Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022

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Directors and Other Information

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Directors

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CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (a sub-fund of CIFC Credit Funds ICAV) Directors' Report

31 December 2023

The directors of the CIFC Credit Funds ICAV (the "ICAV") submit their report in respect of the CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund (the "Fund"), together with the Annual Report and the Audited Financial Statements of the Fund, for the year ended 31 December 2023.

The ICAV

The ICAV was registered in Ireland, registration number C422393, pursuant to the Irish Collective Assetmanagement Vehicles Act 2015 (the "ICAV Act") on 23 January 2020 and authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland (the "Central Bank") on 31 July 2020 as an Undertaking for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities ("UCITS") pursuant to the European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No 352 of 2011), as amended and the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (Section 48(1)) (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2019, as amended (collectively the "Central Bank UCITS Regulations"). The sole object of the ICAV is the collective investment in either or both of (i) transferable securities; and (ii) other liquid financial assets referred to in Regulation 68 of the Central Bank UCITS Regulations of capital raised from the public and operating on the principle of risk spreading.

The ICAV is organised in the form of an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds. Each sub-fund has a distinct portfolio of investments in accordance with the investment objective and policies as set out in the relevant supplement of each sub-fund. At 31 December 2023, the ICAV has three sub-funds, the Fund, CIFC Long/Short Credit Fund (the "L/S Credit Fund") and CIFC Multi-Strategy Credit Fund (together the "Sub-Funds"), which commenced operations on 22 June 2022, 10 August 2020 and 15 November 2023 respectively. Separate financial statements have been prepared for each of the Sub-Funds. These financial statements relate only to the Fund. The annual report and audited financial statements of the Fund are available upon request and free of charge from the ICAV.

On 2 September 2020, considering the economic benefits to the investors, the directors of the ICAV (the "Directors") resolved to implement a merger of the CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund, a sub-fund of DMS UCITS Platform ICAV with CIFC Asset Management LLC also as its investment manager, (the "DMS Fund") into the Fund (the "Merger"). The Merger became effective on 22 June 2022. The Merger fell within the scope of part (c) of the definition of "Merger" in Regulation 3(1) of the Central Bank UCITS Regulations and so was of a type which involved the assets of the DMS Fund being transferred to the Fund and the shareholders of the DMS Fund becoming shareholders (each a "Shareholder" and collectively the "Shareholders") of the Fund.

The Fund

Investment objective and policies and review of fund developments

The Fund is a sub-fund of the ICAV. The Fund was authorised by the Central Bank on 14 March 2022 and commenced operations on 22 June 2022.

The Fund's investment objective is to generate attractive long-term risk-adjusted returns primarily by investing in and managing a portfolio of U.S., U.K., and European debt securities.

The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing primarily in investment grade and noninvestment grade rated debt tranches of collateralised loan obligations which give access to U.S., U.K., and European senior secured corporate loans and bonds. The Fund is actively managed and is not managed in reference to a benchmark.

The business of the Fund is reviewed in detail in the Investment Manager's Report.

Risk management objectives and policies

The Directors have identified certain risks arising from the Fund's holdings and these risks are described in the ICAV's prospectus. The principal risks and uncertainties which the Fund faces relate to the use of financial instruments and are listed in Note 8 "Financial risk management".

CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (a sub-fund of CIFC Credit Funds ICAV) Directors' Report (continued)

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Results

The financial statements of the Fund are presented on pages 19 to 25, with accompanying notes on pages 26 to 52.

Significant events during the year

Effective from 23 June 2023, the Legal Adviser changed to Matheson LLP from Arthur Cox LLP and also ICAV secretary changed to Matsack Trust Limited (a wholly owned company by Matheson LLP) from Bradwell Limited.

Effective from 29 June 2023, the registered office changed to 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, D02 R296, Ireland from 10 Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2, D02 T380 Ireland.

Effective from 1 November 2023, the registered office of the Manager changed to 3rd Floor, 55 Charlemont Place, Dublin 2 D02 F985, Ireland from 2nd Floor, Block E, Iveagh Court, Harcourt Road, Dublin 2, Ireland.

Further details of these significant events during the year are disclosed in Note 18 "Significant events during the year".

Subsequent events after the year end

Subsequent events after the year end are disclosed in Note 19 "Subsequent events".

Directors

The Directors that served during the year are listed on page 2.

Transactions involving Directors and ICAV Secretary

Contracts or arrangements of any significance in relation to the business of the Fund in which the Directors or the ICAV Secretary had any interest as defined in the ICAV Act, at any time during the year ended 31 December 2023, are disclosed in Note 11 "Related Parties" in the notes to the financial statements.

Directors' remuneration

Details of the Directors' remuneration are outlined in Note 6 "Fees and expenses" in the notes to the financial statements.

Dealings with Connected Persons

In accordance with the requirements of the Central Bank UCITS Regulations, all transactions carried out with the ICAV by Carne Global Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited (the "Manager"), J.P. Morgan SE - Dublin Branch (the "Depositary"), delegates or sub-delegates of these parties (the "Connected Persons") must be conducted at arm's length and be in the best interests of Shareholders of the ICAV ("Shareholders"). The Board of Directors of the Manager, as responsible persons are satisfied that there are arrangements in place to ensure that the obligations set out in the Central Bank UCITS Regulations are applied to all transactions with Connected Persons and are complied when transactions with Connected Persons are entered into during the year.

Shareholders should note that not all Connected Persons as defined by the Central Bank UCITS Regulations are deemed related parties as defined by IAS 24 'Related Party Disclosures'.

Related Party Transactions

Transactions with related parties for the year ended 31 December 2023, are disclosed in Note 11 "Related Parties" in the notes to the financial statements.

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Dividends

The Fund has two types of Share classes ("Share Classes"): accumulating and distributing. The ICAV does not intend to make distributions in respect of accumulating classes. The ICAV intends to automatically reinvest all earnings, dividends and other distributions of whatever kind as well as realised capital gains pursuant to the investment objective and policies of the Fund for the benefit of the Shareholders. As a result, no dividends were paid in respect of the accumulating classes for the year ended 31 December 2023.

In respect of the distributing classes, if sufficient proceeds are available, the Directors intend to make a distribution to Shareholders of substantially the whole of the income of the Fund, as attributable to those distributing classes. Dividends are generally declared on a quarterly basis at the end of February, May, August and November, or more frequently at the discretion of the Directors, and are generally paid within 30 days of a dividend declaration. A total distribution of USD 1,287,519 (31 December 2022: USD 1,213,183) was made by the Fund on all distributing classes for the year ended 31 December 2023.

Soft commissions

There were no soft commission arrangements during the year.

Going concern

As at 31 December 2023, the Directors believe that the Fund will continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. This is considered as appropriate, based on the financial position of the Fund as at 31 December 2023, as no material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the Fund to continue as a going concern have been identified by the Directors. For this reason, the going concern basis has been adopted in preparing the financial statements.

Accounting records

The Directors have ensured that adequate accounting record requirements under Sections 109 to 113 of the ICAV Act have been complied with by outsourcing this function to a specialist provider of such services. The accounting records are held by JPMorgan Hedge Fund Services (Ireland) Limited in their office which is located at 200 Capital Dock, 79 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, D02 RK57, Ireland.

Statement on relevant audit information

In accordance with Section 128 of the ICAV Act:

- (i) so far as the Directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the ICAV's statutory auditors are unaware; and
- (ii) the Directors have taken all steps that the Directors ought to have taken as Directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to ensure that the ICAV's statutory auditors are aware of that information.

Directors' responsibilities statement

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and financial statements in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

The ICAV Act and the Central Bank UCITS Regulations require the Directors to prepare financial statements giving a true and fair view of the state of affairs and the profit or loss of the Fund for each year. Under that law they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as adopted by the European Union and applicable law.

Directors' Report (continued)

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Directors' responsibilities statement (continued)

The financial statements are required to give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the Fund at the end of the year and of the profit or loss of the Fund for the year. In preparing these financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether they have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as adopted by the European Union; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Fund will continue in business.

The Directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the Fund and enable them to ensure that the financial statements and Directors' Report comply with the ICAV Act and enable the financial statements to be audited. The Directors believe that they have complied with the requirement with regard to adequate accounting records by employing an experienced administrator with appropriate expertise and adequate resources to prepare the financial statements.

The Directors are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Fund. In this regard they have entrusted the assets of the Fund to the Depositary who has been appointed to the Fund pursuant to the terms of a depositary agreement in accordance with the requirements of the Central Bank UCITS Regulations. The Directors have a general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities. The Directors are also responsible for preparing a Directors' Report that complies with the requirements of the ICAV Act.

The maintenance and integrity of the financial information pertaining to the Fund and published on the ICAV's website is the responsibility of the Directors. Legislation in Ireland governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

Corporate governance statement

(a) General requirements

The ICAV is subject to compliance with the requirements of the ICAV Act and the Central Bank UCITS Regulations. During the year under review, the ICAV was subjected to corporate governance imposed by:

- i. The ICAV Act which is available for inspection at the registered office of the ICAV;
- ii. The Instrument of Incorporation of the ICAV which is available for inspection at the registered office of the ICAV at 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, D02 R296, Ireland; and
- iii. The Central Bank UCITS Regulations which can be obtained from the Central Bank's website at: https://www.centralbank.ie/regulation/industry-market-sectors/funds/ucits and is available for inspection at the registered office of the ICAV.

The Directors have voluntarily adopted the Irish Funds (formerly Irish Funds Industry Association) ("IF") Corporate Governance Code for Irish domiciled Collective Investment Schemes and Management Companies, issued 14 December 2011 (the "Code"). The Directors have reviewed and assessed the measures included in the Code and consider its corporate governance practices and procedures since the adoption of the Code as consistent therewith.

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Corporate governance statement (continued)

(b) Board of Directors

In accordance with the ICAV Act and the Instrument of Incorporation, unless otherwise determined by an ordinary resolution of the ICAV in general meeting, the number of Directors may not be less than two. The Board of Directors (the "Board") currently comprises of four Directors, two of whom are independent. Details of the current Directors are set out in the "Directors and Other Information" section on page 2, under the heading "Directors".

The Board meets on at least a quarterly basis to fulfil its responsibilities. However, additional meetings in addition to the four meetings may be convened as required and the Board may meet more frequently in general sessions of the Board to discuss matters of general importance to the ICAV. The Board has determined that based on a) Investor(s) profile and b) current review/reporting practices and procedures, the Board is effective in fulfilling its governance responsibilities.

The ICAV operates under the delegated model whereby the Board has appointed the Manager to act as manager to the ICAV and Fund. The Manager is a private limited company and was incorporated in Ireland on 10 November 2003 under the registration number 377914 and has been authorised by the Central Bank to act as an UCITS management company. Other third party service providers are appointed to the ICAV as outlined below, without abrogating the Board's overall responsibility. The Manager has retained certain functions and conducts ongoing oversight (including risk monitoring) in respect of its delegated functions. The Board has mechanisms in place for monitoring the exercise of such delegated functions which are always subject to the supervision and direction of the Board. These delegations of functions and the appointment of regulated third party entities are detailed in the ICAV's prospectus. In summary, they are:

- The Manager has delegated certain investment management and distribution services in respect of the Fund to CIFC Asset Management LLC (the "Investment Manager"). The Investment Manager has direct responsibility, and is accountable to, the Board of the ICAV, for the investment performance of the Fund. The Investment Manager has internal controls and risk management processes in place to seek to ensure that all applicable risks pertaining to its management of the Fund are identified, monitored and managed at all times and appropriate reporting is made to the Board on a quarterly basis.
- 2. The Manager has delegated certain of its administration functions in respect of the Fund to JPMorgan Hedge Fund Services (Ireland) Limited (the "Administrator") which has responsibility for the day to day administration of the Fund including the calculation of the Net Asset Value ("NAV"). The Administrator is regulated by and under the supervision of the Central Bank.
- 3. The Manager has delegated certain of its registration and transfer agency functions in respect of the Fund to the Administrator which also acts as registrar and transfer agent of the ICAV and has responsibility for receiving and processing of subscription and redemption orders, allotting and issuing shares, related shareholder services, registration and maintaining the Shareholders' register of the ICAV.
- 4. The Board has appointed J.P. Morgan SE Dublin Branch as depositary ("Depositary") of its assets which has responsibility for the safekeeping of assets and exercising independent oversight over how the ICAV is managed, all in accordance with the regulatory framework applicable to the ICAV. The Depositary is regulated by and under the supervision of the Central Bank. The Depositary has entered into written agreements delegating the performance of its safekeeping function in respect of certain of the ICAV's assets to sub-custodians. The list of sub-custodians appointed by the Depositary is set out in schedule 4 of the ICAV's prospectus. The use of sub-custodians depends on the markets in which the ICAV invests.

The providers of these services and other service providers are set out in the "Directors and Other Information" section on page 2 of this report.

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Corporate governance statement (continued)

(b) Board of Directors (continued)

Board materials, including a detailed agenda of items for consideration at each Board meeting, minutes of the previous meeting and reports from various internal and external service providers are generally circulated in advance of the meeting to allow all Directors adequate time to review the material and assess the performance of the service providers.

The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at a meeting of Directors is two. All Directors generally attend all Board Meetings.

The Board has not directly established any committees to whom business is delegated.

(c) Internal control and risk management systems in relation to financial reporting

The Board is ultimately responsible for overseeing the establishment and maintenance of adequate internal control and risk management systems of the ICAV in relation to the financial reporting process.

The Manager has appointed the Administrator to maintain the accounting records of the ICAV independently of the Investment Manager and through this appointment the Board has procedures in place to ensure that all relevant accounting records are properly maintained and are readily available, including production of financial statements.

Subject to the supervision of the Board, the appointment of the Administrator is intended to manage rather than eliminate the risk of failure to achieve the ICAV's financial reporting objectives and can only provide reasonable and not absolute assurance against material misstatement or loss. The Board is responsible for assessing the risk of irregularities whether caused by fraud or error in financial reporting and for ensuring that processes are in place for the timely identification of internal and external matters with a potential effect on financial reporting. The appointment of the Administrator independent of the Investment Manager is intended to mitigate though not eliminate the risk of fraud or irregularities which may impact the financial statements of the ICAV.

