# CLEARANCE CAMINO FUND LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT & AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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#### **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

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#### **INVESTMENT MANAGER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

The movement in the net asset value of Clearance Camino Fund Limited's (the "Company's") shares during the year ended 31 March 2023 amounted to the following:

Share class	Currency	Net return for the year ended 31 March 2023	Net return for the year ended 31 March 2022
Class A Euro Shares	Euro	-34.4%	+15.1%
Class B Euro Shares	Euro	-34.1%	+15.5%
Class C Euro Shares	Euro	-33.9%	+15.8%
Class A Sterling Shares	Pound Sterling	-31.8%	+14.2%
Class B Sterling Shares	Pound Sterling	-31.5%	+14.7%
Class C Sterling Shares*	Pound Sterling	-	+15.0%
Class A US Dollar Shares	US Dollars	-36.0%	+9.0%
Class B US Dollar Shares	US Dollars	-35.7%	+9.3%
Class C US Dollar Shares**	US Dollars	-	-

<sup>\*</sup>Class C Sterling Shares were not consistently active during the year. The Manager owns the remaining shares in issue with the intention of fully redeeming imminently.

During the same period, the Company's Euro-denominated benchmark, the FTSE/EPRA NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index ("EPRA"), and the broader European equity markets, represented by the Eurostoxx 50 Net Total Return Index ("Eurostoxx"), posted the following returns:

Index	Currency	Net return for the year ended 31 March 2023	Net return for the year ended 31 March 2022
FTSE/EPRA NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return			
Index	Euro	-36.7%	+12.1%
Eurostoxx 50 Net Total Return Index	Euro	+13.5%	+1.5%

The European public real estate equity market, as measured by the FTSE/EPRA NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index ("EPRA"), declined by 36.7% during the 12 months ended 31 March 2023, underperforming the broader European public equity market, as measured by the Eurostoxx 50 Net Total Return Index, by 50.2%. Equity values in the capital intensive sector adjusted to the impact of rising interest rates on the cost of equity and debt capital with the 10-year German bund yields increasing by 1.74% to 2.29% and 10-year UK gilt yields by 1.88% to 3.49%. The impact of high inflation made worse by the invasion of Russia of Ukraine on 24 February 2022 on operating and construction costs, along with the uncertain economic growth outlook, weighed further on sentiment towards the sector.

The Company's Class B Euro shares outperformed the sector's return by 2.6% on a net basis over the year ended 31 March 2023.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Launched on 31 May 2023.

## INVESTMENT MANAGER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023 (CONTINUED)

#### Investment portfolio

As at 31 March 2023, the investment portfolio was exposed to properties located in the following regions and exposed to the following sectors:

	Exposure as portion of net	Exposure as portion of net
	asset value as at	asset value as at
Region	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
Germany	13%	25%
United Kingdom	30%	27%
Nordic countries	15%	19%
France	9%	8%
Benelux	13%	9%
Switzerland	10%	4%
Iberia	4%	1%
Other regions	6%	7%
Sector		
Office	23%	17%
Residential	15%	24%
Industrial & logistics	26%	24%
Retail	18%	15%
Healthcare	6%	8%
Student residential	1%	2%
Self-storage	4%	3%
Other	7%	7%

## Outlook

The market decline observed in the 12 months ended 31 March 2023 has largely been driven by lower valuations in response to higher cost of debt and equity, rather than an expectation of lower operating income. In fact, with many in-place rental agreements being directly or implicitly linked to inflation, operating metrics of many real estate companies have been improving as the market priced in value declines rivalling those seen during the global financial crisis. European banks are generally much less exposed to the commercial real estate sector as the public unsecured bond market became a popular funding source for real estate companies, especially those who benefited from investment grade credit ratings eligible for the central banks' asset purchase programmes. The sector may now become more dependent on conventional bank mortgage financing again. We are currently seeing a cyclical repricing of credit rather than a debt-led crisis similar to the global financial crisis.

Risks to the downside include interest rates that increase further and/or remain higher than current market expectation, and a recession more severe than anticipated. The impact of working from home and environmental initiatives on the office market are additional sources of uncertainty. As interest rates peak and investors grow confident in their assessment regarding where real estate values will bottom out, it is likely that investors will enjoy higher future returns than those we have seen in the period of ultra-low interest rates, although we will have to tread carefully to avoid the permanent value destruction that some companies will suffer as they make the painful transition to the next phase in the capital cycle.

CLEARANCE CAPITAL LIMITED 2 August 2023

## REPORT OF THE CUSTODIAN

In respect of the year 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023, we state that in our opinion, Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Guernsey) Limited has in all material respects managed the Company:

- (i) in accordance with the limitations imposed on the investment and borrowing powers of the Company by the principal documents, by the scheme particulars and by the Protection of Investors (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2020 and
- (ii) in accordance with the provisions of the Principal Documents, Scheme Particulars and the Authorised Collective Investment Schemes (Class B) Rules and Guidance 2021.

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2 August 2023

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#### REPORT OF THE DEPOSITARY

As Depositary we are responsible for carrying out duties set out in Article 21 paragraphs (7) (8) & (9) of the AIFMD and can confirm that monitoring has taken place to ensure that Clearance Capital Limited (the AIFM) are compliant with Article 21 paragraphs (7) (8) & (9) for the year ended 31 March 2022, and that we have no matters of concern to report.

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2 August 2023

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#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023.

#### INCORPORATION

Clearance Camino Fund Limited (the "Company") was incorporated in Guernsey, Channel Islands on 3 June 2010.

#### **ACTIVITIES**

The Company is an open-ended investment fund listed on The International Stock Exchange (the "TISE"). Its main activity is to pursue investment opportunities by investing primarily, but not exclusively, in the listed European property sector in accordance with its investment objectives and it may seek to gain exposure to both equity and debt instruments issued by companies in this sector. The Company's objective is to deliver attractive risk adjusted returns in excess of its benchmark, the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index.

Clearance Capital Limited (the "Investment Manager") acts as the Company's alternative investment fund manager in line with the requirement of the Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive ("AIFMD").

#### RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

Note 14 to the financial statements outlines the Company's objectives, policies and procedures for managing its market, interest, liquidity, credit, country and currency risk.

#### SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE YEAR

The Russian invasion of Ukraine had a profoundly negative impact on the European economic outlook, including contributing to a significant increase in inflation and consequently interest rate expectations. The portfolio had no direct exposure to either Russia or Ukraine at the time of the invasion. The uncertain economic growth and inflation outlook coupled with a significant increase in interest rates in Europe led to a significant decline in the European real estate public markets during the period under review.

There have been no other significant events during the year.

#### SIGNIFICANT EVENTS SINCE THE YEAR-END

Class C Sterling Shares were delisted on the 14 May 2023.

There have been no other events since the year end date, which, in the opinion of the Directors of the Company may have an impact on the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023.

#### RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The total comprehensive loss for the year amounted to €19,250,885 (31 March 2022: profit €7,065,896).

The Directors do not recommend a dividend for the year (31 March 2022: €Nil).

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR

Deloitte LLP was originally appointed as auditor on 23 September 2010. A resolution to re-appoint Deloitte LLP will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Each of the persons who is a Director at the date of approval of the financial statements confirms that:

- so far as the Director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- the Director has taken all steps he ought to have taken as Director to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of Section 249 of the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008.

#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

#### DIRECTORS

The Directors who held office during the year and up to the date of approval of the financial statements were:

Michael Fienberg Simon Cox David Axten Patrick Bushnell

The Directors do not have any direct financial interest in the Company.

#### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

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

The Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008 requires the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the Directors have elected to prepare the Company financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the IASB. Under company law the Directors must not approve the accounts unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, International Accounting Standard 1 requires that Directors:

- properly select and apply accounting policies;
- present information, including accounting policies, in a manner that provides relevant, reliable, comparable and understandable information;
- provide additional disclosures when compliance with the specific requirements in IFRSs are insufficient to enable users to understand the impact of particular transactions, other events and conditions on the entity's financial position and financial performance; and
- make an assessment of the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The Directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the Company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008, the Protection of Investors (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2020, The Authorised Collective Investment Schemes (Class B) Rules and Guidance 2021 and the Principal Documents. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the Company's website. Legislation in Guernsey and the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

The Board of Directors confirms that, throughout the period covered by the financial statements, the Company complied with the Code of Corporate Governance issued by the Guernsey Financial Services Commission, to the extent it was applicable based upon its legal and operating structure and its nature, scale and complexity.

#### EU ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT FUND MANAGERS DIRECTIVE

Under European Law, the Company is considered to be an Alternative Investment Fund ("AIF") under the AIFMD and has appointed Clearance Capital Limited as the Company's external AIFM. The Company operates as an externally managed non-EEA domiciled AIF with an EEA AIFM for the purposes of the AIFM Directive. The Company is not required to seek authorisation under the AIFM Directive. However, following national transposition of the AIFM directive in a given EU member state, the marketing of shares in non-EEA AIF (such as the Company) to investors in that EU member state is prohibited unless certain conditions are met. One such condition is that the Company appoints a depositary to perform the following functions: (i) monitor the Company's cash-flows; (ii) ensure that the Company's assets are held in custody appropriately; and (iii) oversee the sale, issue, repurchase, redemption, and cancellation of the Company's shares. The Company has appointed BNP Paribas S.A., – Guernsey Branch as its depositary. The AIFM will file a notification with the FCA pursuant to Article 42 of the AIFM Directive prior to marketing the shares in the UK under the UK national private placement regime. The AIFM will also file such a notification in any EU country where the AIFM commences marketing of the Company's shares.

#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

#### **SECRETARY**

The Secretary of the Company is Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Guernsey) Limited.

#### REGULATION

The Company is regulated by the Guernsey Financial Services Commission as an authorised Class B scheme. It is also listed on The International Stock Exchange.

#### GOING CONCERN

Whilst the Russian invasion of Ukraine on 24 February 2022 has had a profoundly negative impact on the European economic outlook, including inflation and interest rate expectations, the portfolio had no direct exposure to either Russia or Ukraine at the time of the invasion. The invasion changed the Investment Manager's outlook which prompted changes to the portfolio.

After making all reasonable enquiries and having regard to the nature of the Company and its investments, the Directors are satisfied based on information available to them at the present time, that it is appropriate to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements and, after due consideration, the Directors consider that the Company is able to continue as a going concern in the next 12 months from the date of approval of the financial statements. A further discussion on the liquidity profile of the Company is contained in the Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies note to these financial statements, refer to note 14.

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Simon Cox Director

2 August 2023

Report on the audit of the financial statements

## 1. Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements of Clearance Camino Fund Limited ('the Company'):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 March 2023 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB); and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008.

We have audited the financial statements which comprise:

- the statement of financial position;
- the statement of comprehensive income;
- the statement of changes in equity;
- the statement of cash flows; and
- the notes to financial statements 1 to 17.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and IFRSs as issued by the IASB.

## 2. Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report.

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the Financial Reporting Council's (the 'FRC's') Ethical Standard as applied to listed entities, 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.

## 3. Summary of our audit approach

Key audit matters

The key audit matter that we identified in the current year was:

Valuation of investments

## 3. Summary of our audit approach (continued)

Key audit matters	Within this report, key audit matters are identified as follows:
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	Similar level of risk
	Decreased level of risk
Materiality	The materiality that we used for the Company's financial statements in the current year was €715,000 which was determined on the basis of 2% of Net Asset Value.
Scoping	Audit work to respond to the risks of material misstatement was performed directly by the audit engagement team.
Significant changes in our approach	From the results of our work in the prior year and understanding of the revenue balance we have reassessed the risk of revenue recognition, in the current year, and removed "Revenue recognition in relation to the completeness and accuracy of realised gains on disposal of investments" as a key audit matter.

## 4. Conclusions relating to going concern

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

Our evaluation of the directors' assessment of the Company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting included the challenge and consideration of:

- the reasonableness of management's assumptions by assessing the liquidity of the investment portfolio, analysing subscriptions and redemptions subsequent to year end, as well as reviewing liquidity of the Company and therefore its ability to meet future redemptions;
- management's conclusion on the impact of current economic environment on the going concern assumptions by
  assessing the performance of the investment portfolio against benchmarks (i.e. FTSE EPRA) and the broader European
  equity markets;
- the performance of the investment manager, including obtaining its recent financial statements and reviewing its latest financial performance; and
- the appropriateness of the going concern disclosures in the financial statements.

