#### 10 October 2024



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**Account Number: <Account Number>** 

## CLOSURE AND WINDING UP OF THE TRUST COMPANY FIXED INTEREST FUND

We are writing to inform you that we are terminating The Trust Company Fixed Interest Fund ('Fund'), on and from 18 October 2024, ('Termination Date').

From 3pm on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2024 we have ceased accepting any applications for units, transfers or switch requests in the Fund.

From 3pm on 18th October 2024 we will cease accepting any withdrawal requests from the Fund.

## Why are we terminating the Fund?

We have been notified that a major unit holder is withdrawing from the Fund. Consequently, we have decided it is in the best interests of investors to terminate the Fund, as a large withdrawal would likely lead to limited growth opportunities and insufficient scale for the Fund to remain viable, particularly in terms of achieving the purpose of the Fund and absorbing operating costs. The small scale of the Fund would make the effective implementation of the investment strategies more difficult, including maintaining sufficient liquidity to meet investor redemption requests in a timely manner.

Following the Termination Date, we will increase the cash allocation above the maximum cash allocation set out in the investment guidelines for the Fund in the Fund's Product Disclosure Statement to facilitate the termination process.

# What do you need to do?

The termination of the Fund requires no action by you.

Perpetual Investment Management Limited, following the liquidation of the Fund's assets after the Termination Date will return your money to you, either by direct credit to your nominated bank account or cheque. We anticipate distributing the proceeds of the Fund to you **on or around the 29<sup>th</sup> October 2024**.

### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

We recommend you obtain financial advice about any investment decisions.

Please note that having your money returned following termination of the Fund will be a disposal of your units for capital gains tax purposes. We recommend you speak to a financial adviser and/or tax adviser about the tax implications.

If have any questions or would like more information, please speak to your financial adviser, email <a href="mailto:investments@perpetual.com.au">investments@perpetual.com.au</a>, phone us on 1800 022 033 during business hours (Sydney time), or visit www.perpetual.com.au.

Yours sincerely

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