During the year covered by these financial statements, the Board was responsible for the review and approval of the financial statements as set out in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement. The statutory financial statements are required to be audited by Independent Auditors who report to the Board on their findings. The Board monitors and evaluates the Independent Auditors' performance, qualifications and independence. As part of its review procedures, the Board receives presentations from relevant parties including consideration of IFRS and their impact on the financial statements, and presentations and reports on the audit process. The Board evaluates and discusses significant accounting and reporting issues as the need arises. The audited financial statements of the ICAV are required to be approved by the Board and filed with the Central Bank.

Independent Auditors

Deloitte Ireland LLP, Chartered Accountants and Statutory Audit Firm, have been appointed, in accordance with Section 125 of the ICAV Act, to act as independent Auditors of the ICAV and its sub-funds.

On behalf of the Board of Directors:

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Director: Date: 25 April 2024

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Director:



December 31, 2023

Fund Performance¹

For the year ending on December 31, 2023, the CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund (the "Fund" or "UCITS") returned +20.0%.



¹ Source: The Morningstar Leveraged Loan Index is indicative of leveraged loans, the Bloomberg Barclays US Corporate High Yield Bond Index is indicative of high yield corporate bonds, and the Bloomberg Barclays US Liquid Corporate Credit Index is indicative of IG bonds. Data as of December 31, 2023. Please see the Disclaimer for a description of the indices.

CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund





Portfolio Positioning

The Fund's portfolio profile as of December 31, 2023 can be summarized as follows:

| Portfolio Snapshot as of December 31, 2023 | | | |
|--|-----------|--|--|
| Net Asset Value | \$82.3M | | |
| Weighted Average Price | \$94.86 | | |
| Yield to Maturity ² | 9.7% | | |
| Yield to Expected Call ³ | 12.7% | | |
| Current Coupon Yield ⁴ | 10.5% | | |
| Coupon Yield Next 12 Mos. ⁵ | 10.3% | | |
| Average Maturity ⁶ | 5.1 years | | |
| Spread Duration ⁷ | 3.1 years | | |
| Interest Rate Duration ⁸ | 0.2 years | | |
| Number of CLO Investments | 71 | | |
| Number of Underlying CLO Loan Issuers | 1,263 | | |
| Average Underlying Industry Concentration | 3.5% | | |

² Market value weighted.

³ Market value weighted. Expected maturity is the expected call date, which is the latter of the reinvestment period plus 18 months, or 1.5 years from the date of calculation.

⁴ Calculated as the current annual coupon rate divided by the price basis.

⁵ Portfolio market value weighted forecasted bond coupon yield next twelve months divided by bond market value.

⁶ Weighted average life based on to maturity case.

⁷ The effective spread duration assumes a bond is priced to the lower yield of (i) maturity and (ii) next eligible call date. ⁸ Duration weighted.

CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund

Investment Managers Report



Source: CIFC Data. Data as of December 31, 2023.

We believe much of the Fund's 2023 outperformance relative to the high yield bond and loan indices can be attributed to how we have positioned the portfolio in shorter duration assets to capitalize on one of the CLO debt market's biggest inefficiencies – tenor. At the end of 2022, we quoted an 11.7% "yield to maturity" on the portfolio using market conventional pricing methods. However, we believe, as described in previous Fund letters, that the ultimate annualized return of the portfolio may likely exceed that number. The main reason for the discrepancy between yield-to-maturity and expected annualized return is because we believe that the CLO debt positions in the Fund's portfolio will mature (and be repaid 100% of face value) on average many years before their respective final maturity dates. In fact, we would struggle to name more than a handful of CLOs in history that have been outstanding until their final maturity date. For the same reasons, we believe the ultimate annualized return of the Fund's portfolio (with an average discount price of \$94.86) as of 2023 year-end may likely exceed the 9.7% yield-to-maturity stated above.

When a bond is priced at a discount (below \$100) and matures years earlier than final maturity, the early maturity will generally result in an annualized return greater than that which a "yield to maturity" would suggest. The aforementioned return pickup can be even more magnified with a shorter duration portfolio. In other words, a bond with a 5 year maturity that ultimately matured in 2 years would generally have a greater yield impact than a bond with a 10 year maturity that ultimate matured in 7 years, all else equal. This is one of the main reasons that we had heavily positioned the Fund's portfolio in shorter dated positions - to magnify the return pickup when the tenor discrepancy is realized. As of year-end, we estimate that approximately 40% of the CLOs outstanding will be past their respective reinvestment periods by January 2024. The statistic that best describes the Fund's heavy short duration bias is that a staggering ~87% of the Fund's CLO positions, more than two times the market, are now past their respective reinvestment periods.⁹

Asset Management

⁹ Source: CIFC Data. Data as of December 31, 2023.





The primary driver for the discrepancy between realized versus modeled tenor in CLO debt is because it has historically been far more likely that a CLO debt security will be called at par before maturity (than be outstanding until maturity). A typical CLO is structured with an embedded "call option" owned by the control equity investor(s) that gives the control equity investor(s) the right to either liquidate or refinance/reset a transaction after the non-call period expires. With the rally in loan prices as well as tightening of CLO debt spreads, we believe these call options that are embedded in the CLO equity may be increasingly exercised as the year progresses. A natural consequence of an increase in loan prices and CLO equity investors who, upon a liquidation, would realize the difference between the market value of the CLO assets after paying down the CLO liabilities at par.¹¹ Throughout 2022 and 2023, CLO liquidations were relatively uncommon, especially relative to 2021. However, with the rally in loan prices, we expect CLO liquidations to become more pertinent.

An increase in call volumes results in CLO debt tranches receiving paydowns at par prior to the stated maturity of the deal. As a result of early liquidations, CLO debt investors would need to look to the secondary or primary markets to replace investments that were paid down via a liquidation. We believe this may lead to spread tightening of CLO tranches and, in turn, higher loan prices due to elevated demand for new CLO creation.



Source: Nomura. Data as of December 31, 2023.

We predict another technical that may emerge is the return of refinancing or reset transactions. In our opinion, these transactions were not economical for most of 2023, however, the macro rally at the end of 2023 drove CLO debt spreads to approach year to date tights. The tightening of CLO debt spreads makes CLO refinancing (ie: reducing CLO debt spreads) and CLO reset (ie: reissuing CLO liabilities with a new structure and transaction terms) transactions more attractive to equity investors.¹⁰

¹⁰ Source: CIFC Data. Data as of December 31, 2023.

CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund



Investment Managers Report



Source: CIFC, Bloomberg, Kanerai. Data as of December 31, 2023.

In addition to liquidations and refinancing/reset transactions, we believe CLO debt balances will naturally decrease over time as transactions exit their respective reinvestment periods. However, with a record percentage of deals exiting their reinvestment periods this year, we expect amortization of AAA tranches to reach a record high this year. We believe higher AAA amortization volumes should result in a similar technical as refinancing/resets and liquidations as all of the aforementioned result in paydowns of existing CLO debt, driving debt investors to the secondary and primary markets to replace investments.





CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund

Investment Managers Report

We welcome the opportunity to discuss these dynamics further with you.

CIFC Asset Management LLC March 2024



CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (a sub-fund of CIFC Credit Funds ICAV) Depositary's Report

31 December 2023

We, J.P. Morgan SE – Dublin Branch, appointed Depositary to CIFC Credit Funds ICAV (the "Entity") provide this report solely in favour of the investors of the Entity as a body for the year ended 31 December 2023 ("the Accounting Period"). This report is provided in accordance with the UCITS Regulations – European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2011 (SI No 352 of 2011) as amended, ("the UCITS Regulations"). We do not, in the provision of this report, accept nor assume responsibility for any other purpose or person to whom this report is shown.

In accordance with our Depositary obligation as provided for under the UCITS Regulations, we have enquired into the conduct of the Entity for the Accounting Period and we hereby report thereon to the investors of the Fund as follows;

We are of the opinion that the Entity has been managed during the Accounting Period, in all material respects:

- (i) in accordance with the limitations imposed on the investment and borrowing powers of the Entity by the constitutional documents and by the UCITS Regulations; and
- (ii) otherwise in accordance with the provisions of the constitutional document and the UCITS Regulations.

For and on behalf of

J.P. Morgan SE – Dublin Branch 200 Capital Dock, 79 Sir John Rogerson's Quay Dublin 2 Ireland

Date: 25 April 2024



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (A SUB-FUND OF CIFC CREDIT FUNDS ICAV)

Report on the audit of the annual accounts

Opinion on the annual accounts of CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund, a sub-fund of CIFC Credit Funds ICAV (the 'ICAV')

In our opinion the annual accounts:

- give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the ICAV as at 31 December 2023 and of the profit for the financial period then ended; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the relevant financial reporting framework and the applicable Regulations.

The annual accounts we have audited comprise:

- the Statement of Financial Position;
- the Statement of Comprehensive Income;
- the Statement of Changes in Net Assets;
- the Statement of Cash Flows; and
- the related notes 1 to 19, including a summary of significant accounting policies as set out in note 2.

The relevant financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is the Irish Collective Asset-Management Vehicles Act 2015 ("the ICAV Act") and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union ("the relevant financial reporting framework").

The applicable regulations that have been applied in their preparation is the European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations, 2011 and Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (Section 48(1)) (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations, 2019 ("the applicable Regulations").

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (Ireland) (ISAs (Ireland)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are described below in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the annual accounts" section of our report.

We are independent of the ICAV in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the annual accounts in Ireland, including the Ethical Standard issued by the Irish Auditing and Accounting Supervisory Authority, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the annual accounts, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the annual accounts is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the ICAV's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the annual accounts are authorised for issue.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (A SUB-FUND OF CIFC CREDIT FUNDS ICAV)

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the Annual Report, other than the annual accounts and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the annual accounts does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the annual accounts or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of annual accounts that give a true and fair view and have been properly prepared in accordance with the ICAV Act, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of annual accounts that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the annual accounts, the directors are responsible for assessing the ICAV's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the ICAV or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the annual accounts

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the annual accounts as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (Ireland) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these annual accounts.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs (Ireland), we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the annual accounts, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the ICAV's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ICAV's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the annual accounts or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of the auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the entity (or where relevant, the group) to cease to continue as a going concern.



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (A SUB-FUND OF CIFC CREDIT FUNDS ICAV)

• Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the annual accounts, including the disclosures, and whether the annual accounts represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that the auditor identifies during the audit.

Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

Matters on which we are required to report by the ICAV Act and the applicable Regulations

In our opinion, the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the annual accounts and the directors' report has been prepared in accordance with the ICAV Act.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Based on the knowledge and understanding of the ICAV and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the directors' report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the provisions in the ICAV Act which require us to report to you if, in our opinion, the disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by the ICAV Act are not made.

Opinion on other matters prescribed by the applicable Regulations

Based solely on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, we report that:

- We have obtained all the information and explanations which we consider necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- In our opinion the accounting records of the ICAV were sufficient to permit the annual accounts to be readily and properly audited.
- The annual accounts are in agreement with the accounting records.

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the ICAV's shareholders, as a body, in accordance with Section 120(1) (b) of the ICAV Act. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the ICAV's shareholders those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the ICAV and the ICAV's shareholders as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Brian Forrester For and on behalf of Deloitte Ireland LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Audit Firm Deloitte & Touche House, Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2

29 April 2024

Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 December 2023 (Expressed in United States Dollars)

| | Note | USD 31 December 2023 | USD 31 December 2022 ¹ |
|--|------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Assets | | | |
| Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | 8(e) | 78,998,169 | 69,650,176 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 2(h) | 2,187,777 | 1,288,402 |
| Interest receivable | 2(o) | 1,588,591 | 1,320,323 |
| Voluntary Expense Cap receivable, reimbursable by the Investment Manager | 6 | 407,537 | 137,750 |
| Other receivables and prepayments | - | 3,631 | 10,344 |
| Total assets | | 83,185,705 | 72,406,995 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss | 8(e) | 837 | 647,631 |
| Investment Management Fee payable | 6 | 435,151 | 171,418 |
| Management Fee payable | 6 | 36,957 | 22,314 |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities | | 234,745 | 224,071 |
| Total liabilities | | 707,690 | 1,065,434 |
| Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares | | 82,478,015 | 71,341,561 |

¹ CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund commenced operations on 22 June 2022.