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 Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

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

## 5. Key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period and include the most significant assessed risks of material misstatement (whether or not due to fraud) that we identified. These matters included those which had the greatest effect on: the overall audit strategy, the allocation of resources in the audit; and directing the efforts of the engagement team.

These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

#### 5.1. Valuation of investments



#### Key audit matter description

The Company holds an Investment Portfolio with a Fair Value of €35,579,738 as at 31 March 2023 (2022: €56,416,986). The Investment portfolio comprises of European property sector equity securities all of which are listed on recognised stock exchanges, as disclosed in Note 3 to the financial statements.

These investments make up the majority of the Company's net assets and any misstatement could significantly impact the Net Asset Value ('NAV') of the Company. The investments are also an area of focus because they are the main driver of the Company's performance and NAV.

As explained in Note 2 to the financial statements, the Company's accounting policy is to measure its investments at fair value. The fair value of listed securities as at 31 March 2023 is deemed by the directors to be the last market traded price at the reporting date, and the directors believe that the bid price is the best estimate of fair value in accordance with IFRS 13 'Fair Value Measurement'. There is a risk that the investments are not liquid which could impact their fair value and their classification in the fair value hierarchy. Specifically the risk of illiquid prices for smaller, less frequently traded equity securities. As such, there is a risk that investments are not appropriately valued in accordance with the accounting policy and independent market values.

## How the scope of our audit responded to the key audit matter

To test the Valuation of investments we performed the following procedures:

- Obtained an understanding of the relevant controls relating to the valuation of investments, including relevant controls adopted by the Company's administrator;
- Assessed and challenged the valuation policy and methodology adopted by management in comparison to IFRS and industry practice;
- Obtained independent market pricing information of the bid price (at 31 March 2023) from independent sources (i.e. Refinitiv-Eikon, Bloomberg, Nasdaq) and agreed bid prices for all investments;
- Obtained trading volumes of investments from independent sources (i.e. Refinitiv-Eikon, Bloomberg, Nasdaq) and assessed whether they were actively traded to support the level 1 classification and allow for the use of an unadjusted level 1 price; and
- Tested the reasonableness of exchange rates used in converting investments denominated in currencies other than the Euro by comparing rates used to independent sources.

#### **Key observations**

Based on the work performed we concluded that the valuation of investments is appropriate.

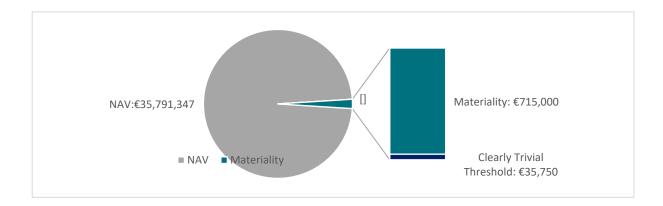
## 6. Our application of materiality

#### 6.1. Materiality

We define materiality as the magnitude of misstatement in the financial statements that makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable person would be changed or influenced. We use materiality both in planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work.

Based on our professional judgement, we determined materiality for the financial statements as a whole as follows:

Materiality	€715,000 (2022: €1,150,000)
Basis for determining materiality	2% of Net Asset Value (2022: 2% of Net Asset Value)
Rationale for the benchmark applied	Our materiality is based on the Net Asset Value of the Company, we considered this to be an appropriate benchmark as the Company's aim is to deliver attractive risk adjusted returns whilst seeking to preserve capital and therefore shareholder focus will be on the Net Asset Value of the Company which is driving the investment returns.



#### 6.2. Performance materiality

We set performance materiality at a level lower than materiality to reduce the probability that, in aggregate, uncorrected and undetected misstatements exceed the materiality for the financial statements as a whole. Performance materiality was set at 70% of materiality for the 2023 audit (2022: 70%). In determining performance materiality, we considered the quality of the control environment and whether we were able to rely on controls. We also considered that there was no history of misstatements in the prior period.

#### 6.3. Error reporting threshold

We agreed with the Board of Directors that we would report to the Board all audit differences in excess of €35,750 (2022: €57,500), as well as differences below that threshold that, in our view, warranted reporting on qualitative grounds. We also report to the Board of Directors on disclosure matters that we identified when assessing the overall presentation of the financial statements.

## 7. An overview of the scope of our audit

#### 7.1. Scoping

Our audit was scoped by obtaining an understanding of the Company and its environment, including assessing internal controls and the risks of material misstatement. Audit work to respond to the risks of material misstatement was performed directly by the audit engagement team.

#### 7.2. Our consideration of the control environment

The Company is administered by a Guernsey regulated service organisation and, as part of our audit procedures, we obtained an understanding of the relevant controls in operation at the service provider that are relevant to the financial statements and impacted our audit. We have also adopted a control reliance approach on relevant controls over purchase and sales of investments.

#### 8. Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and 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 financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of 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 this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. 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.

## 9. Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the Company'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 Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

## 10. Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements 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 (UK) 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 financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

## 11. Extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below.

#### 11.1. Identifying and assessing potential risks related to irregularities

In identifying and assessing risks of material misstatement in respect of irregularities, including fraud and non-compliance with laws and regulations, we considered the following:

- the nature of the industry and sector, control environment and business performance including the design of the Company's remuneration policies and key drivers for directors' remuneration;
- results of our enquiries of management and the Board of Directors about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities, including those that are specific to the Company's sector;
- any matters we identified having obtained and reviewed the Company's documentation of their policies and procedures relating to:
  - o identifying, evaluating and complying with laws and regulations and whether they were aware of any instances of non-compliance;
  - detecting and responding to the risks of fraud and whether they have knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud;
  - o the internal controls established to mitigate risks of fraud or non-compliance with laws and regulations; and
- the matters discussed among the audit engagement team and relevant internal specialists, including tax and fraud specialists regarding how and where fraud might occur in the financial statements and any potential indicators of fraud.

