nil	Not Applicable	
Withdrawal fee The fee on each amount you take out of your investment.		Nil	Not Applicable	
<b>Termination fee</b> <i>The fee to close your investment.</i>		Nil	Not Applicable	
Management Costs				
The fees and costs for managing your investment	Direct costs	<b>Management</b> fee 0.57% p.a.	The fee paid to Morningstar to manage the Fund. The fee is accrued daily in the unit price and paid monthly by deducting the required amount from the assets of the Fund.	
	Indirect costs	Estimated performance- related fee <sup>9</sup> 0.12% p.a.	This Fund has exposure to investments which charge performance-related fees. Performance-related fees are paid out of the Fund's assets when specific investment performance targets are met and are not paid directly by you. For more information on performance-related fees, please refer to page 6.	

C	Other	
e	estimated	This Fund incurs other indirect costs. Indirect costs are payable
i	ndirect costs <sup>9</sup>	from the Fund's assets, rather than directly by you.
0	).25% p.a.	

9. The estimated indirect costs shown represent our reasonable estimate of management costs you will incur in the future.

#### **Example of Annual Fees and Costs**

This table gives an example of how the fees and costs for the Fund can affect your investment over a one-year period. You should use this table to compare this product with other managed investment products.

Example – Morningstar Moderate Real Return Fund balance of \$50,000 with a contribution of \$5,000 during the year <sup>10</sup>			
Contribution fee	Nil	For every additional \$5,000 you put in, you will be charged \$0 as a contribution fee.	
PLUS Management costs <sup>11</sup>	0.94% p.a.	And, for every \$50,000 you have in the Fund you will be charged \$470 each year.	
EQUALS Cost of Fund		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 of:	
		\$470.00 p.a. <sup>12, 13</sup>	
		What it costs you will depend on the fees you negotiate.	

If you have consulted a financial adviser, additional fees such as an Investment Advice Fee and/or an Ongoing Advice Fee may be payable to that financial adviser. Please refer to the Statement of Advice provided by your financial adviser. In addition, you should read the information about 'Payments to your financial adviser' in Section 4 of the 'Additional Information Document'.

- 10. The example is based on an investment balance of \$50,000 which includes a contribution of \$5,000 during the year meaning your \$50,000 balance doesn't include the \$5,000 contribution.
- 11. Management costs of 0.94% p.a. include direct management fees of 0.57% p.a., as well as other management costs comprising performance-related fees of 0.12% p.a. and indirect costs of 0.25% p.a. for the financial year ended 30 June 2017. Management costs are charged on the net asset value of your investment. Management costs are net of GST and RITCs and rounded to two decimal places, but in practice the rates are calculated and applied at more than two decimal places. Refer to 'Management Costs' in the section 'Additional Explanation of Fees and Costs' for a more detailed description of how management fees, performance-related fees and expenses are calculated.
- 12. The example assumes that your average balance is \$50,000 throughout the year (i.e. no management costs are applied to the additional \$5,000 contribution and the Fund's unit price does not change) and fees are not individually negotiated. The example does not include the effect of any transaction costs (including buy/sell spreads) or abnormal expenses which may be incurred by the Fund.
- 13. A buy spread of 0.10% (as at the issue date of this PDS), equal to \$5.00 on a \$5,000 contribution, will also apply (see 'Buy/Sell Spreads' for more information).

#### **Additional Explanation of Fees and Costs**

#### **Change of Cost**

Morningstar has the right to change the amount of its management fees without investors' consent within the limits set out in the Fund's Constitution. Any increase to the amount of management fees will not take effect until 30 days' notice to investors has been given.

#### **Management Costs**

Management costs are the fees and costs for managing your investment and include all direct and indirect costs for managing the Fund. If the Fund invests in another fund managed by Morningstar, the management fee will only be charged once on the invested amount.

#### **Performance-Related Fees**

The constitution of the Fund does not permit the Responsible Entity to directly charge a performance fee, however this Fund does have exposure to underlying investments which may charge performance-related fees. These fees are payable out of the Fund's assets if the relevant investment managers meet specific investment performance targets.

Performance-related fees are structured so that an investment manager's remuneration is linked to the investment return achieved over an appropriate benchmark index. Performance-related fees are an additional cost of investing to you and are not a fee paid to Mor to Morningstar.

#### **Other Indirect Costs**

Indirect costs include expense recoveries and other costs incurred directly in underlying funds. These costs are payable from the Fund's assets.