Approved on behalf of the Board of Directors:

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Director Date: 25 April 2024

Director

Schedule of Investments

As at 31 December 2023 (Expressed in United States Dollars)

| <u>Description</u> | Maturity Date | Coupon % | Holding | Cost USD | Fair Value USD | % of Net Assets |
|--|--------------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Asset-Backed Securities* | | | | | | |
| <u>Cayman Islands</u> | | | | | | |
| Alinea CLO 2018-1 Ltd. | 20/07/2031 | 11.68% | 1,750,000 | 1,469,875 | 1,668,093 | 2.02% |
| Allegany Park CLO Ltd. | 20/01/2035 | 8.52% | 500,000 | 500,000 | 490,021 | 0.59% |
| Apidos CLO XX | 16/07/2031 | 8.61% | 1,000,000 | 984,500 | 1,005,011 | 1.22% |
| Apidos CLO XXVIII | 20/01/2031 | 11.18% | 1,000,000 | 950,880 | 956,735 | 1.16% |
| Ares XLVIII CLO Ltd. | 20/07/2030 | 8.38% | 1,500,000 | 1,353,750 | 1,452,249 | 1.76% |
| Bardot CLO Ltd. | 22/10/2032 | 8.67% | 500,000 | 500,000 | 494,475 | 0.60% |
| Barings CLO Ltd. 2015-II | 20/10/2030 | 12.13% | 500,000 | 454,375 | 486,203 | 0.59% |
| BlueMountain CLO XXII Ltd. | 15/07/2031 | 10.71% | 1,000,000 | 940,000 | 887,872 | 1.08% |
| BlueMountain Fuji US CLO II Ltd. | 20/10/2030 | 8.68% | 2,100,000 | 2,079,000 | 1,970,806 | 2.39% |
| BlueMountain Fuji US CLO III Ltd. | 15/01/2030 | 8.06% | 500,000 | 489,765 | 478,530 | 0.58% |
| Carbone CLO Ltd. | 20/01/2031 | 11.58% | 750,000 | 697,500 | 731,148 | 0.89% |
| CIFC Funding 2018-I Ltd. | 18/04/2031 | 8.31% | 1,500,000 | 1,488,458 | 1,498,905 | 1.82% |
| CIFC Funding 2018-III Ltd. | 18/07/2031 | 8.51% | 750,000 | 699,683 | 746,263 | 0.90% |
| Fillmore Park CLO Ltd. 2018-1A | 15/07/2030 | 11.06% | 1,000,000 | 910,000 | 964,738 | 1.17% |
| Galaxy XXI CLO Ltd. | 20/04/2031 | 8.33% | 2,000,000 | 1,851,250 | 1,981,578 | 2.40% |
| Galaxy XXVII CLO Ltd. | 16/05/2031 | 8.40% | 2,000,000 | 1,984,040 | 1,987,674 | 2.41% |
| Gilbert Park CLO Ltd. | 15/10/2030 | 8.61% | 1,250,000 | 1,221,875 | 1,256,289 | 1.52% |
| Goldentree Loan Management US CLO I | | | | | | |
| Ltd. | 20/01/2033 | 10.43% | 500,000 | 479,000 | 488,775 | 0.59% |
| Goldentree Loan Management US CLO II | | | | | | |
| Ltd. | 28/11/2030 | 10.38% | 1,125,000 | 1,070,156 | 1,080,189 | 1.31% |
| Goldentree Loan Management US CLO | | | | | | |
| III Ltd. | 20/04/2030 | 8.53% | 500,000 | 466,250 | 498,864 | 0.60% |
| Goldentree Loan Management US CLO | | | | | | |
| V Ltd. | 20/10/2032 | 8.83% | 1,000,000 | 1,003,755 | 998,809 | 1.21% |
| Goldentree Loan Opportunities XII Ltd. | 21/07/2030 | 8.57% | 1,000,000 | 987,000 | 1,004,789 | 1.22% |
| Greenwood Park CLO Ltd. | 15/04/2031 | 8.16% | 1,000,000 | 934,510 | 969,748 | 1.18% |
| Greywolf CLO VI Ltd. | 26/04/2031 | 11.39% | 2,500,000 | 2,166,250 | 2,397,450 | 2.91% |
| Harbor Park CLO | 20/01/2031 | 8.58% | 1,850,000 | 1,800,500 | 1,823,878 | 2.21% |
| Highbridge Loan Management 2013-2 | | | | | | |
| Ltd. | 20/10/2029 | 12.28% | 804,000 | 739,680 | 755,827 | 0.92% |
| Highbridge Loan Management 5-2015 | | | | | | |
| Ltd. | 15/10/2030 | 11.66% | 1,000,000 | 935,000 | 900,364 | 1.09% |
| Jefferson Mill CLO | 20/10/2031 | 12.13% | 500,000 | 425,500 | 448,198 | 0.54% |
| KKR Financial CLO 2013-1 Ltd. | 15/04/2029 | 11.74% | 1,000,000 | 968,800 | 993,649 | 1.21% |
| Magnetite XV Ltd. | 25/07/2031 | 8.39% | 1,250,000 | 1,208,033 | 1,242,581 | 1.51% |
| Magnetite XV Ltd. | 25/07/2031 | 10.84% | 2,000,000 | 1,839,080 | 1,939,980 | 2.35% |
| Magnetite XVIII Ltd. | 15/11/2028 | 8.34% | 1,000,000 | 1,000,500 | 998,517 | 1.21% |
| Milos CLO Ltd. | 20/10/2030 | 8.43% | 500,000 | 496,250 | 496,513 | 0.60% |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO | | | | | | |
| 24 Ltd. | 19/04/2030 | 11.68% | 1,000,000 | 923,625 | 1,009,964 | 1.22% |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO | | | | | | |
| 26 Ltd. | 18/10/2030 | 11.56% | 1,500,000 | 1,367,635 | 1,514,941 | 1.84% |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO | | | | | | |
| 27 Ltd. | 15/01/2030 | 10.86% | 2,000,000 | 1,734,955 | 1,941,912 | 2.35% |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO | | | | | | |
| 28 Ltd. | 20/04/2030 | 8.53% | 1,000,000 | 993,750 | 990,098 | 1.20% |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO | | | | | | |
| 28 Ltd. | 20/04/2030 | 11.28% | 500,000 | 426,405 | 500,646 | 0.61% |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO | | | | | | |
| 47 Ltd. OCP CLO 2016-11 Ltd. | 14/04/2035 26/10/2030 | 8.49% 9.29% | 500,000 750,000 | 500,000 750,608 | 491,454 751,405 | 0.60% 0.91% |
| | | | | | | |

Schedule of Investments (continued)

As at 31 December 2023 (Expressed in United States Dollars)

| Description | Maturity Date | Coupon % | Holding | Cost USD | Fair Value USD | % of Net Assets |
|---|------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Becomption | | | | | 000 | A33613 |
| Asset-Backed Securities* (continued) | | | | | | |
| Cayman Islands (continued) | | | | | | |
| Octagon Investment Partners 18-R Ltd. | 16/04/2031 | 8.36% | 1,500,000 | 1,325,625 | 1,446,159 | 1.75% |
| Octagon Investment Partners 35 Ltd. | 20/01/2031 | 10.88% | 1,000,000 | 931,250 | 875,578 | 1.06% |
| Octagon Investment Partners 35 Ltd. | 25/01/2031 | 10.79% | 2,222,000 | 2,064,128 | 1,922,823 | 2.33% |
| Palmer Square CLO 2014-1 Ltd. | 17/01/2031 | 11.36% | 1,000,000 | 952,300 | 995,124 | 1.21% |
| Palmer Square CLO 2018-1 Ltd. | 18/04/2031 | 8.16% | 1,500,000 | 1,486,500 | 1,502,576 | 1.82% |
| Sound Point CLO III-R Ltd. | 16/07/2031 | 11.26% | 500,000 | 467,805 | 504,954 | 0.61% |
| Sound Point CLO XIX Ltd. | 15/11/2036 | 9.62% | 1,500,000 | 1,512,887 | 1,507,500 | 1.83% |
| Regatta XI Funding Ltd. | 17/07/2031 | 11.16% | 570,000 | 514,425 | 545,482 | 0.66% |
| Sound Point CLO III-R Ltd. | 15/04/2029 | 11.66% | 1,500,000 | 1,368,150 | 1,154,387 | 1.40% |
| Sound Point CLO XIX Ltd. | 15/04/2031 | 11.31% | 1,250,000 | 1,112,020 | 863,283 | 1.05% |
| Trestles CLO II Ltd. | 23/01/2029 | 11.63% | 500,000 | 408,750 | 444,952 | 0.54% |
| Sound Point CLO XVIII Ltd. | 21/01/2031 | 11.18% | 2,000,000 | 1,761,900 | 1,361,486 | 1.65% |
| Steele Creek CLO 2016-1 Ltd. | 15/06/2031 | 11.40% | 1,000,000 | 880,000 | 830,920 | 1.01% |
| TICP CLO IX Ltd. | 20/01/2031 | 8.58% | 500,000 | 493,750 | 500,179 | 0.61% |
| TICP CLO V 2016-1 Ltd. | 17/07/2031 | 8.81% | 1,000,000 | 957,670 | 1,004,923 | 1.22% |
| Upland CLO Ltd. | 20/04/2031 | 11.58% | 2,000,000 | 1,810,000 | 1,898,906 | 2.30% |
| Voya CLO 2018-1 Ltd. | 19/04/2031 | 8.26% | 2,750,000 | 2,697,913 | 2,648,245 | 3.21% |
| Voya CLO 2018-2 Ltd. | 15/07/2031 | 8.41% | 1,250,000 | 1,178,750 | 1,182,765 | 1.43% |
| Voya CLO Ltd. | 19/04/2031 | 10.86% | 1,000,000 | 800,000 | 869,463 | 1.05% |
| Wellfleet CLO 2017-1 Ltd. | 20/04/2029 | 11.73% | 4,000,000 | 3,910,803 | 3,456,492 | 4.19% |
| Wellfleet CLO 2017-2 Ltd. | 20/10/2029 | 12.43% | 500,000 | 451,450 | 399,684 | 0.49% |
| Wellfleet CLO 2018-2 Ltd. | 20/10/2031 | 11.75% | 1,500,000 | 1,438,620 | 1,376,612 | 1.67% |
| Total Cayman Islands (2022: 96.62%) | 20/10/2001 | 11.7070 | 1,000,000 | 70,316,889 | 70,587,634 | 85.58% |
| | | | - | 10,010,000 | 10,001,001 | 00.0070 |
| <u>Jersey</u> HPS Loan Management 2023-17 Ltd. | 23/04/2036 | 10.86% | 1,500,000 | 1,500,000 | 1,533,126 | 1.86% |
| Total Jersey (2022: 0.00%) | 23/04/2030 | 10.00 % | 1,300,000 | 1,500,000 | 1,533,126 | 1.86% |
| <u>10tal Jersey (2022. 0.00%)</u> | | | - | 1,500,000 | 1,000,120 | 1.00% |
| United States of America | | | | | | |
| Catskill Park CLO Ltd. | 20/04/2029 | 11.68% | 500,000 | 472,305 | 483,576 | 0.59% |
| | | 10.65% | 2.000.000 | 2.000.000 | • | 0.59% |
| Flatiron CLO 23 LLC | 17/04/2036 | 11.38% | , , | , , | 2,052,666 | 2.49% 0.59% |
| Grippen Park CLO Ltd. | 20/01/2030 | | 500,000 | 475,000 | 491,099 | |
| OHA Credit Partners XIV Ltd. | 21/01/2030 | 8.37% | 3,000,000 | 2,838,360 | 3,014,421 | 3.65% |
| Rockford Tower CLO 2017-2 Ltd. | 15/10/2029 | 8.51% | 500,000 | 495,410 | 499,396 | 0.61% |
| Total United States of America (2022: 0.6 | <u>1470)</u> | | - | 6,281,075 | 6,541,158 | 7.93% |
| Total Asset-Backed Securities (2022: 9 | 7.26%) | | - | 78,097,964 | 78,661,918 | 95.37% |

*Floating rate securities.

Schedule of Investments (continued)

As at 31 December 2023 (Expressed in United States Dollars)

| Description | Maturity Date | Amount Bought | Amount Sold | Fair Value USD | % of Net Assets |
|---|--|--|--|--|---|
| Unrealised Gain on Forward Foreign Currency Contracts | | | | | |
| (Counterparty: Brown Brothers Harriman) | | | | | |
| Buy CHF/Sell USD Buy EUR/Sell USD Buy GBP/Sell USD Buy JPY/Sell USD Total Unrealised Gain on Forward Foreign Currency Contracts (2022: 0.37%) | 22/01/2024 22/01/2024 22/01/2024 22/01/2024 | 704,079 22,926,589 5,225,936 10,691,954 | (813,180) (25,073,825) (6,623,804) (75,459) | 24,972 271,750 38,945 584 336,251 | 0.03% 0.33% 0.05% 0.00% |
| Total Derivative Assets (2022: 0.37%) | | | - | 336,251 | 0.41% |
| | | 20/) | - | · · · · · | 95.78% |
| Total Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit or L | | , | - | 78,998,169 | |
| Description | Maturity Date | Amount Bought | Amount Sold | Fair Value USD | % of Net Assets |
| Unrealised Loss on Forward Foreign Currency Contracts | | | | | |
| (Counterparty: Brown Brothers Harriman) | | | | | |
| Buy CHF/Sell USD Buy EUR/Sell USD Buy USD/Sell EUR Total Unrealised Loss on Forward Foreign | 22/01/2024 22/01/2024 22/01/2024 | 5,099 171,445 44,853 | (6,078) (189,891) (40,998) | (8) (357) (472) | (0.00%) (0.00%) (0.00%) |
| Currency Contracts (2022: (0.91%)) | | | - | (837) | (0.00%) |
| Total Derivative Liabilities (2022: (0.91%)) | | | - | (837) | (0.00%) |
| Total Financial Liabilities at Fair Value Through Profit of | r Loss (2022: (0. | 91%)) | - | (837) | (0.00%) |
| Total Financial Assets and Liabilities at Fair Value Thro | ugh Profit or Los | S | | 78,997,332 | 95.78% |
| Other Net Assets | | | | | 4.22% |
| Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable P | articipating Sha | ares | - | 82,478,015 | 100.00% |
| <u>UCITS Regulations analysis - unaudited</u> Transferable securities admitted to official stock exchar Financial derivative instruments - OTC Total Portfolio | nge listing | | - | Fair Value USD 78,661,918 335,414 78,997,332 | % of Total <u>Assets</u> 94.56% 0.40% 94.96% |

Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022

(Expressed in United States Dollars)

| | Note | USD 31 December 2023 | USD 31 December 2022 ¹ |
|--|------------------|--|---|
| Investment income Interest income | | 59,883 | 5,299 |
| Interest income earned on investments held at fair value through profit and loss | 2(j) | 8,059,227 | 3,875,878 |
| Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss Net loss on foreign exchange translation Total gain/(loss) | 2(f),8 2(e),8 | 8,082,990 (9,689) 16,192,411 | (4,706,382) (12,401) (837,606) |
| Expenses Investment Management Fee Management Fee Establishment costs Other expenses Total expenses | 6 6 7 | (392,966) (25,052) (6,121) (539,801) (963,940) | (238,750) (22,314) (19,036) (260,959) (541,059) |
| Voluntary Expense Cap, reimbursable by the Investment Manager Total net expenses | 6 | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| Finance costs Distributions to holders of redeemable participating shares Interest expense Total finance costs | 2(q),13 | (1,287,519) (8,129) (1,295,648) | (1,213,183) (1,191) (1,214,374) |
| Net increase/(decrease) in net assets resulting from operations attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares | | 14,276,140 | (2,455,289) |

¹ CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund commenced operations on 22 June 2022.