As a result of these procedures, we considered the opportunities and incentives that may exist within the organisation for fraud and identified the greatest potential for fraud with regards to valuation of investments. In common with all audits under ISAs (UK), we are also required to perform specific procedures to respond to the risk of management override.

We also obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks that the Company operates in, focusing on provisions of those laws and regulations that had a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The key laws and regulations we considered in this context included the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008, the Protection of Investors (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2020 and the Principal Documents, The International Stock Exchange Listing Rules and relevant tax legislation.

In addition, we considered provisions of other laws and regulations that do not have a direct effect on the financial statements but compliance with which may be fundamental to the Company's ability to operate or to avoid a material penalty.

## 11. Extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud (continued)

#### 11.2. Audit response to risks identified

As a result of performing the above, we identified valuation of investments as a key audit matter related to the potential risk of fraud. The key audit matters section of our report explains the matter in more detail and also describes the specific procedures we performed in response to that key audit matter.

In addition to the above, our procedures to respond to risks identified included the following:

- reviewing the financial statement disclosures and testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with provisions of relevant laws and regulations described as having a direct effect on the financial statements;
- enquiring of management and the Board of Directors concerning actual and potential litigation and Claims;
- performing analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships that may indicate risks of material misstatement due to fraud;
- reading minutes of meetings of those charged with governance, reviewing internal audit reports and reviewing correspondence with the Guernsey Financial Services Commission; and
- in addressing the risk of fraud through management override of controls, testing the appropriateness of journal entries and other adjustments; assessing whether the judgements made in making accounting estimates are indicative of a potential bias; and evaluating the business rationale of any significant transactions that are unusual or outside the normal course of business.

We also communicated relevant identified laws and regulations and potential fraud risks to all engagement team members including internal specialists and remained alert to any indications of fraud or non-compliance with laws and regulations throughout the audit.

## Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

## 12. Matters on which we are required to report by exception

#### 12.1 Adequacy of explanations received and accounting records

Under the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- proper accounting records have not been kept; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CLEARANCE CAMINO FUND LIMITED (CONTINUED)

## 13.Use of our report

This report is made solely to the Company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 262 of the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Company's members 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 Company and the Company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Joseph Michael De Robillard ACA, CA(SA)

For and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

Recognised Auditor

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4 August 2023

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

## **AS AT 31 MARCH 2023**

	Notes	_	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
CURRENT ASSETS			€	€
Investments held at fair value through profit or loss	3		35,579,738	56,416,986
Dividends receivable	2		120,190	91,542
Securities sold receivable	2		174,923	1,252,943
Other receivables and prepayments	5		8,855	12,684
Cash and cash equivalents	4		439,680	1,326,218
TOTAL ASSETS		=	36,323,386	59,100,373
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Capital shares payable	2		-	29,212
Securities purchased payable	2		196,695	814,028
Subscription for shares not yet allocated	2		85,173	61,898
Other payables and accrued expenses	6		250,171	685,684
TOTAL LIABILITIES		_	532,039	1,590,822
EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL	7		35,791,347	57,509,551
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		_	36,323,386	59,100,373
Net asset value per Class A Euro Share	7	€ _	2.0456	3.1199
Net asset value per Class A Sterling Share	7	£	2.0672	3.0323
Net asset value per Euro Management Class Share	7	€	2.5929	3.8953
Net asset value per Class A US Dollar Share	7	US\$_	0.9643	1.5063
Net asset value per Class B Sterling Share	7	£	1.0195	1.4879
Net asset value per Class B Euro Share	7	€	1.0208	1.5491
Net asset value per Class B US Dollar Share	7	US\$_	0.9216	1.4323
Net asset value per Class C Sterling Share	7	£	1.0042	1.5506
Net asset value per Class C Euro Share	7	€	1.0951	1.6568
Net asset value per Class C US Dollar Share*	7	US\$	0.7369	

<sup>\*</sup> Class C US Dollar Share launched on 31 May 2022.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 2 August 2023 and were signed on its behalf on 2 August 2023 by:

**Director: Simon Cox** 

## STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

		1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023	1 April 2021 to 31 March 2022
INCOME		€	€
Dividend income	2	1.742.207	1 201 120
	2	1,743,296	1,381,128
Interest income	2	2,588	1,339
Net (losses)/gains from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	2	(10.877.720)	7 255 450
÷	3 2	(19,877,729)	7,355,459
Foreign exchange gains/(losses)	2	4,929	(18,037)
Net (losses)/gains from investment results		(18,126,916)	8,719,889
EXPENDITURE			
Interest expense	2	22,734	11,318
Administration fee	10	60,193	70,763
Audit fee		23,661	36,578
Custodian fee	10	102,907	105,204
Depositary fee	10	25,495	26,054
Directors fees	10	58,181	47,337
Legal and Professional fees		10,130	11,610
Listing fee		9,118	6,427
Management fee	10	446,116	581,224
Performance fees	10	-	341,649
Regulatory fee		6,279	8,082
Research fees		14,768	13,590
Sundry expense		51,488	65,008
		831,070	1,324,844
TOTAL COMBREHENSIVE // OSSVBDORT FOR THE			
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE (LOSS)/PROFIT FOR THE YEAR BEFORE TAX		(18,957,986)	7,395,045
Withholding tax	12	292,899	329,149
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE (LOSS)/PROFIT		(19,250,885)	7,065,896

The results from the current and prior year are derived from continuing operations.

(The notes on pages 25 to 40 form an integral part of these financial statements)

## STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

		1 April 2022	1 April 2021
		to 31 March 2023	to 31 March 2022
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^Earnings Per Share - Class A Euro Shares	€	(1.0843)	0.4078
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		2,071,588	2,211,277
<b>Earnings Per Share - Class A Sterling Shares</b>	£	(1.0052)	0.3937
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		933,761	1,031,266
Earnings Per Share - Euro Management Class Shares	€	(1.3024)	0.5783
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		50,001	50,001
Earnings Per Share - Class A US Dollar Shares	US\$	(0.7975)	0.1239
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		147,473	267,410
Earnings Per Share - Class B Sterling Shares	£	(0.4876)	0.1775
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		8,405,686	8,808,678
Earnings Per Share - Class B Euro Shares	€	(0.5029)	0.1874
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		8,491,691	7,188,516
Earnings Per Share - Class B US Dollar Shares	US\$	(0.5094)	0.0715
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		7,513,937	6,610,685
Earnings Per Share - Class C Sterling Shares	£	(1.3257)	0.1866
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		148,893	666,513
Earnings Per Share - Class C Euro Shares	€	(0.6387)	0.2352
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		3,446,844	5,079,665
Earnings Per Share - Class C US Dollar Shares*	US\$	(0.3210)	-
Based on Weighted Average Number of shares:		1,229,720	-

<sup>^</sup>Earnings per share disclosed above are both Basic and Diluted earnings per share. The profit/(loss) for each share class are disclosed on pages 19 to 21.