#### **Transactional and Operational Costs**

In addition to management costs, there are transactional and operational costs incurred in managing the Fund. These costs arise whenever the Fund buys or sells assets to meet applications, redemptions or to generally manage the Fund in line with the investment strategy. To protect investors from the costs generated by the transaction activity of other investors, a buy/sell spread is included in the application or redemption price of the Fund.

Transactional costs are either "explicit" or "implicit" in nature. "Explicit" costs are deducted from the assets of the Fund for a particular transaction, such as brokerage and custody settlement. "Implicit" costs can arise as a result of bid-offer differences being applied to assets traded by the Fund. These costs are factored into the individual asset value and reflected in the Fund's unit price. Transactional and operational costs are an additional cost of investing to you and are not a fee paid to Morningstar.

Further information about the Fund's actual transactional and operational costs is contained in Section 4 of the '**Additional Information Document**'.

#### **Buy/Sell Spreads**

The difference between the entry price and exit price of a unit is called the 'buy/sell spread'. This covers Morningstar's reasonable estimate of the transaction costs of buying or selling investments when you apply for, switch or redeem units from the Fund.

As at the issue of this PDS, the Fund's buy/sell spread is 0.10% upon entry (\$20 for each \$20,000 investment) and 0.10% upon exit (\$20 for each \$20,000 investment).

#### mFund Costs

If you access the Fund through mFund, your broker may charge you a fee to help you acquire or redeem units via mFund. You should consider your broker's Financial Services Guide. Refer to '8. How to Apply' below for further information.

#### **Differential Fees and Unit Pricing**

Morningstar may from time to time negotiate different fees (by way of a rebate or waiver of fees) with

investors who are wholesale clients (as the Corporations Act defines that term).

Morningstar's documented policy regarding the exercise of discretions regarding unit pricing; and records of any exercise of such discretions which are outside the scope of the policy, or inconsistent with the policy is available on request from Morningstar at no charge.

You should read the important information about 'Fees and costs' before making a decision. Go to Section 4 of the '*Additional Information Document*'. The material relating to fees and costs 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

Investing in a registered managed investment scheme is likely to have tax consequences.

## Investors are strongly advised to seek professional taxation advice.

The Fund does not pay tax on behalf of investors. As an investor, you will be assessed for tax on the income and capital gains attributed to you or on your share of income and capital gains generated by the Fund.

Tax laws, and the interpretation and administration of them, change over time.

You should read the important information about 'Additional information about tax' before making a decision. Go to Section 5 of the **'Additional Information Document**'. The material relating to tax may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

### 8. How to Apply

This PDS and the offer of units in the Fund are available only to Australian resident investors receiving this PDS (including electronically) in Australia and to New Zealand residents who are wholesale investors where permitted by Australian and New Zealand law. Other applications from outside Australia will not be accepted.

Indirect Investors who are clients of an IDPS operator do not have a direct relationship with the Responsible Entity. Refer to the 'Indirect Investors' section on page 3.

You can invest directly in the Fund by completing the application form including anti-money laundering information and paying the application monies. The application form is found in the 'How to Invest' section of our website. The minimum initial investment in the Fund is \$20,000 and \$5,000 for additional investments, but these amounts may be waived or varied.

If you provide a correctly completed application form, including anti-money laundering information and cleared funds, prior to the cut-off time on a Business Day, you will generally pay the entry price calculated as at the close of business on that Business Day. For correctly completed application forms and cleared funds received after the cut-off time, you will generally

pay the entry price calculated as at the close of business on the next Business Day. Refer to the application form for details on cut-off times.

On request, Morningstar may agree special cut-off times (later than those specified in the application form) for investors who are 'wholesale clients' (as defined in the Corporations Act).

If your application monies are not received, either units will not be issued to you or any units which have been issued may be cancelled and you will be deemed not to be an investor. The amount owing, together with any costs and expenses incurred by the Fund as a result of non-receipt of the monies, will be treated as a debt owing to the Fund and units held by you may be redeemed in order to meet that debt.

No interest is received on application monies, including monies for additional investments, and no interest will be paid to you if for any reason (such as failure to complete the anti-money laundering requirements) your application does not progress.

#### mFund

The Fund has been admitted to mFund, the managed funds settlement service operated by the ASX. This provides a convenient way for investors to apply or redeem units in the Fund. mFund allows you to settle, or pay the application price and be paid the redemption price, based on the net asset value of the Fund. This is not the same as the Fund being listed (or quoted), where the market decides the price of the units. When transactions are settled through mFund, units are issued by us or redeemed by us. mFund does not facilitate onmarket buying and selling between investors. Your unit holding will be CHESS sponsored by your broker and identified through your individual Holder Identification Number (HIN).