Gains and losses arose solely from continuing investment activities. There were no gains or losses other than those presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

Statement of Changes in Net Assets

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022

(Expressed in United States Dollars)

| | USD 31 December 2023 | USD 31 December 2022 ¹ |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares at the beginning of the year/period | 71,341,561 | - |
| Subscriptions of redeemable participating shares issued during the year/period Redemptions of redeemable participating shares redeemed during the year/period | 38,610,530 | 106,779,823 |
| | (41,750,216) | (32,982,973) |
| Net increase/(decrease) in net assets resulting from operations attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares | 14,276,140 | (2,455,289) |
| Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares at the end of the year/period | 82,478,015 | 71,341,561 |

¹CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund commenced operations on 22 June 2022.

² Includes non-cash transactions which represent an in-specie subscription of USD 103,765,741.

Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

USD USD 31 December 2022¹ 31 December 2023 Cash flows from operating activities Net increase/(decrease) in net assets resulting from operations attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares 14,276,140 (2,455,289)Operating profit/(loss) before working capital changes 14,276,140 (2, 455, 289)Net (increase)/decrease in financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (9,994,787)30,375,429 Net increase in receivable and other assets (531, 342)(397, 963)Net increase in fee payable and accrued expenses 289,050 417,803 Cash (used in)/provided by operations (10, 237, 079)30,395,269 Net cash provided by operating activities 4,039,061 27,939,980 Cash flows from financing activities Subscriptions of redeemable participating shares issued during the year/period 38,610,530 3,014,0822 Redemptions of redeemable participating shares redeemed during the year/period (41,750,216)(32, 982, 973)Net cash used in financing activities (3, 139, 686)(29,968,891)Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents 899,375 (2,028,911)Cash and cash equivalents at the date of merger 3,317,313 Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year/period 1,288,402 Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year/period 1,288,402 2,187,777 Supplementary information Interest received 7,850,842 3,610,908 Interest paid (8, 129)(1, 191)

¹ CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund commenced operations on 22 June 2022.

² Excludes non-cash transactions which represent an in-specie subscription of USD 103,765,741.

CIFC GLOBAL FLOATING RATE CREDIT FUND (a sub-fund of CIFC Credit Funds ICAV) Notes to the Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

1. General information

The Fund is a sub-fund of the ICAV. The Fund was authorised by the Central Bank on 14 March 2022. The Fund was initially established to facilitate the merger of an existing sub-fund of DMS UCITS Platform ICAV, namely CIFC Global Floating Rate Credit Fund with the Fund as detailed below. The Fund commenced operations on 22 June 2022, being the effective date of the merger.

The ICAV was registered in Ireland, with registration number C422393, pursuant to the ICAV Act on 23 January 2020 and authorised by the Central Bank on 31 July 2020 as an UCITS pursuant to the Central Bank UCITS Regulations. The sole object of the ICAV is the collective investment in either or both of (i) transferable securities; and (ii) other liquid financial assets referred to in Regulation 68 of the Central Bank UCITS Regulations of capital raised from the public and operating on the principle of risk-spreading.

The ICAV is organised in the form of an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds. Each sub-fund has a distinct portfolio of investments in accordance with the investment objective and policies as set out in the relevant supplement of each sub-fund. At 31 December 2023, the ICAV has three sub-funds; the Fund, the L/S Credit Fund and CIFC Multi-Strategy Credit Fund, which commenced operations on 22 June 2022, 10 August 2020 and 15 November 2023 respectively. Separate financial statements have been prepared for each of the Sub-Funds. These financial statements relate only to the Fund.

The Fund's investment objective is to generate attractive long-term risk-adjusted returns primarily by investing in and managing a portfolio of U.S., U.K., and European debt securities.

The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing primarily in investment grade and non-investment grade rated debt tranches of collateralised loan obligations which give access to U.S., U.K., and European senior secured corporate loans and bonds. The Fund is actively managed and is not managed in reference to a benchmark.

The ICAV has appointed the Manager in accordance with the requirements of the Central Bank.

The Manager has appointed the Investment Manager as investment manager and distributor of the Fund pursuant to the investment management and distribution agreement between the Manager, the ICAV and the Investment Manager dated 31 July 2020, as amended.

The registered office of the ICAV is 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, D02 R296, Ireland. The Administrator is appointed as the administrator of the ICAV and the Depositary is appointed as the depositary of the ICAV. The Depositary has entered into written agreements delegating the performance of its safekeeping function in respect of certain of the ICAV's assets to sub-custodians. The list of sub-custodians appointed by the Depositary is set out in schedule 4 of the ICAV's prospectus. The use of sub-custodians will depend on the markets in which the ICAV invests.

On 2 September 2020, considering the economic benefits to the investors, the Directors resolved to implement the Merger. The Merger became effective on 22 June 2022. The Merger fell within the scope of part (c) of the definition of "Merger" in Regulation 3(1) of the Central Bank UCITS Regulations and so was of a type which involved the assets of the DMS Fund being transferred to the Fund and the shareholders of the DMS Fund becoming Shareholders of the Fund.

2. Material accounting policies

(a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with IFRS, as adopted by the European Union, the ICAV Act and the Central Bank UCITS Regulations.

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For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

2. Material accounting policies (continued)

(a) Basis of preparation (continued)

The financial statements are presented in United States Dollars ("USD"). The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis and on a historical cost basis, except for financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss that have been measured at fair value.

(b) Significant accounting judgements and estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS as adopted by the European Union requires management to make judgements, critical accounting estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies, including certain valuation assumptions and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the year in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that year or in the year and future years if the revision affects both current and future years.

All references to "net assets" throughout this document refer to net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares ("Shares"), unless otherwise stated.

(c) Going concern

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. This is considered as an appropriate basis of preparation based on the financial position of the Fund as at 31 December 2023, as no material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the Fund to continue as a going concern have been identified by the Directors. Disclosures on liquidity risks and how these are managed are set out in Note 8.

(d) Changes in relevant accounting standards

At the date of authorisation of the financial statements there were a number of other standards and interpretations which were in issue but not yet effective. Management anticipates that the adoption of these standards and interpretations in future periods will have no material impact on the financial statements of the Fund.

Disclosure of Accounting Policies – Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2

In February 2021, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2 Making Materiality Judgements, in which it provides guidance and examples to help entities apply materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures.

The amendments aim to help entities provide accounting policy disclosures that are more useful by replacing the requirement for entities to disclose their 'significant' accounting policies with a requirement to disclose their 'material' accounting policies and adding guidance on how entities apply the concept of materiality in making decisions about accounting policy disclosures.

(e) Foreign currency translation

Functional and presentation currency

Functional Currency is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Fund operates. The Functional Currency of the Fund is USD (the "Functional Currency"). Investor subscriptions and redemptions are received and paid in the currency of the relevant Share Class. The presentation currency is the same as the Functional Currency in these financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

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2. Material accounting policies (continued)

(e) Foreign currency translation (continued)

All financial information presented in USD has been rounded to the nearest USD dollar.

Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the Functional Currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign currency assets and liabilities are translated into the Functional Currency using the exchange rate prevailing at the year end date.

Foreign exchange gains and losses relating to the financial assets and liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income within 'Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss'. Any other foreign currency gains and losses are included in the 'Net loss on foreign exchange translation' in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

(f) Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

Classification

A financial asset or liability is classified as being measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income or fair value through profit or loss. The classification of a financial asset or liability is based on the business model in which the financial asset or liability is managed and on its contractual cash flow characteristics.

The portfolio of financial assets is managed and performance is evaluated on a fair value basis. The Fund is primarily focused on fair value information and uses that information to assess the assets' performance and make decisions. As a result, debt instruments and derivative positions are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

All other financial assets and liabilities including cash, cash equivalents, receivables and payables are classified as being measured at amortised cost. Measurement at amortised cost takes into account any premium or discount on acquisition as well as transaction costs and fees that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. All financial assets measured at amortised cost are short term in nature and the application of the expected credit loss model does not impact the carrying amounts of these financial assets as they approximate their fair values under IFRS 9.

Recognition, derecognition and measurement

Regular purchases and sales of investments are recognised on the trade date (i.e., the date on which the Fund commits to purchase or sell the investment). Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value. Transaction costs are expensed as incurred in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or the Fund has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership in accordance with IFRS 9. The Fund uses the FIFO method to determine realised gains and losses on derecognition. A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expired.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value. Realised and unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income within 'Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss'.

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For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

2. Material accounting policies (continued)

(f) Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

Fair value estimation

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives) are based on quoted market prices at the close of trading on the reporting date. In circumstances where the last traded price is not within the bid-ask spread, management will determine the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value.

Cash deposits and similar investments are valued at their face value together with accrued interest.

Forward foreign exchange contracts are valued as at the valuation point for the relevant dealing day by reference to the prevailing market maker quotations, namely, the price at which a new forward contract of the same size and maturity could be undertaken.

Financial derivative instruments ("FDI") not traded on an exchange shall be valued on a mark-to-market basis or, where market conditions prevent marking-to-market, on a mark-to-model basis.

(g) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of Financial Position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. Please refer to Note 8(f) "Offsetting and amounts subject to master netting/similar agreements" for further details.

(h) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks and other short-term investments in an active market with original maturities of three months or less.

(i) Expenses

Interest expense and all other expenses are recognised on an accrual basis. Please refer to Note 6 "Voluntary Expense Cap, reimbursable by the Investment Manager" for further details on the capped expenses.

(j) Income

Interest income from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is income arising on debt instruments at fair value through profit or loss is calculated on an effective interest basis and is presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

Interest income is income arising from cash and cash equivalents and is recognised on an accrual basis.

The Fund currently incurs withholding taxes imposed by certain countries on investment income and capital gains. Such income or gains are recorded gross of withholding taxes in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. There were no withholding taxes during the year.

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

2. Material accounting policies (continued)

(k) Redeemable participating shares

Shares are redeemable at the Shareholder's option and are classified as financial liabilities. The distribution cost, if any, on these Shares is recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income as finance costs.

These Shares can be put back to the Fund with effect from any valuation day (the business day preceding each dealing day (being the day upon which redemptions and subscriptions occur, i.e. each business day; and / or any other day which the Directors have determined, subject to advance notice to all Shareholders in the Fund and provided there is at least one dealing day per fortnight)) for cash equal to a proportionate share of the Fund's NAV. The Shares are carried at the redemption amount that is payable at the Statement of Financial Position date if the Shareholder exercised its right to put the Shares back to the Fund.

(I) Cash held in investor money collection accounts

Pursuant to the Central Bank Supervision and Enforcement Act 2013, section 48 (i) Investor Money Regulations 2015, the Administrator reviewed the way in which funds arising out of subscriptions and redemptions were being channelled into and out of the Fund and, arising out of this review, established a separate bank account to administer this process accordingly.

Cash held in investor money collection accounts represents cash balances maintained in an independent cash account in the name of the Fund, which relate to pending issuance of Shares or payments of redemptions. These cash balances are regarded as assets of the Fund and are therefore recognised on the Statement of Financial Position. As at 31 December 2023, the balance in these accounts was USD Nil (31 December 2022: USD Nil).

(m) Cash collateral

Cash held as collateral includes restricted cash balance held at the Fund's clearing brokers and collateral on derivative transactions. As at 31 December 2023, the Fund held cash collateral of USD Nil (31 December 2022: USD Nil).

(n) Securities purchased payable and receivables for securities sold

Securities purchased payable and receivables for securities sold are reported on the Statement of Financial Position. Securities purchased payable relate to unsettled purchases of securities yet to be traded but not yet settled. Receivables for securities sold relate to receivables for securities sold that have been contracted for but not yet delivered on the reporting date.

(o) Interest receivable

Interest receivable are reported on the Statement of Financial Position and relate to unsettled interest income from debt securities at fair value through profit or loss.

(p) Establishment costs

Establishment costs consist of the cost of establishing the ICAV and the Fund, including the expenses associated with obtaining authorisation from any authority, filing fees, the preparation and printing of the principal documents, marketing costs and the fees and expenses of legal counsel and other professionals involved in the establishment and initial offering of the ICAV. These costs are borne by the ICAV.

For NAV calculation purposes, these are amortised over a period of five years, beginning in the first year of operation, and may be allocated to the Fund at the absolute discretion of the Directors. For financial statement purposes, in conformity with IFRS, the establishment costs are expensed fully in the first year of operation. Refer to Note 9 for details of these adjustments.

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2. Material accounting policies (continued)

(q) Dividends policy

In respect of the distributing classes, if sufficient proceeds are available, the Directors intend to make a distribution to Shareholders of substantially the whole of the income of the Fund, as attributable to those distributing classes. Dividends are generally declared on a quarterly basis at the end of February, May, August and November, or more frequently at the discretion of the Directors, and are generally paid within 30 days of a dividend declaration.

3. Taxation

Under current law and practice the ICAV qualifies as an investment undertaking as defined in Section 739B of the Taxes Consolidation Act 1997, as amended. On that basis, it is not chargeable to Irish tax on its income or gains.

Notwithstanding the above, Irish tax may arise on the happening of a "chargeable event". A chargeable event includes:

- a) Any distribution payments made to Shareholders in respect of their Shares;
- b) Any encashment, redemption, cancellation or transfer of Shares;
- c) The holding of Shares at the end of each eight year period beginning with the acquisition of such Shares.