The results from the current and prior year are derived from continuing operations.

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<sup>\*</sup> Class C US Dollar Shares launched on 31 May 2022.

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	Notes	SHARE CAPITAL ACCOUNT	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL EQUITY
Balance at 1 April 2022		30,637,923	26,871,628	57,509,551
Shares issued	7	4,930,247	-	4,930,247
Shares redeemed	7	(7,397,566)	-	(7,397,566)
Loss for the year		-	(19,250,885)	(19,250,885)
Balance as at 31 March 2023		€ 28,170,604	7,620,743	35,791,347
Class A Euro Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2022		-	6,913,896	6,913,896
Shares issued	7	179,049	-	179,049
Shares redeemed	7	(663,145)	-	(663,145)
Loss for the year		-	(2,246,167)	(2,246,167)
Balance as at 31 March 2023		€ (484,096)	4,667,729	4,183,633
Class A Sterling Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2022		-	3,028,176	3,028,176
Shares issued		161,211	, , , -	161,211
Shares redeemed		(468,791)	=	(468,791)
Loss for the year		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(1,034,172)	(1,034,172)
Foreign exchange gain		-	95,521	95,521
Balance as at 31 March 2023		£ (307,580)	2,089,525	1,781,945
Euro Management Class Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2022		-	194,770	194,770
Loss for the year		-	(65,122)	(65,122)
Balance as at 31 March 2023		€	129,648	129,648
Class A US Dollar Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2022		144,181	258,619	402,800
Shares issued		24,000	-	24,000
Shares redeemed		(202,215)	-	(202,215)
Loss for the year		<del>-</del>	(96,615)	(96,615)
Foreign exchange loss		-	(20,989)	(20,989)
Balance as at 31 March 2023	Ū	US\$ (34,034)	141,015	106,981

<sup>\*</sup> Note - the Sterling Class Shares figures are presented here in £ Sterling, the US Dollar Class Share figures are presented here in US\$ while the Euro classes are presented in Euro.

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (CONTINUED)

FOR THE TEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2	SHARE CAPITAL ACCOUNT	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL EQUITY
Class B Sterling Shares*			
Balance at 1 April 2022 Shares issued Shares redeemed	10,762,375 498,258 (1,883,717)	2,942,251	13,704,626 498,258 (1,883,717)
Loss for the year Foreign exchange gain	(1,005,717)	(4,539,706) 441,250	(4,539,706) 441,250
Balance as at 31 March 2023	9,376,916	(1,156,205)	8,220,711
Class B Euro Shares*			
Balance at 1 April 2022 Shares issued 7 Shares redeemed 7 Loss for the year	9,910,907 1,540,633 (381,787)	2,415,099 - - (4,270,382)	12,326,006 1,540,633 (381,787) (4,270,382)
Balance as at 31 March 2023	11,069,753	(1,855,283)	9,214,470
Class B US Dollar Shares*			
Balance at 1 April 2022 Shares issued Shares redeemed Loss for the year Foreign exchange loss	9,042,797 768,556 (584,804)	1,480,425 - (3,429,600) (398,321)	10,523,223 768,556 (584,804) (3,429,600) (398,321)
Balance as at 31 March 2023 US	S\$ 9,226,549	(2,347,496)	6,879,054
Class C Sterling Shares*			_
Balance at 1 April 2022 Shares issued Shares redeemed Loss for the year Foreign exchange gain	141,553 (807,969)	863,810 - - (212,914) 15,522	863,810 141,553 (807,969) (212,914) 15,522
Balance as at 31 March 2023	(666,416)	666,418	2
Class C Euro Shares*			
Balance at 1 April 2022 Shares redeemed 7 Loss for the year	3,916,330 (1,932,451)	3,515,845 - (2,201,549)	7,432,175 (1,932,451) (2,201,549)
Balance as at 31 March 2023	1,983,879	1,314,296	3,298,175

<sup>\*</sup> Note - the Sterling Class Shares figures are presented here in £ Sterling, the US Dollar Class Share figures are presented here in US\$ while the Euro classes are presented in Euro.

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (CONTINUED)

	SHARE CAPITAL ACCOUNT	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL EQUITY
Class C US Dollar Shares*,**			
Balance at 1 April 2022	<del>-</del>	-	-
Shares issued	1,600,000	-	1,600,000
Loss for the year	-	(394,793)	(394,793)
Foreign exchange gain	-	45,952	45,952
Balance as at 31 March 2023	US\$ 1,600,000	(348,841)	1,251,159

<sup>\*</sup> Note - the Sterling Class Shares figures are presented here in £ Sterling, the US Dollar Class Share figures are presented here in US\$ while the Euro classes are presented in Euro.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Class C US Dollar Shares launched on 31 May 2022.