See www.mfund.com.au for additional information.

#### **Cooling-off Period**

A cooling-off right does not apply to indirect investments so Indirect Investors should consult their IDPS operator in relation to any cooling-off rights that may apply. If a cooling-off period applies to you, and you decide that your investment in the Fund is not suitable, you can request in writing to have it cancelled during the 14-day cooling-off period. Your request must state that you are exercising your cooling-off right. The 14-day period commences on confirmation of your investment or 5 days after your units are issued, whichever is earlier. The amount refunded to you will reflect any change in unit prices, taxes, transaction costs (including buy/sell spreads) and administrative expenses incurred, and will not include interest. Accordingly, the amount refunded may be less than the amount you initially invested.

#### **Complaints**

Morningstar aims to provide you with quality ongoing service and has established procedures for dealing with complaints. If you are dissatisfied or have a complaint about your investment in the Fund, please contact our Compliance Manager in the first instance using

#### complaints@morningstarinvestments.com.au.

Your complaint will be acknowledged within 3 Business Days of receipt and Morningstar will make every effort to resolve your complaint within 21 days of receipt. In any event, we will finalise our response no later than 45 days after receipt.

If you are still not satisfied, you may refer the matter to the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS) of which Morningstar is a voluntary member. FOS is an independent dispute resolution body whose services are free to complainants. FOS can consider claims of up to maximum limits specified in the FOS Terms of Reference. These monetary limits and the FOS terms of reference may change from time to time. Morningstar is bound by the decisions made by FOS. Current details can be obtained from the FOS website listed below. The contact details for FOS are:

#### Financial Ombudsman Service

GPO Box 3 Melbourne VIC 3001 Tel: 1800 367 287 Fax: +61 3 9613 6399 Email: **info@fos.org.au** Web: <u>www.fos.org.au</u>

You should read the important information about 'How to apply' including information on Indirect Investors before making a decision. Go to Section 6 of the '*Additional Information Document*'. The material relating to 'How to apply' may change between the time when you read this PDS and the day when you acquire the product.

### 9. Additional Information

If you are printing an electronic copy of this PDS you must print all pages, including the Additional Information Document, application form accompanying the PDS and any additional documents (if applicable). If you make this PDS available to another person, you must give them the entire electronic file or print out, including the Additional Information Document, application form and any additional documents (if applicable). You can obtain a paper copy of this PDS (and any additional documents free of charge by contacting Morningstar.

The value of your investment may rise and fall, and at times your returns may be negative. Neither Morningstar nor any of its related companies, directors, officers, service providers or the underlying managers appointed for the Fund guarantee that your investment will appreciate in value or retain its value, guarantee the repayment of capital or guarantee the performance of the Fund. Investments in the Fund are subject to investment risk, including possible delays in repayment (such as a delay in receiving funds from a redemption of an underlying investment) and loss of income or loss of capital invested.

Custody is the safekeeping of assets. A custodian has been appointed to hold and maintain certain Fund assets as agent of the Responsible Entity. Any Fund assets not held by the custodian are held directly by the Responsible Entity. A custodian is the legal owner of assets, but not the beneficial owner. Custodians do not decide which assets are bought or sold. They simply hold them securely for their beneficial owners and deal with them as directed by the beneficial owner.

Services provided by the custodian (as agent of the Responsible Entity) include core custodial services of trade and transaction settlement, corporate action event reporting and administration, reconciliations, and proxy voting services. Other custodial services include record keeping and reporting, income and distribution processing, cash management and tax reclamations. Investment administration services are also provided by Morningstar's custodian like valuing Fund assets, calculating unit prices and distribution amounts, performance reporting, and unit registry. The custodian manages a securities lending program in relation to the Fund assets. Morningstar may change the custodian.

Unless stated otherwise, all fees are inclusive of GST after taking into account any expected RITCs.

All monetary amounts referred to in this PDS are in Australian dollars, and all telephone numbers are Australian (unless otherwise specified).

You should retain a copy of this PDS and any other related material for future reference. You should consider all current information when making an initial investment or ongoing investment in the Fund.

Information that is not materially adverse information is subject to change from time to time. Where this occurs, a website notice will be posted at <u>www.morningstarinvestments.com.au</u>.

A paper copy of any updated information will be given to a person without charge on request.

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