No Irish tax will arise on the ICAV in respect of chargeable events in respect of:

- a) A Shareholder who is neither Irish resident nor ordinarily resident in Ireland for tax purposes, at the time of the chargeable event, provided appropriate valid declarations in accordance with Section 739D of the Taxes Consolidation Act 1997, as amended, are held by the ICAV or the ICAV has been authorised by the Irish Revenue to make gross payments in the absence of appropriate declarations under the ICAV with the necessary signed statutory declarations; and
- b) Certain exempted Irish tax resident Shareholders who have provided the ICAV with the necessary signed statutory declarations.

Capital gains, dividends and interest received by the ICAV may be subject to taxes, including withholding taxes in the countries in which the issuers of investments are located, which may be reflected in the NAV of the ICAV. Such taxes may not be recoverable by the ICAV or its Shareholders.

The Fund has evaluated the tax positions and has concluded that there are no significant tax positions requiring recognition, measurement or disclosure in the financial statements. Tax penalties and interest, if any, would be accrued as incurred and would be classified as tax expense in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. For the year ended 31 December 2023, the Fund did not incur any interest or penalties.

4. Share capital

The Share capital of the ICAV shall at all times equal the NAV of the ICAV. The Directors are empowered to issue up to 500,000,000,000 Shares of no par value in the ICAV at the NAV per Share on such terms as they may think fit. There are no rights of pre-emption upon the issue of Shares in the ICAV.

As of 31 July 2020, the ICAV has issued subscriber shares to the value of EUR 2.00 (the "Subscriber Shares"). The Subscriber Shares entitle the shareholders holding them to attend and vote at all meetings of the ICAV, but do not entitle the Subscriber Shareholders to participate in the dividends or net assets of the Fund.

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4. Share capital (continued)

The ICAV offers Share Classes in the Fund as set out below. The ICAV may also create additional Share Classes in the Fund in the future with prior notification to, and clearance in advance by, the Central Bank.

| | | | Minimum Initial | | |
|----------------|----------|--------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| | | | Investment | Minimum | |
| | | Distribution | (mm = '000,000) | Subsequent | Minimum Holding |
| Class | Currency | Policy | (bn = '000,000,000) | | (mm = '000,000) |
| USD Class A-1 | USD | Accumulating | USD 1mm | USD 10,000 | USD 1mm |
| USD Class A-2 | USD | Distributing | USD 1mm | USD 10,000 | USD 1mm |
| USD Class B-1 | USD | Accumulating | USD 20mm | USD 10,000 | USD 5mm |
| USD Class B-2 | USD | Distributing | USD 20mm | USD 10,000 | USD 5mm |
| GBP Class A-1 | GBP | Accumulating | GBP 1mm | GBP 10,000 | GBP 1mm |
| GBP Class A-2 | GBP | Distributing | GBP 1mm | GBP 10,000 | GBP 1mm |
| GBP Class B-1 | GBP | Accumulating | GBP 20mm | GBP 10,000 | GBP 5mm |
| GBP Class B-2 | GBP | Distributing | GBP 20mm | GBP 10,000 | GBP 5mm |
| GBP Class C | GBP | Distributing | GBP 50mm | GBP 50,000 | GBP 50mm |
| Euro Class A-1 | Euro | Accumulating | EUR 1mm | EUR 10,000 | EUR 1mm |
| Euro Class A-2 | Euro | Distributing | EUR 1mm | EUR 10,000 | EUR 1mm |
| Euro Class B-1 | Euro | Accumulating | EUR 20mm | EUR 10,000 | EUR 5mm |
| Euro Class B-2 | Euro | Distributing | EUR 20mm | EUR 10,000 | EUR 5mm |
| YEN Class A-1 | YEN | Accumulating | JPY 100mm | JPY 1,000,000 | JPY 100mm |
| YEN Class A-2 | YEN | Distributing | JPY 100mm | JPY 1,000,000 | JPY 100mm |
| YEN Class B-1 | YEN | Accumulating | JPY 2bn | JPY 1,000,000 | JPY 500mm |
| YEN Class B-2 | YEN | Distributing | JPY 2bn | JPY 1,000,000 | JPY 500mm |
| ILS Class A-1 | ILS | Accumulating | ILS 100mm | ILS 1,000,000 | ILS 100mm |
| ILS Class A-2 | ILS | Distributing | ILS 100mm | ILS 1,000,000 | ILS 100mm |
| ILS Class B-1 | ILS | Accumulating | ILS 2bn | ILS 1,000,000 | ILS 500mm |
| ILS Class B-2 | ILS | Distributing | ILS 2bn | ILS 1,000,000 | ILS 500mm |
| DKK Class A-1 | DKK | Accumulating | DKK 10mm | DKK 100,000 | DKK 10mm |
| DKK Class A-2 | DKK | Distributing | DKK 10mm | DKK 100,000 | DKK 10mm |
| DKK Class B-1 | DKK | Accumulating | DKK 200mm | DKK 100,000 | DKK 50mm |
| DKK Class B-2 | DKK | Distributing | DKK 200mm | DKK 100,000 | DKK 50mm |
| SEK Class A-1 | SEK | Accumulating | SEK 10mm | SEK 10,000 | SEK 10mm |
| SEK Class A-2 | SEK | Distributing | SEK 10mm | SEK 100,000 | SEK 10mm |
| SEK Class B-1 | SEK | Accumulating | SEK 200mm | SEK 100,000 | SEK 20mm |
| SEK Class B-2 | SEK | Distributing | SEK 200mm | SEK 100,000 | SEK 20mm |
| CHF Class A-1 | CHF | Accumulating | CHF 1mm | CHF 10,000 | CHF 1mm |
| CHF Class A-2 | CHF | Distributing | CHF 1mm | CHF 10,000 | CHF 1mm |
| CHF Class B-1 | CHF | Accumulating | CHF 5mm | CHF 10,000 | CHF 1mm |
| CHF Class B-2 | CHF | Distributing | CHF 5mm | CHF 10,000 | CHF 1mm |
| CNY Class A-1 | CNY | Accumulating | CNY 5mm | CNY 5,000 | CNY 5mm |
| CNY Class A-2 | CNY | Distributing | CNY 5mm | CNY 5,000 | CNY 5mm |
| CNY Class B-1 | CNY | Accumulating | CNY 20mm | CNY 5,000 | CNY 5mm |
| CNY Class B-2 | CNY | Distributing | CNY 20mm | CNY 5,000 | CNY 5mm |

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4. Share capital (continued)

Each Share entitles the Shareholder to participate equally on a pro rata basis in the dividends and net assets of the Fund attributable to the relevant Share Class in respect of which they are issued, save in the case of dividends declared prior to becoming a Shareholder. The Subscriber Shares' entitlement is limited to the amount subscribed and accrued interest thereon.

The Directors also reserve the right to re-designate any Share Class from time to time, provided that Shareholders in that Share Class first have been notified by the ICAV that the Shares are re-designated and have been given the opportunity to have their Shares redeemed by the ICAV, except that this requirement shall not apply where the Directors re-designate Shares in issue in order to facilitate the creation of an additional Share Class.

Certain Shares entitle the Shareholder to attend and vote at meetings of the ICAV and of the Fund represented by those Shares.

Redemptions

The Directors may at their discretion in consultation with the Manager, as appropriate, limit the redemption of Shares of any Class. If redemption applications on any dealing day exceed 10% of the NAV of the Fund, or such higher percentage as the Directors may determine in their sole discretion in respect of any dealing day (the "Gate Amount"), the ICAV may (i) reduce all such redemption applications pro rata (in accordance with the size of the redemption applications so that Shares redeemed on such dealing day, in aggregate, represent only the Gate Amount) and (ii) defer redemption applications in excess of the Gate Amount to subsequent dealing days, subject to any Gate Amount applicable on any such dealing day. On the dealing day following the application of a Gate Amount, all redemption requests will be dealt with on a pro rata basis should the gate continue to apply. Except at the sole discretion of the ICAV, any such deferred redemption application may not be revoked.

Shareholders may request that Shares be redeemed on any dealing day by completing and submitting a redemption application to the ICAV care of the Administrator in accordance with the redemption cut-off time set out in the ICAV's prospectus and supplements. Redemption applications received after the relevant redemption cut-off time will be held over until the next applicable dealing day, unless the Directors determine in their sole discretion, in exceptional circumstances and where such redemption applications are received before the earliest relevant valuation point, to accept such redemption applications on the relevant dealing day.

Shares will be redeemed at the applicable NAV per Share on the dealing day as of which the redemption is effected, subject to any applicable fees associated with such redemption.

Transactions in the Shares of the Fund for the year ended 31 December 2023 are as follows:

| Class | Shares at start of year | Shares issued | Shares redeemed | Shares at end of year |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) | 33,961 | 19,648 | (13,035) | 40,574 |
| USD Class B-2 (Distributing) | 1,175 | 285 | (1,107) | 353 |
| GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) | 17,860 | 5,878 | (17,976) | 5,762 |
| Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) | 835 | 1,135 | (912) | 1,058 |
| Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) | 14,549 | 9,145 | (4,062) | 19,632 |
| Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) | 282.34 | - | (282.31) | 0.03 |
| YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) | 55 | - | - | 55 |
| YEN Class B-2 (Distributing) | 55 | 2 | - | 57 |
| CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) | 2,269 | 180 | (1,786) | 663 |

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4. Share capital (continued)

Transactions in the Shares of the Fund for the period from 22 June 2022 to 31 December 2022 are as follows:

| Class | Shares at | Shares | Shares | Shares at |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|
| | start of period | issued | redeemed | end of period |
| USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ | - | 40,252 | (6,291) | 33,961 |
| USD Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ | - | 1,175 42,011 | - (24,151) | 1,175 17,860 |
| Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) ¹ | - | 850 | (15) | 835 |
| Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ | | 14,619 | (70) | 14,549 |
| Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ | - | 338 55 | (56) | 282 55 |
| YEN Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ | - | 55 | - | 55 |
| CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ | | 4,642 | (2,373) | 2,269 |

¹ USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares, USD Class B-2 (Distributing) Shares, GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) Shares, Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) Shares, Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares, Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) Shares, YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares, YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares and CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares were launched on 22 June 2022.

5. Net asset value per share

The NAV per Share is calculated by dividing the NAV (the published NAV) of the Fund by the shares in issue at the Statement of Financial Position date, as detailed in the table below:

31 December 2023 31 December 2022

| USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ NAV Number of shares in issue | USD 49,008,917 40,574 | USD 34,169,208 33,961 |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| NAV per redeemable participating share | USD 1,207.90 | USD 1,006.12 |
| USD Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ | | |
| NAV | USD 324,709 | USD 988,403 |
| Number of shares in issue | 353 | 1,175 |
| NAV per redeemable participating share | USD 919.00 | USD 840.95 |
| GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ | | |
| NAV | USD 6,676,816 | USD 17,982,010 |
| Number of shares in issue | 5,762 | 17,860 |
| NAV per redeemable participating share | GBP 909.00 | GBP 836.98 |
| Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) ¹ | | |
| NAV | USD 1,274,035 | USD 827,417 |
| | 1,058 | , |
| Number of shares in issue | 1,000 | 835 |
| NAV per redeemable participating share | EUR 1,090.26 | EUR 928.76 |

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5. Net asset value per share (continued)

The NAV per Share is calculated by dividing the NAV (the published NAV) of the Fund by the shares in issue at the Statement of Financial Position date, as detailed in the table below (continued):

31 December 2023 31 December 2022

| Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ NAV | USD 24,271,165 | USD 14,777,857 |
|---|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Number of shares in issue NAV per redeemable participating share | 19,632 EUR 1,119.21 | 14,549 EUR 951.71 |
| Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ NAV Number of shares in issue NAV per redeemable participating share | USD 34 0.03 EUR 899.81 | USD 234,756 282 EUR 779.07 |
| YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ NAV Number of shares in issue NAV per redeemable participating share | USD 41,480 55 JPY 106,377.89 | USD 38,988 55 JPY 93,686.79 |
| YEN Class B-2 (Distributing) ¹ NAV Number of shares in issue NAV per redeemable participating share | USD 34,747 57 JPY 85,246.28 | USD 34,334 55 JPY 82,501.55 |
| CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) ¹ NAV Number of shares in issue NAV per redeemable participating share | USD 846,112 663 CHF 1,073.83 | USD 2,288,588 2,269 CHF 933.15 |

¹ USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares, USD Class B-2 (Distributing) Shares, GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) Shares, Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) Shares, Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares, Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) Shares, YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares, YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares and CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) Shares were launched on 22 June 2022.

6. Fees and Expenses

Management Fee

In respect of its provision of management services to the Fund, the Manager receives a management fee (the "Management Fee") at a maximum rate of 0.0825% per annum of the NAV of the Fund (plus VAT, if any). The Management Fee is subject to an annual minimum fee of EUR 42,000 (plus VAT, if any).

The Management Fee accrues on each dealing day and is paid monthly in arrears together with any reasonable and documented out of pocket expenses incurred by the Manager in the performance of its duties that are not covered by the Management Fee.

The Management Fee for the year ended 31 December 2023 was USD 25,052 (31 December 2022: USD 22,314) with USD 36,957 remaining payable at 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 22,314).
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6. Fees and Expenses (continued)

Audit fees

Audit fees for the year ended 31 December 2023 were USD 14,781 (31 December 2022: USD 30,000) (excluding VAT and out of pocket expenses).

No non audit services were provided by the Auditors to the Fund during the year.

Directors' fee

Directors' fees are charged at the ICAV level. The Directors are entitled to a fee by way of remuneration for their services to the ICAV at a rate to be determined from time to time by the Directors. The amount of the remuneration may not exceed EUR 40,000 per annum for each Director or any higher amount as may be determined by the Directors and notified to Shareholders from time to time. The Directors are entitled to be reimbursed by the ICAV for all reasonable disbursements and out-of-pocket expenses incurred by them, if any.

Joshua Hughes and Robert McGann have waived their director fee in relation to the ICAV.

Directors' fees for the year ended 31 December 2023 were USD 5,000 (31 December 2022: USD 36,630) with USD 1,208 remaining payable at 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 36,630).