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (CONTINUED)

	Notes	SHARE CAPITAL ACCOUNT	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL EQUITY
Balance at 1 April 2021		26,035,287	19,805,732	45,841,019
Shares issued	7	10,174,411	-	10,174,411
Shares redeemed	7	(5,571,775)	-	(5,571,775)
Profit for the year		-	7,065,896	7,065,896
Balance as at 31 March 2022		€ 30,637,923	26,871,628	57,509,551
Class A Euro Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021		(238,914)	6,211,202	5,972,288
Shares issued	7	214,242	-	214,242
Shares redeemed	7	(174,464)	-	(174,464)
Profit for the year		-	901,830	901,830
Transfer between reserves		199,136	(199,136)	-
Balance as at 31 March 2022		€	6,913,896	6,913,896
Class A Sterling Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021		(2,248,235)	5,085,834	2,837,599
Shares issued		25,000	-	25,000
Shares redeemed		(240,450)	-	(240,450)
Profit for the year		-	429,177	429,177
Foreign exchange loss		-	(23,150)	(23,150)
Transfer between reserves		2,463,685	(2,463,685)	-
Balance as at 31 March 2022		£	3,028,176	3,028,176
Euro Management Class Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021		(76,157)	242,013	165,856
Profit for the year		- -	28,914	28,914
Transfer between reserves		76,157	(76,157)	-
Balance as at 31 March 2022		€	194,770	194,770
Class A US Dollar Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021		144,181	225,482	369,663
Profit for the year		-	55,164	55,164
Foreign exchange loss		-	(22,027)	(22,027)
Balance as at 31 March 2022	U	(S\$ 144,181	258,619	402,800

<sup>\*</sup> Note - the Sterling Class Shares figures are presented here in £ Sterling, the US Dollar Class Share figures are presented here in US\$ while the Euro classes are presented in Euro.

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (CONTINUED)

		SHARE CAPITAL ACCOUNT	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL EQUITY
Class B Sterling Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021 Shares issued Shares redeemed Profit for the year Foreign exchange loss		9,702,677 2,399,564 (1,339,866)	1,378,993 - - 1,680,963 (117,705)	11,081,670 2,399,564 (1,339,866) 1,680,963 (117,705)
Balance as at 31 March 2022	£	10,762,375	2,942,251	13,704,626
Class B Euro Shares*	å	10,702,676		10,70 1,020
Balance at 1 April 2021 Shares issued Shares redeemed Profit for the year	7 7	7,346,398 2,733,634 (169,125)	1,067,638 - - 1,347,461	8,414,036 2,733,634 (169,125) 1,347,461
Balance as at 31 March 2022	•	9,910,907	2,415,099	12,326,006
Class B US Dollar Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021 Shares issued Shares redeemed Profit for the year Foreign exchange loss		6,062,167 4,563,782 (1,583,151)	1,007,750 - - 1,054,459 (581,784)	7,069,917 4,563,782 (1,583,151) 1,054,459 (581,784)
Balance as at 31 March 2022	US	S\$ 9,042,797	1,480,425	10,523,223
Class C Sterling Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021 Shares issued Shares redeemed Profit for the year Foreign exchange loss Transfer between reserves		69,325 423,571 (622,239) - 129,343	868,782 - - 133,307 (8,936) (129,343)	938,107 423,571 (622,239) 133,307 (8,936)
Balance as at 31 March 2022	£	·	863,810	863,810
Class C Euro Shares*				
Balance at 1 April 2021 Shares redeemed Profit for the year	7	5,196,330 (1,280,000)	2,321,302 - 1,194,543	7,517,632 (1,280,000) 1,194,543
Balance as at 31 March 2022	$\epsilon$	3,916,330	3,515,845	7,432,175

<sup>\*</sup> Note - the Sterling Class Shares figures are presented here in £ Sterling, the US Dollar Class Share figures are presented here in US\$ while the Euro classes are presented in Euro.

## STATEMENT OF CASHFLOWS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

	1 April 2022	1 April 2021
	to	to
<u>Notes</u>	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
	€	€
Cash flows from operating activities		
Loss for the year before tax	(18,957,986)	7,395,045
Net loss/(profit) from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss 3	19,877,729	(7,355,459)
	919,743	39,586
Net changes in operating assets and liabilities		
(Increase)/decrease in dividends receivable	(28,648)	2,449
Decrease in other receivables and prepayments	3,829	1,016
Decrease in other payables and accrued expenses	(350,340)	(1,408,779)
Purchase of securities	(88,291,410)	(106,266,257)
Sale of securities	89,711,616	102,584,748
Withholding tax 12	(292,899)	(329,149)
Net cash flows generated from/(used in) operating activities	1,671,891	(5,376,386)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from issuance of shares	4,764,959	10,051,350
Cost of shares redeemed	(7,323,388)	(5,378,706)
Net cash flows (used in)/from financing activities	(2,558,429)	4,672,644
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(886,538)	(703,742)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	1,326,218	2,029,960
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	439,680	1,326,218

(The notes on pages 25 to 40 form an integral part of these financial statements)

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

#### 1. OPERATIONS

Clearance Camino Fund Limited (the "Company") was incorporated in Guernsey, Channel Islands on 3 June 2010 as an open-ended investment fund which issues and redeems its own shares based on their net asset value. The Company's objective was to deliver attractive risk adjusted returns in excess of its benchmark, the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index.

The Company's share capital is divided into different classes of shares, the Euro class, Sterling class, US Dollar class and Euro Management class. The Euro, Sterling and US Dollar share classes are further divided into Class A, B and C shares. The Euro, Sterling and US Dollar classes have equal rights but are issued and redeemed in Euro, Sterling and US Dollar respectively. No management fee is levied on the Management shares.

The Company is regulated by the Guernsey Financial Services Commission in accordance with the Authorised Collective Investment Schemes (Class B) Rules and Guidance, 2021 as an authorised Collective Investment Scheme. It is also listed on the International Stock Exchange.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of accounting**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee as endorsed by the European Union.

The financial statements of the Company have been prepared under the historical cost convention modified by the revaluation of investments and financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, and in accordance with The Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008.

#### Critical accounting judgments and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, related disclosures and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of income and expense during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future periods affected. In the Directors' opinion, there were no significant accounting judgements in applying the Company's accounting policies or any significant areas of estimation or uncertainty at the reporting period that may have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

#### **Accounting Standards**

New and amended accounting standards in issue that have been adopted:

"Reference to the Conceptual Framework (Amendments to IFRS 3)" updates an outdated reference in IFRS 3. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 April 2022, with earlier application permitted. The amendments did not have a significant impact on the Company's financial position, performance or disclosures in its financial statements.

Accounting standards in issue that are not yet effective and have not been early adopted:

There are no other standards, amendments to standards or interpretations that are effective for annual periods beginning on 1 April 2023 that have a significant impact on the Company's financial position, performance or disclosures in its financial statements.

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Foreign currency translation

#### a) Functional currency and presentation currency

The functional currency is € (Euro). The functional currency is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates. The financial statements are presented in Euro which is the Company's functional and presentational currency.

As the base currency is Euro, the Company may enter into currency hedges for the account of the Sterling shares and the US Dollar shares to mitigate the impact of fluctuations in the Euro / Sterling and Euro / US Dollar exchange rate.

#### b) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into Euro using the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the transaction. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

#### c) Share series

The underlying portfolio of investments is recorded in the functional currency of Euros. Each share class is issued units in the underlying portfolio. The Sterling class and the US Dollar class translate their investment in the units in the underlying portfolio at year end foreign exchange (FX) rates and its gains or losses on these units are translated at the yearly average FX rates. All share classes have been classified as equity. The resulting difference is shown in the Statement of Changes in Equity.

#### **Receivables and Payables**

#### Subscriptions receivable and Redemptions payable

Subscriptions receivable and redemptions payable relate to receivables on share subscriptions and payables on share redemptions that have been contracted for but not yet settled or delivered on the reporting date, respectively. These are recorded initially at amortised cost and subsequently measured at fair value.

#### Capital Shares payable

The redeemable shares are carried at amortised cost which corresponds to the redemption amount that is payable at the statement of financial position date if the holder exercises the right to put the share back to the Company.

#### Securities sold receivable

Securities sold receivable are investments which are no longer held on the portfolio at the period end date but which the Company is yet to receive payment for.

#### Securities purchased payable

Securities purchase payable are investments which are held on the portfolio at the period end date which the Company has not yet made a payment for.

#### Subscriptions for shares not yet allocated

Subscriptions for shares not yet allocated are proceeds for Subscriptions received in advance by the Company.

The Company measures securities sold receivable, securities purchased payable, dividends, other receivables and other payables at amortised cost.

#### **Dividend income**

Dividend income is recognised when the Company's right to receive the payment is established. Dividend income is presented gross of any non-recoverable withholding taxes, which are disclosed separately in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Interest income and expense**

The Company earns or pays interest on cash balances held at the bank and broker. Interest is recorded based on the effective interest rate and is shown in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

#### Expenses

Expenses are accounted for on an accruals basis.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash comprises current deposits with banks and prime brokers.

#### Taxation

Dividends, interest and capital gains (if any) received on investments made by the Company may be subject to withholding taxes imposed by the country from which the investment income/gains are received and such taxes may not be recoverable by the Company or its shareholders.

#### Investments

The Company classifies Investments as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss.

#### **Recognition and Measurement**

The Company recognises financial assets and financial liabilities on the date it becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Transactions are recognised using trade date accounting. Financial assets and liabilities categorised as at fair value through profit or loss, are measured initially at fair value, with transaction costs for such instruments being recognised directly in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. Subsequent changes in the fair value of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss, are recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

#### Realised and unrealised gains and losses

Realised gains and losses arising on disposal of investments are calculated by reference to the proceeds received on disposal and the average cost attributable to those investments, and are recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. Unrealised gains and losses on investments are also recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

#### **Derivative financial instruments**

Open positions are valued using official settlement or closing prices at each valuation point. These are deemed fair value and any changes in fair value are reflected in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. There were no open listed derivative instruments positions held at year end (31 March 2022: Nil).

In addition, as the Company's functional base currency is Euro, the Company may enter into currency hedges for the account of the Sterling shares and the US Dollar shares to mitigate the impact of fluctuations in the Euro / Sterling and Euro / US Dollar exchange rate.

#### **De-recognition**

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the assets have expired or the Company has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership. Financial liabilities are derecognised when they are extinguished.

#### Fair value measurement principles

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.

When available, the Company measures the fair value of an instrument using quoted prices in an active market for that instrument. A market is regarded as active if quoted prices are readily and regularly available and represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis. The Company adopts the valuation principles of IFRS 13, 'Fair value measurement'. Under the provisions of this standard the Company utilises the latest trade price as a valuation input, congruent with the Company's scheme particulars. The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the Company is the last traded price. In circumstances where the latest trade 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.

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Fair value measurement principles (continued)

If a market for a financial instrument is not active, the Company establishes fair value using a valuation technique. Valuation techniques include using recent arm's length transactions between knowledgeable, willing parties, reference to the current fair value of other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analyses and option pricing models. The best evidence of the fair value of a financial instrument at initial recognition is the transaction price, i.e. the fair value of the consideration given or received, unless the fair value of that instrument is evidenced by comparison with other observable current market transactions in the same instrument or based on a valuation technique whose variables include only data from observable markets.

#### **Going Concern**

Whilst the Russian invasion of Ukraine has had a profoundly negative impact on the European economic outlook, including inflation and interest rate expectations, the portfolio had no direct exposure to either Russia or Ukraine at the time of the invasion. The invasion changed the Investment Manager's outlook which prompted changes to the portfolio.

After making all reasonable enquiries and having regard to the nature of the Company and its investments, the Directors are satisfied based on information available to them at the present time, that it is appropriate to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements and, after due consideration, the Directors consider that the Company is able to continue as a going concern in the next 12 months from the date of approval of the financial statements. A further discussion on the liquidity profile of the Company is contained in the Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies note to these financial statements, refer to note 14.

#### **Segment Reporting**

The accounting framework requirements in relation to operating segments adopts a management approach to segment reporting and requires that operating segments be identified on the same basis as financial information is reported internally for the purpose of allocating resources between segments and assessing their performance. An operating segment is a component of the Company that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses, whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the Company's chief operating decision maker and for which financial information is available. The Company has one reportable segment.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 3. INVESTMENTS HELD AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

Investments held at fair value through profit or loss	_	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
Cost brought forward		54,103,232	42,513,372
Additions		87,674,077	105,713,663
Disposals	_	(101,078,764)	(94,123,803)
Cost carried forward		40,698,545	54,103,232
Fair value adjustment		(5,118,807)	2,313,754
Fair value carried forward	=	35,579,738	56,416,986
Net gains from investments held at fair value through profit or loss			
Proceeds from sale of investments during the year		88,633,313	102,030,059
Original cost of investments sold during the year		(101,078,481)	(94,126,600)
Net realised (loss)/gain on investments during the year		(12,445,168)	7,903,459
Movement in unrealised losses on investments during the year		(7,432,561)	(548,000)
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Net (loss)/gain on investments during the year	€ =	(19,877,729)	7,355,459

The Company's portfolio is predominantly invested in European property sector securities which are listed on recognized exchanges.