Investment Management Fee

The Investment Manager receives an annual investment management fee out of the assets of the Fund at the rate of 0.70% per annum of its NAV for all Class A Shares, and at the rate of 0.50% per annum of its NAV for all Class B Shares and Class C Shares (in each case plus VAT, if any) for the provision of investment management and distribution services in respect of the Fund (the "Investment Management Fee").

The Investment Management Fee accrues at each valuation point and is paid monthly in arrears.

The Investment Management Fee for the year ended 31 December 2023 was USD 392,966 (31 December 2022: USD 238,750) with USD 435,151 remaining payable at 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 171,418).

Performance Fee

The Investment Manager is entitled to receive a performance fee (the "Performance Fee") in respect of the Class C Shares equal to 15% of the excess of the NAV per Share (after the deduction of the Investment Management Fee and all other payments and expenses but before the deduction of any (i) accrued Performance Fee and (ii) any dividends paid during the performance period) at the end of a performance period over the high water mark. The high water mark means, (i) the previous highest NAV per Share of each class (before any accrual for the Performance Fee) at the end of any previous performance period on which the Performance Fee was paid; or (ii) the Initial Offer Price, if higher, of the relevant class in respect of the Fund. No Performance Fee is paid to the Investment Manager with respect to the Class A Shares or the Class B Shares of the Fund.

The Performance Fee (if any) accrues on each dealing day. The Performance Fee accrued on each dealing day is determined by calculating the Performance Fee that is payable if that day is the last day of the current performance period. The Performance Fee is payable by the Fund to the Investment Manager annually in arrears, normally within 14 calendar days of the end of each performance period. The performance period is a calendar year ending on the last dealing day in each year.

No Performance Fee is payable unless the NAV per Share exceeds the high water mark and any such Performance Fee is payable only on an increase of the NAV over the high water mark.

The Class C Share Performance Fee is calculated on a Share by Share basis so that Class C Share is effectively charged a Performance Fee that equates precisely with that Share's performance. This method of calculation ensures that: (i) all holders of Class C Shares have the same amount of capital per Share at risk in the Fund and (ii) all Class C Shares of the Fund have the same NAV per Share.

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6. Fees and Expenses (continued)

Performance Fee (continued)

In order to achieve this, the Fund operates equalisation whereby a subscription for Class C Shares following the initial offer period or on any dealing day following the first day in any performance period will include an equalisation adjustment. If such subscription for Class C Shares is at a time when the NAV per Class C Share has not yet reached the high water mark, certain adjustments will be made to reduce inequities that could otherwise affect the subscriber or the Investment Manager. Where the high water mark has been reached, the equalisation adjustment will be the difference between the NAV per Class C Share before the accrual of any Class C Performance Fee and the NAV per Share after the accrual of the Class C Performance Fee. This difference will be adjusted at the end of the performance period in the following manner:

- (i) if the Performance Fee per Class C Share calculated (at the end of a performance period) in respect of a Class C Share subscribed for on a dealing day (other than the first dealing day in that performance period) is less than the Performance Fee accrued in respect of such Share in issue at the start of the performance period, the difference per Class C Share multiplied by the number of per Class C Shares subscribed for by the holder of that Share on that dealing day will be applied to subscribe for additional Class C Shares to be issued to that Shareholder; and
- (ii) if the Performance Fee per Class C Share calculated (at the end of a performance period) in respect of a Class C Share subscribed for on a dealing day (other than the first dealing day in that performance period) is greater than the Performance Fee per Class C Share accrued in respect of such Share at the start of the performance period, such number of Class C Shares held by the holder of that Share as having aggregate NAV equal to the difference per Class C Share of the relevant Shares multiplied by the number of the Class C Shares subscribed for by the holder of that Share will be redeemed at the NAV per Class C Share and the amount so redeemed shall be paid as a Class C Performance Fee to the Investment Manager.

There was no Performance Fee incurred by the Fund for the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022.

The equalisation credit payable to the Shareholders for the year ended 31 December 2023 was USD Nil (31 December 2022: USD Nil).

Voluntary Expense Cap, reimbursable by the Investment Manager

The Investment Manager has voluntarily agreed to cap the Management Fee, administration fees, depositary fees and the Fund's other expenses at 0.30% per annum of the NAV of the Fund for Class A and Class B Shares and will pay any excess of such expenses over this amount; provided that any Performance Fee, litigation and other extraordinary expenses shall be excluded from such cap. The Investment Manager has voluntarily agreed to cap the Investment Manager has voluntarily agreed to cap the Investment Management and distribution fee, Management Fee, administration fees, depositary fees and the Fund's other expenses, excluding the Class C Performance Fee with respect to the Class C Shares at no more than an effective rate of 0.25% per annum of the NAV of the Fund provided that any litigation and other extraordinary expenses are excluded. Only those fees and expenses which are actually incurred up to this cap will be payable out of the assets of the Fund. In the event that the Investment Manager decides in the future to withdraw or amend this cap, Shareholders will be notified in advance.

The expenses reimbursable by the Investment Manager above the expense cap, for the year ended 31 December 2023 were USD 343,317 (31 December 2022: USD 137,750) with USD 407,537 receivable at 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 137,750).

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7. Other expenses

For the year/period ended 31 December 2023 and 2022, other expenses comprised of the following balances:

| | | For the period from 22 June 2022 to |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| | 31 December 2023 USD | 31 December 2022 USD |
| Administrator Fees | 161,557 | 84,773 |
| Audit Fees | 14,781 | 30,000 |
| Custody Fees | 28,873 | 28,165 |
| Depositary Fees | 49,864 | 20,960 |
| Directors' Fee | 5,000 | 36,630 |
| Financial Reporting Fees | 14,908 | 15,000 |
| General Operating Expenses | 10,657 | 28,633 |
| Insurance | 27,482 | - |
| Legal Fees | (293) | 16,798 |
| Technology | 58,875 | - |
| Research and data sources | 168,097 | - |
| Total | 539,801 | 260,959 |

8. Financial risk management

(a) Introduction and overview

The Fund has exposure to the following specific risks from financial instruments:

- market risk (including price risk, currency risk, interest rate risk, and concentration risk);

- liquidity risk; and
- credit risk.

This note presents information about the Fund's exposure to each of the above risks, the Fund's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk.

Risk management framework

Under the terms and agreement of the management agreement between the Manager and the ICAV, the Manager has the responsibility for the management of the ICAV, comprising the functions of investment management, marketing and administration, with the power to delegate such functions as supervised by the Directors.

The risk monitoring process for the Fund is the responsibility of the Directors, together with the Fund's Investment Manager.

The Investment Manager is required to put in place measures to ensure that each of the specific management functions, including risk management, can be monitored effectively at any time. The Investment Manager has significant expertise and experience in the management, including investment management and administration, of collective investment schemes.

The Investment Manager is responsible for the compliance and monitoring of risk levels with the responsibility for risk management to assess the quality and adequacy of the control environment to manage risk for the Fund on a daily basis.

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For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

8. Financial risk management (continued)

(a) Introduction and overview (continued)

Leverage

The Fund may be leveraged through the use of FDI and the Fund may utilise leverage as appropriate, as determined by the Investment Manager, in the pursuit of its investment objective.

The ICAV will use the commitment approach to calculate the global exposure of the Fund, in accordance with the Fund's risk management process. The commitment approach is a methodology that aggregates the underlying market or notional values of financial derivative instruments to determine the degree of global exposure of the Fund to financial derivative instruments.

In accordance with the Central Bank UCITS Regulations, the Fund's global exposure through the use of financial derivative instruments will not exceed its total net assets, i.e. the Fund will not be leveraged in excess of 100% of its NAV.

(b) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market variables such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates and investment prices. The likelihood of these types of adverse changes and the extent to which they affect the business of the Fund cannot always be accurately predicted.

Changes in the market value or fair value of underlying assets could result in defaults that may in turn reduce or halt the distribution of cash to the Fund or trigger a liquidation of an investment.

(i) Price Risk

Price risk is the risk that the value of an investment may fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices, whether caused by factors specific to an individual investment or all factors affecting all instruments traded in the market.

The following table details the Fund's price risk exposure:

| 31 December 2023 | Exposure USD | Sensitivity USD |
|---|-----------------|--------------------|
| Asset-backed securities | 78,661,918 | 7,866,192 |
| The following table details the Fund's price risk exposure: | | |
| 31 December 2022 | Exposure USD | Sensitivity USD |
| Asset-backed securities | 69,390,262 | 6,939,026 |

Sensitivity analysis

If the price of the investments increased by 10%, this would have resulted in a movement in net assets as shown in table above.

A decrease would have resulted in an equal but opposite movement. 10% is deemed by management to be a reasonable estimate in price movements of the portfolio.

The Investment Manager attempts to mitigate this risk by maintaining a diversified portfolio.

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(b) Market risk (continued)

(ii) Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates.

In accordance with the Fund's policy, the Investment Manager monitors and reviews the Fund's foreign exchange exposure on a daily basis.

As at 31 December 2023, the Fund's exposure to currency risk is as follows:

| | Impact on NAV should currency | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| | Total USD | move by ± 5% | |
| Net currency liabilities as at 31 December 2023 were: | | | |
| British Pound Sterling | (122) | (6) | |
| Euro | 52,559 | 2,628 | |
| Japanese Yen | (7) | - | |
| Swiss Franc | (79) | (4) | |
| Total | 52,351 | 2,618 | |

As at 31 December 2022, the Fund's exposure to currency risk is as follows:

| | Impact on NAV should currency | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | Total mo USD | | |
| Net currency liabilities as at 31 December 2022 were: | | <u>± 5%</u> | |
| British Pound Sterling | (97,669) | (4,883) | |
| Euro | (38,086) | (1,904) | |
| Japanese Yen | (191) | (10) | |
| Swiss Franc | (7,298) | (365) | |
| Total | (143,244) | (7,162) | |

The Fund may utilise techniques and instruments, such as currency futures, options and forward currency contracts, for efficient portfolio management for currency hedging purposes, subject to the conditions and within the limits laid down by the Central Bank.

(iii) Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect future cash flows or the fair values of financial instruments.

Exposure to Interest Rate Risk

The Fund is exposed to the risk that the fair value or future cash flows from its financial instruments will fluctuate as a result of changes in market interest rates. The Fund monitors its exposure to market interest rates through its investments and cash balances.

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(b) Market risk (continued)

(iii) Interest Rate Risk (continued)

A summary of the Fund's interest rate sensitivity gap positions as at 31 December 2023, categorised by maturity date, is disclosed below:

| | Less than 1 year USD | 1 – 5 years USD | More than 5 years USD | Non-interest bearing USD | Total USD |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Assets | | | | | |
| Financial assets at fair value through | | | | | |
| profit or loss | - | 998,517 | 77,663,401 | 336,251 | 78,998,169 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 2,187,777 | - | - | - | 2,187,777 |
| Other assets and receivables | | - | - | 1,999,759 | 1,999,759 |
| Total assets | 2,187,777 | 998,517 | 77,663,401 | 2,336,010 | 83,185,705 |
| Liabilities Financial liabilities at fair value through | | | | | |
| profit or loss | - | - | - | 837 | 837 |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities | | - | - | 706,853 | 706,853 |
| Total liabilities | - | - | - | 707,690 | 707,690 |
| Interest rate sensitivity gap | 2,187,777 | 998,517 | 77,663,401 | | |
| Sensitivity | 808,497 | | | | |

A summary of the Fund's interest rate gap positions as at 31 December 2022, categorised by maturity date, is disclosed below:

| | Less than 1 year USD | 1 – 5 years USD | More than 5 years USD | Non-interest bearing USD | Total USD |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Assets | | | | | |
| Financial assets at fair value through | | | | | |
| profit or loss | - | 4,325,852 | 65,064,410 | 259,914 | 69,650,176 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 1,288,402 | - | - | - | 1,288,402 |
| Other assets and receivables | - | - | - | 1,468,417 | 1,468,417 |
| Total assets | 1,288,402 | 4,325,852 | 65,064,410 | 1,728,331 | 72,406,995 |
| Liabilities Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss | _ | _ | _ | 647,631 | 647.631 |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities | - | - | - | 417,803 | 417,803 |
| Total liabilities | | - | - | 1,065,434 | 1,065,434 |
| Interest rate sensitivity gap | 1,288,402 | 4,325,852 | 65,064,410 | | |
| Sensitivity | 706,787 | | | | |

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(b) Market risk (continued)

(iii) Interest Rate Risk (continued)

Sensitivity analysis

If the interest rates strengthened by 1%, with all other variables held constant, net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares would have changed by the amount shown above. A 1% weakening of interest rates would have resulted in an equal but opposite effect on the above financial statement amounts on the basis that all other variables remain constant.

Limitations of sensitivity analysis

The sensitivity analyses disclosed above are subject to a number of limitations, as follows:

- The methodology is based on historical data and cannot take account of the fact that future market price movements, correlations between markets and levels of market liquidity in conditions of market stress may bear no relation to historical patterns;
- b. The market price risk information is a relative estimate of risk rather than a precise and accurate number;
- c. The market price information represents a hypothetical outcome and is not intended to be predictive; and
- d. Future market conditions could vary significantly from those experienced in the past.

(iv) Concentration risk

The Fund is subject to concentration risk if it has a large exposure to a particular holding or if investors to the Fund have a holding of Shares greater than 5%.

As at 31 December 2023, three (31 December 2022: three) Shareholders held greater than 5% of the issued shares of USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) amounting to a combined holding of a 69% of the issued shares in that class (31 December 2022: 65%).

As at 31 December 2023, one (31 December 2022: one) Shareholder held greater than 5% of the issued shares of EUR Class B-1 (Accumulating) amounting to a holding of a 88% of the issued shares in that class (31 December 2022: 59%).

As at 31 December 2023, one (31 December 2022: two) Shareholder held greater than 5% of the issued shares of GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) amounting to a holding of a 69% of the issued shares in that class (31 December 2022: 97%).

As at 31 December 2023, the Fund held no investments greater than 5% of the NAV (31 December 2022: Nil).

The Fund is being actively marketed to reduce the concentration risk of Shareholders to the Fund. The Fund is being marketed across U.K., U.S. and Europe for USD Class.

(c) Liquidity risk

This is the risk that a lack of a market in certain portfolio securities could prevent the Fund from liquidating unfavourable positions or prevent the Fund from funding redemption requests from existing Shareholders.

The following table illustrates the potential liquidity of financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss:

| As at 31 December 2023 | Less than 1 month USD | 1 month G to 1 year USD | Greater than No stat 1 year matur USD USD | | Total USD |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|---|--------------|
| Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares* Financial liabilities at fair value through profit | 82,478,015 | - | - | - | 82,478,015 |
| or loss | 837 | - | - | - | 837 |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities | - | 706,853 | - | - | 706,853 |
| Total liabilities | 82,478,852 | 706,853 | - | - | 83,185,705 |
| - | | | | | |

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

8. Financial risk management (continued)

(c) Liquidity risk (continued)

The following table illustrates the potential liquidity of financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (continued):

| As at 31 December 2022 | Less than 1 month USD | 1 month G to 1 year USD | reater than 1 year USD | No stated maturity USD | Total USD |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares* Financial liabilities at fair value through profit | 71,341,561 | - | - | - | 71,341,561 |
| or loss | 647,631 | - | - | - | 647,631 |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities | - | 417,803 | - | - | 417,803 |
| Total liabilities | 71,989,192 | 417,803 | - | - | 72,406,995 |

*Shares are redeemable at the Shareholder's option. However, the Directors do not envisage that the contractual maturity disclosed in the table above will be representative of the actual cash outflows, as the Directors can institute a gate provision if the redemption applications on any dealing day exceed 10% of the NAV of the Fund (see Note 4).

As at 31 December 2023, the Fund did not hold any securities that in the Investment Manager's opinion could not be liquidated within a reasonable timeframe.

(d) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment that it has entered into with the Fund, resulting in a financial loss to the Fund.

The Fund seeks to minimise its credit risk through continuous monitoring of the credit rating of the different counterparties and through compliance with the Central Bank UCITS Regulations in terms of investment restrictions.

The Fund's maximum credit risk exposure at the Statement of Financial Position date is represented by the respective carrying amounts of the financial instruments in the Statement of Financial Position, including cash and cash equivalents, cash held in investor money collection account and financial derivative instruments held at the year end.

At 31 December 2023, all investments, cash and cash equivalents were held with J.P. Morgan Chase Bank, N.A., which has a credit rating of a AA (31 December 2022: AA), by Fitch Ratings Inc.

At 31 December 2023, the Fund's debt securities investments had the following credit rating by Moody's Investors Service:

| Credit Rating | No. of debt securities |
|---------------|------------------------|
| B1 | 2 |
| Ba3 | 19 |
| Baa1 | 1 |
| Baa2 | 1 |
| Baa3 | 13 |

Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

8. Financial risk management (continued)

(d) Credit risk (continued)

At 31 December 2023, the number of debt securities investments with no ratings (NR) by Moody's Investors Service have the following credit ratings by Standard & Poor's and Fitch Ratings Inc.:

| Standard & Poor's Credit Rating | No. of debt securities | Fitch Ratings Inc Credit Rating | No. of debt securities |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
| B+ | 1 | BBB- | 3 |
| BB- | 14 | | |
| BBB | 1 | | |
| BBB- | 16 | | |

At 31 December 2022, the Fund's debt securities investments had the following credit rating by Moody's Investors Service:

| Credit Rating | No. of debt securities |
|---------------|------------------------|
| B3 | 1 |
| Ba3 | 18 |
| Baa2 | 1 |
| Baa3 | 15 |

At 31 December 2022, the number of debt securities investments with no ratings (NR) by Moody's Investors Service have the following credit ratings by Standard & Poor's and Fitch Ratings Inc.:

| Standard & Poor's Credit | | Fitch Ratings Inc Credit | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Rating | No. of debt securities | Rating | No. of debt securities |
| B+ | 2 | BBB- | 2 |
| BB- | 11 | | |
| BBB | 2 | | |
| BBB- | 10 | | |
| BBB+ | 1 | | |

(e) Fair value measurement

As the Fund's investments are classified as financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, the carrying value of the Fund's investments is a reasonable approximation of fair value. The Fund's accounting policy on fair value measurements is discussed in Note 2(f). The Fund measures fair values, as defined by IFRS 13 'Fair Value Measurement', using the following fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements:

Level 1: Quoted market price (unadjusted) in an active market for an identical instrument.

- Level 2: Valuation techniques based on observable inputs, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices). This category includes instruments valued using: quoted market prices in active markets for similar instruments; quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are considered less than active; or other valuation techniques where all significant inputs are directly or indirectly observable from market data.
- Level 3: Valuation techniques using significant unobservable inputs. This category includes all instruments where the valuation technique includes inputs not based on observable data and the unobservable inputs have a significant effect on the instrument's valuation. This category includes instruments that are valued based on quoted prices for similar instruments where significant unobservable adjustments or assumptions are required to reflect differences between the instruments.

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(e) Fair value measurement (continued)

Fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities that are traded in active markets are based on quoted market prices or dealer price quotations.

For all other financial instruments, the Fund determines fair values using valuation techniques as described in Note 8(e).

Fair value hierarchy analysis

The table below analyses the Fund's assets and liabilities measured at fair value as at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022 by the level in the fair value hierarchy into which the fair value measurement is categorised and the assets and liabilities not measured at fair value but for which carrying value approximates to fair value.

| As at 31 December 2023 | Level 1 USD | Level 2 USD | Level 3 USD | Total USD |
|--|----------------|------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | | | |
| Debt securities | - | 78,661,918 | - | 78,661,918 |
| Derivatives | - | 336,251 | - | 336,251 |
| Total financial assets at fair value through profit or | - | 78,998,169 | - | 78,998,169 |
| Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss | | () | | () |
| Derivatives | - | (837) | - | (837) |
| Total financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss | - | (837) | - | (837) |
| | | | | |
| As at 31 December 2022 | Level 1 USD | Level 2 USD | Level 3 USD | Total USD |
| As at 31 December 2022 — Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Debt securities Derivatives | | USD | | USD |
| Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss | | USD 69,390,262 | | USD 69,390,262 |
| Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Debt securities Derivatives Total financial assets at fair value through profit or | | USD 69,390,262 259,914 | | USD 69,390,262 259,914 |

Transfers between levels are recognised at the end of the reporting year/period. There were no transfers between levels during the year ended 31 December 2023 and the period ended 31 December 2022.

All other current assets and current liabilities included in the Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022 are carried at values that reflect a reasonable approximation of their fair value.

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(f) Offsetting and amounts subject to master netting/similar agreements

As at 31 December 2023 the Fund was subject to ISDA master netting agreements, which are applicable if the Fund entered into FDI on an over-the-counter ("OTC") basis.

The following financial instruments were subject to enforceable master netting agreements:

As at 31 December 2023

| | 0 | Gross amount of recognised financial assets | Net amounts of financial assets | | mounts not c ent of Financ | |
|---|-------------------------------|---|--|-------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| | Gross amount of recognised | set-off in the Statement of | presented in the Statement of | Financial | Cash | |
| | financial | Financial | Financial | Derivative | Collateral | Net |
| | assets | Position | Position | Instruments | Received | Amount |
| Description | USD | USD | USD | USD | USD | USD |
| Derivative Assets | | | | | | |
| Brown Brothers Harriman Forward Foreign Currency | | | | | | |
| Contracts | 336,251 | - | 336,251 | (837) | - | 335,414 |
| | Gross amount | Gross amount of recognised financial liabilities set-off in the | Net amounts of financial liabilities presented in the | | mounts not c ent of Financ | |
| | of recognized | Statement of | Statement of | Financial | Cash | |
| | financial | Financial | Financial | Derivative | Collateral | Net |
| | liabilities | Position | Position | Instruments | Pledged | Amount |
| Description | USD | USD | USD | USD | USD | USD |
| Derivative Liabilities | | | | | | |
| Brown Brothers Harriman Forward Foreign Currency | | | | | | |
| Contracts | (837) | - | (837) | 837 | - | |

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(f) Offsetting and amounts subject to master netting/similar agreements (continued)

As at 31 December 2022, the Fund was subject to ISDA master netting agreements, which are applicable if the Fund entered into FDI on an OTC basis.

The following financial instruments were subject to enforceable master netting agreements:

As at 31 December 2022

| | Gross amount | Gross amount of recognised financial assets set-off in the | Net amounts of financial assets presented in the | | mounts not o ent of Financi | |
|--|---|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|
| Description | of recognised financial assets USD | Statement of Financial Position USD | Statement of Financial Position USD | Financial Derivative Instruments USD | Cash Collateral Received USD | Net Amount USD |
| Derivative Assets | | | | | | |
| Brown Brothers Harriman Forward Foreign Currency Contracts | 259,914 | | 259,914 | (259,914) | - | |
| | | Gross amount | | | | |
| | Gross amount | of recognised financial liabilities set-off in the | Net amounts of financial liabilities presented in the | | mounts not o ent of Financi | |
| | Gross amount of recognized | financial | financial | | | |
| | of recognized financial | financial liabilities set-off in the Statement of Financial | financial liabilities presented in the Statement of Financial | <u>Stateme</u> Financial Derivative | ent of Financi Cash Collateral | al Position Net |
| Description | of recognized financial liabilities | financial liabilities set-off in the Statement of Financial Position | financial liabilities presented in the Statement of Financial Position | <u>Stateme</u> Financial Derivative Instruments | ent of Financi Cash Collateral Pledged | al Position Net Amount |
| Description Derivative Liabilities Brown Brothers Harriman Forward Foreign Currency | of recognized financial | financial liabilities set-off in the Statement of Financial | financial liabilities presented in the Statement of Financial | <u>Stateme</u> Financial Derivative | ent of Financi Cash Collateral | al Position Net |

The Fund and its counterparty have elected to settle all transactions on a gross basis, however, each party has the option to settle all open contracts on a net basis in the event of default of the other party. Per the terms of the master netting agreement, an event of default includes the following:

- failure by a party to make payment when due;
- failure by a party to perform any obligation required by the agreement (other than payment) if such failure is not remedied within 30 days after notice of such failure is given to the party; and
- bankruptcy.

(g) Efficient portfolio management

The Fund may engage in transactions in FDI for the purposes of efficient portfolio management to reduce risk, reduce costs, generate additional capital at an appropriate risk level and/or to protect against exchange rate risks within the conditions and limits laid down by the Central Bank from time to time. The FDI that the Fund may use for efficient portfolio management are forward foreign currency contracts, listed options, credit default swaps and total return swaps. The Investment Manager will look to ensure that the techniques and instruments used are economically appropriate in that they will be realised in a cost-effective way.

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8. Financial risk management (continued)

(g) Efficient portfolio management (continued)

Realised and unrealised gains and losses on FDIs for efficient portfolio management are presented in the Fund's Statement of Comprehensive Income within 'Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss'. For the year ended 31 December 2023, the Fund had realised gains/(losses) of USD 80,094 (31 December 2022: USD (808,533)) and movement in unrealised gains/(losses) of USD 723,132 (31 December 2022: USD (387,717)) in relation to the use of FDI for efficient portfolio management.

There were no significant direct and indirect operational costs and fees incurred from efficient portfolio management techniques used by the Fund.

9. Reconciliation of Net Asset Value

For the purposes of calculating the Fund's published NAV, the establishment costs are amortised over a period of five years, beginning in the first year of operation and may be allocated to the Fund at the absolute discretion of the Directors. For financial statement purposes, in conformity with IFRS, the establishment costs are expensed fully in the first year of operation.

The difference between the published NAV and the NAV in the audited financial statements arose as a result of the treatment of unamortised establishment costs, which should be expensed as incurred under IFRS. This has no impact on the published NAV per share of the Fund, its related subscription and redemption pricing, distributions to holders of redeemable participating shares or the calculation of fees due to the Fund.

A reconciliation between the NAV per the audited financial statements and the published NAV for dealing purposes as at 31 December 2023 is as follows:

| | | | | 2023 |
|---|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | USD |
| Published NAV | | | | 82,488,392 |
| Unamortised establishment | costs | | | (10,377) |
| NAV per financial statement | S | | = | 82,478,015 |
| | USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) USD | USD Class B-2 (Distributing) USD | GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) GBP | Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) EUR |
| Published NAV per share Unamortised establishment costs per | 1,208.05 | 919.11 | 909.11 | 1,090.40 |
| share | (0.15) | (0.11) | (0.11) | (0.14) |
| NAV per share per financial statements | 1,207.90 | 919.00 | 909.00 | 1,090.26 |
| | Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) EUR | Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) EUR | YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) JPY | YEN Class B-2 (Distributing) JPY |
| Published NAV per share Unamortised establishment costs per | 1,119.35 | 900.01 | 106,391.27 | 85,257.01 |
| share | (0.14) | (0.20) | (13.38) | (10.73) |
| NAV per share per financial statements | 1,119.21 | 899.81 | 106,377.89 | 85,246.28 |

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9. Reconciliation of Net Asset Value (continued)

A reconciliation between the NAV per the audited financial statements and the published NAV for dealing purposes as at 31 December 2023 is as follows (continued):

| | CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) CHF |
|---|--|
| Published NAV per share Unamortised establishment costs per | 1,073.96 |
| share | (0.13) |
| NAV per share per financial statements | 1,073.83 |

A reconciliation between the NAV per the audited financial statements and the published NAV for dealing purposes as at 31 December 2022 is as follows:

| Published NAV Unamortised establishment o NAV per financial statements | | | - | 2022 USD 71,358,565 (17,004) 71,341,561 |
|--|--|--|--|---|
| Published NAV per share Unamortised establishment costs per | USD Class B-1 (Accumulating) USD 1,006.36 | USD Class B-2 (Distributing) USD 841.15 | GBP Class B-2 (Distributing) GBP 837.18 | Euro Class A-1 (Accumulating) EUR 928.98 |
| share | (0.24) | (0.20) | (0.20) | (0.22) |
| NAV per share per financial statements | 1,006.12 | 840.95 | 836.98 | 928.76 |
| | Euro Class B-1 (Accumulating) EUR | Euro Class B-2 (Distributing) EUR | YEN Class B-1 (Accumulating) JPY | YEN Class B-2 (Distributing) JPY |
| Published NAV per share Unamortised establishment costs per | 951.94 | 779.26 | 93,709.13 | 82,521.22 |
| share | (0.23) | (0.19) | (22.34) | (19.67) |
| NAV per share per financial statements | 951.71 | 779.07 | 93,686.79 | 82,501.55 |
| Published NAV per share Unamortised establishment costs per | | | | CHF Class B-1 (Accumulating) CHF 933.37 |

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(0.22)

933.15

share

NAV per share per financial statements

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10. Foreign exchange rates

The exchange rates as at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022 used in the production of these financial statements to the presentation currency of USD were as follows:

| | 31 December 2023 | 31 December 2022 |
|------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| British Pound Sterling | 1.2748 | 1.2029 |
| Euro | 1.1047 | 1.0673 |
| Japanese Yen | 0.0071 | 0.0076 |
| Swiss Franc | 1.1881 | 1.0808 |

11. Related Parties

Details of all fees paid to the Manager and Investment Manager of the Fund and expenses reimbursable by the Investment Manager have been disclosed in Note 6.

Details regarding Directors' fee, including any other emoluments or gains which have been paid or are payable, to any Director of the ICAV have been disclosed in Note 6.

As at 31 December 2023, three Shareholders who are related to the Investment Manager held 0.43% of the NAV of the Fund (31 December 2022: two Shareholders held 1.49% of the NAV).

Effective 22 June 2022, shares in the DMS Fund were exchanged for shares in the Fund, and the investments, cash and all other assets of the DMS Fund, excluding the retained liabilities of the DMS Fund were transferred to the Fund. USD 103,765,741 was transferred from the DMS Fund into the Fund with USD 100,448,428 of assets and liabilities transferring and the remaining USD 3,317,313 transferring as cash.

Carne Global Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited, as Manager is considered a related party to the ICAV as it is considered to have significant influence over the ICAV in its role as Manager. For the year ended 31 December 2023, the Manager received fees which are presented on Note 6. Carne Global Financial Services Limited, the parent company of the Manager, received fees amounting to USD 21,845 during the year ended 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 22,521) in respect of fund governance services to the ICAV, and there was USD 30,753 outstanding at 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 17,607).

As at 31 December 2023, the Fund held CLO debt positions affiliated with the Investment Manager which had a fair market value of USD 2,245,169 (31 December 2022: USD 4,348,833). The positions were included as part of the Merger which took effect on 22 June 2022.

During the year ended 31 December 2023 and period ended 31 December 2022, the Fund entered into trades, both purchases and sales, where the counterparty was another entity for which CIFC Asset Management LLC acts as Investment Manager ("cross trades"). All cross trades are carried out in accordance with the procedures prescribed by the Investment Manager's compliance department. The value of such purchases and sales amounted to USD 970,000 and USD 2,348,100 respectively (31 December 2022: USD 627,375 and USD 4,042,630 respectively).

There were no other related party transactions for the year other than those disclosed above, and in Note 6.

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12. Transaction costs

Transaction costs are defined as the incremental costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, issue or disposal of a financial asset or financial liability. An incremental cost is one that would not have been incurred if the entity had not acquired, issued or disposed of the financial instrument.

Transaction costs include brokerage fees and custodian agent fees relating to purchase or sale of financial instruments including derivatives (except OTC derivatives). Transaction costs for fixed income securities are not separately identifiable as they are embedded in the bid/offer price of the security transaction.

Transaction costs incurred by the Fund for the year ended 31 December 2023 were USD 1,957 (31 December 2022: USD 2,112).

13. Distributions

A total distribution of USD 1,287,519 was made by the Fund on all distributing classes for the year ended 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: USD 1,213,183) as per the Fund's dividend policy described in the Directors' Report under "Dividends". The dividend ex-dates were 3 February 2023, 5 May 2023, 4 August 2023 and 3 November 2023 and the pay dates were 10 February 2023, 12 May 2023, 11 August 2023 and 10 November 2023 respectively.

14. Commitments and contingent liabilities

As at 31 December 2023, the Fund did not have any significant commitments or contingent liabilities (31 December 2022: None).

15. Indemnities

The Fund has entered into agreements that contain a variety of indemnities. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown as this would involve future claims that may be made against the Fund that have not yet occurred. However, based on experience, the Fund expects the risk of loss to be remote.

16. Soft commissions

The Investment Manager has not entered into soft commission arrangements with brokers in respect of which certain goods and services used to support investment decision making were received for the year ended 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022: None).

17. Whistleblowing Policy

The ICAV has adopted a whistleblowing policy pursuant to the Protected Disclosures Act 2014, as amended which gives legal protection to workers, which includes directors and shareholders, who make disclosures, including protections against dismissal or being penalised by the Manager. Further details are available in the policy, which is available on request.

18. Significant events during the year

Effective from 23 June 2023, the Legal Adviser changed to Matheson LLP from Arthur Cox LLP and also ICAV secretary changed to Matsack Trust Limited (a wholly owned company by Matheson LLP) from Bradwell Limited.

Effective from 29 June 2023, the registered office changed to 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, D02 R296, Ireland from 10 Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2, D02 T380 Ireland.

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18. Significant events during the year (continued)

Effective from 1 November 2023, the registered office of the Manager changed to 3rd Floor, 55 Charlemont Place, Dublin 2 D02 F985, Ireland from 2nd Floor, Block E, Iveagh Court, Harcourt Road, Dublin 2, Ireland.

Management believes that there were no other significant events during the year that need to be reflected in the audited financial statements or disclosed in the notes to the audited financial statements.

19. Subsequent events

An updated ICAV's prospectus was issued, dated 17 April 2024, in order to reflect the Fund's exposure to regulated markets.

From 1 January 2024 to 25 April 2024, the Fund had additional subscriptions of USD 3,185,918 and redemptions of USD 319,519. These post period end subscriptions and redemptions all settled prior to the approval of the audited financial statements on 25 April 2024.

Management believes that there are no other post year end events that need to be reflected in the audited financial statements or disclosed in the notes to the audited financial statements.

20. Approval of the audited annual financial statements

The Directors approved the audited annual financial statements on 25 April 2024.

Appendix 1 - Statement of Portfolio Changes (Unaudited)

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and for the period from 22 June 2022 (commencement of operations) to 31 December 2022 (*Expressed in United States Dollars*)

Cost

Purchases*

| Purchases* | Cost USD |
|--|---|
| HPS Loan Management 2023-17 Ltd., 5.45%, 23/04/2036 | 3,500,000 |
| Ares XLVIII CLO Ltd., 2.70%, 20/07/2030 | 3,158,750 |
| OHA Credit Partners XIV Ltd., 2.70%, 21/01/2030 | 2,838,360 |
| Flatiron CLO 23 LLC, 5.25%, 17/04/2036 | 2,000,000 |
| Galaxy XXI CLO Ltd., 2.65%, 20/04/2031 | 1,851,250 |
| Magnetite XV Ltd., 5.20%, 25/07/2031 | 1,839,080 |
| Upland CLO Ltd., 11.58%, 20/04/2031 | 1,810,000 |
| Harbor Park CLO 18-1 Ltd., 8.58%, 20/01/2031 | 1,800,500 |
| Highbridge Loan Management 2013-2 Ltd., 12.28%, 20/10/2029 | 1,630,090 |
| Galaxy XXVII CLO Ltd., 5.78%, 16/05/2031 | 1,529,150 |
| Palmer Square CLO 2020-3 Ltd., 9.62%, 15/11/2036 | 1,512,887 |
| Palmer Square CLO 2018-1 Ltd., 8.16%, 18/04/2031 | 1,486,500 |
| Catskill Park CLO Ltd., 3.70%, 20/04/2029 | 1,437,480 |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO 24 Ltd., 6.02%, 19/04/2030 | 1,372,750 |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO 26 Ltd., 5.90%, 18/10/2030 | 1,367,635 |
| Betony CLO 2 Ltd., 5.65%, 30/04/2031 | 1,230,000 |
| Gilbert Park CLO Ltd., 8.61%, 15/10/2030 | 1,221,875 |
| Regatta XIV Funding Ltd., 5.95%, 25/10/2031 | 1,123,362 |
| Goldentree Loan Opportunities XII Ltd., 8.57%, 21/07/2030 | 987,000 |
| Apidos CLO XX, 8.61%, 16/07/2031 | 984,500 |
| | |
| Sales* | Proceeds USD |
| | |
| Sales* Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO 2014-1 Ltd., 2.60%, 17/04/2031 Highbridge Loan Management 7-2015 Ltd., 2.40%, 15/03/2027 | USD |
| Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO 2014-1 Ltd., 2.60%, 17/04/2031 | USD 3,019,446 |
| Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO 2014-1 Ltd., 2.60%, 17/04/2031 Highbridge Loan Management 7-2015 Ltd., 2.40%, 15/03/2027 | USD 3,019,446 3,000,000 |
| Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO 2014-1 Ltd., 2.60%, 17/04/2031 Highbridge Loan Management 7-2015 Ltd., 2.40%, 15/03/2027 Magnetite VIII Ltd., 2.90%, 15/04/2031 | USD 3,019,446 3,000,000 2,919,120 |
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*Floating rate securities.

The Central Bank requires a schedule of material changes in the composition of the portfolio during the year. These are defined as aggregate purchases of a security exceeding one per cent of the total value of purchases for the year and aggregate disposals greater than one per cent of the total value of sales. At a minimum the largest 20 purchases and 20 sales must be given or all purchases and sales if less than 20.

A full list of purchases and sales for the year ended 31 December 2023 is available on request from the Administrator.

Appendix 2 - UCITS V Remuneration Disclosure (Unaudited)

31 December 2023

UCITS V Remuneration Disclosure

The European Union Directive 2014/91/EU as implemented in Ireland by S.I. No. 143/2016 - European Union (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) (Amendment) Regulations 2016, requires management companies to establish and apply remuneration policies and practices that promote sound and effective risk management, and do not encourage risk taking which is inconsistent with the risk profile of the UCITS.

To that effect, the Manager, has implemented a remuneration policy that applies to all UCITS for which the Manager acts as manager (the "Remuneration Policy") and covers all staff whose professional activities have a material impact on the risk profile of the Manager or the UCITS it manages ("Identified Staff of the Manager"). The Remuneration Policy also applies to all alternative investment funds for which the Manager acts as alternative investment fund manager. In accordance with the Remuneration Policy, all remuneration paid to Identified Staff of the Manager of the Manager can be divided into:

- Fixed remuneration (payments or benefits without consideration of any performance criteria); and
- Variable remuneration (additional payments or benefits depending on performance or, in certain cases, other contractual criteria) which is not based on the performance of the UCITS.

The Manager has designated the following persons as Identified Staff of the Manager:

- 1. The Designated Persons;
- 2. Each of the Manager's directors;
- 3. Head of Compliance;
- 4. Risk Officer;
- 5. Head of Anti-Money Laundering and Counter Terrorist Financing Compliance
- 6. Money Laundering Reporting Officer;
- 7. Chief Executive Officer;
- 8. Chief Operating Officer;
- 9. All members of the investment committee;
- 10. All members of the risk committee; and
- 11. All members of the valuation committee.

The Manager has a business model, policies, and procedures which by their nature do not promote excessive risk taking and take account of the nature, scale, and complexity of the Manager and the UCITS. The Remuneration Policy is designed to discourage risk taking that is inconsistent with the risk profile of the UCITS and the Manager is not incentivised or rewarded for taking excessive risk.

The Manager has determined not to constitute a separate remuneration committee and for remuneration matters to be determined through the Manager's Compliance and AML Committee, a Committee of the Manager's Board.

The Manager's Compliance and AML Committee is responsible for the ongoing implementation of the Manager's remuneration matters and will assess, oversee, and review the remuneration arrangements of the Manager as well as that of the delegates as relevant, in line with the provisions of the applicable remuneration requirements.

The Manager employs the majority of staff directly. The Manager's parent company is Carne Global Financial Services Limited ("Carne"). In addition, Carne also operates through a shared services organisational model which provides that Carne employs a number of staff and further enters into inter-group agreements with other Carne Group entities to ensure such entities are resourced appropriately. As at 31 December 2023, 12 of the Identified Staff are employed directly by the Manager. The remainder of the Identified Staff are employees of Carne, or employees of another entity within the Carne Group, and are remunerated directly based on their contribution to Carne Group as a whole. In return for the services of each of the Carne Identified Staff, the Manager pays an annual staff recharge to Carne (the "Staff Recharge").

The independent non-executive directors are paid a fixed remuneration. The Other Identified Staff members' remuneration is linked to their overall individual contribution to the Manager or the Carne Group, with reference to both financial and non-financial criteria and not directly linked to the performance of specific business units or targets reached or the performance of the UCITS.

Appendix 2 - UCITS V Remuneration Disclosure (Unaudited) (continued)

31 December 2023

UCITS V Remuneration Disclosure (continued)

The aggregate of the total Staff Recharge, remuneration of the directly employed identified staff of the Manager and the remuneration of the independent non-executive directors for the year ended 31 December 2023 is €2,424,932 paid to 22 Identified Staffⁱ for the year ended 31 December 2023.

The Manager has also determined that, on the basis of number of sub-funds / net asset value of the UCITS relative to the number of sub-funds / assets under management, the portion of this figure attributable to the UCITS is EUR €1,885.

ⁱ This number represents the number of Identified Staff of the Manager as at 31 December 2023.

Appendix 3 - Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (Unaudited)

31 December 2023

Disclosures pursuant to the Taxonomy Regulation

The investments underlying this financials product do not take in to account the European Union criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.