## Geographical & foreign currency analysis of investments

Investments are held in securities whose undertakings are based in the following geographical locations. They are also denominated in the currency of the following countries.

	31 N	March 2023	31 March 2022
United Kingdom		11,668,525	16,066,875
Sweden		5,047,352	10,572,382
Germany		4,364,708	9,811,420
Belgium		3,585,157	6,287,231
France		3,279,194	4,897,360
Luxembourg		-	2,754,684
Netherlands		2,436,320	2,624,931
Switzerland		3,435,047	2,428,750
Guernsey		397,228	973,353
Spain		1,366,207	-
	€	35,579,738	56,416,986

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## 4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

4.	CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		21.15 1.2022	21.35 1.2022
			31 March 2023	31 March 2022
	BNP Paribas S.A		439,680	1,326,218
		€	439,680	1,326,218
5.	OTHER RECEIVABLES AND PREPAYMENTS			
			31 March 2023	31 March 2022
	Sundry receivables		8,855	12,684
		€	8,855	12,684
6.	OTHER PAYABLES AND ACCRUED EXPENSES			
			31 March 2023	31 March 2022
	Administration fees (Note 10)		9,196	11,811
	Audit fees		20,189	17,477
	Custodian & Depositary fees (Note 10)		14,236	14,821
	Directors' fees		8,250	-
	Management fees (Note 10)		158,605	249,186
	Performance fees (Note 10)		-	341,649
	Sundry expenses accrued		39,695	50,740
		€	250,171	685,684

## 7. SHARE CAPITAL

The Company has a share capital of an unlimited number of nil par value shares.

## Shareholders' equity as at 31 March 2023

			Net asset value		
Share series	No. of shares	8	per share	Fx rate	Net assets
Class A Euro Shares	2,045,205	€	2.0456	1.0000	4,183,633
Class A Sterling Shares	861,988	£	2.0672	1.1381	2,027,969
Euro Management Class Shares	50,001	€	2.5929	1.0000	129,648
Class A US Dollar Shares	110,941	US\$	0.9643	0.9204	98,470
Class B Sterling Shares	8,063,449	£	1.0195	1.1381	9,355,693
Class B Euro Shares	9,026,902	€	1.0208	1.0000	9,214,470
Class B US Dollar Shares	7,464,168	US\$	0.9216	0.9204	6,331,681
Class C Sterling Shares	2	£	1.0042	1.1381	2
Class C Euro Shares	3,011,851	€	1.0951	1.0000	3,298,175
Class C US Dollar Shares*	1,697,767	US\$	0.7369	0.9204	1,151,606
Total	32,332,274	=		$\epsilon_{ extbf{=}}$	35,791,347

<sup>\*</sup> Class C US Dollar Shares launched on 31 May 2022.

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## 7. SHARE CAPITAL (CONTINUED)

Shareholders' equity as at 31 March 2022

			Net asset value		
Share series	No of shares	8	per share	Fx rate	Net assets
Class A Euro Shares	2,216,042	$\epsilon$	3.1199	1.0000	6,913,896
Class A Sterling Shares	998,638	£	3.0323	1.1833	3,583,380
Euro Management Class Shares	50,001	€	3.8953	1.0000	194,770
Class A US Dollar Shares	267,410	US\$	1.5063	0.8988	362,019
Class B Sterling Shares	9,210,562	£	1.4879	1.1833	16,217,317
Class B Euro Shares	7,957,097	€	1.5491	1.0000	12,326,006
Class B US Dollar Shares	7,347,157	US\$	1.4323	0.8988	9,457,802
Class C Sterling Shares	557,068	£	1.5506	1.1833	1,022,186
Class C Euro Shares	4,485,993	€	1.6568	1.0000	7,432,175
Total	33,089,968	_		$\epsilon$	57,509,551

The movement in the number of shares is as follows:

Share series as at 31 March 2023	<b>Opening Shares</b>	Subscriptions	Redemptions	<b>Closing Shares</b>
Class A Euro Shares	2,216,042	75,782	(246,619)	2,045,205
Class A Sterling Shares	998,638	69,648	(206,298)	861,988
Euro Management Class Shares	50,001	-	-	50,001
Class A US Dollar Shares	267,410	23,622	(180,091)	110,941
Class B Sterling Shares	9,210,562	432,823	(1,579,936)	8,063,449
Class B Euro Shares	7,957,097	1,397,565	(327,760)	9,026,902
Class B US Dollar Shares	7,347,157	681,741	(564,730)	7,464,168
Class C Sterling Shares	557,068	97,226	(654,292)	2
Class C Euro Shares	4,485,993	-	(1,474,142)	3,011,851
Class C US Dollar Shares*	-	1,697,767	-	1,697,767
Share series as at 31 March 2022	<b>Opening Shares</b>	Subscriptions	Redemptions	<b>Closing Shares</b>
Class A Euro Shares	2,202,714	68,306	(54,978)	2,216,042
Class A Sterling Shares	1,068,691	8,057	(78,110)	998,638
Euro Management Class Shares	50,001	-	· -	50,001
Class A US Dollar Shares	267,410	-	-	267,410
Class B Sterling Shares	8,541,932	1,556,237	(887,607)	9,210,562
Class B Euro Shares	6,275,511	1,786,653	(105,067)	7,957,097
Class B US Dollar Shares	5,396,287	2,978,785	(1,027,915)	7,347,157
Class C Sterling Shares	695,455	268,796	(407,183)	557,068
Class C Euro Shares	5,255,962	-	(769,969)	4,485,993

<sup>\*</sup> Class C US Dollar Shares launched on 31 May 2022.

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## 7. SHARE CAPITAL (CONTINUED)

The Company's share capital is divided into different classes of shares; the Euro class, Sterling class, US Dollar class and Euro Management class. The Euro, Sterling and US Dollar classes have equal rights but are issued in Euros, Sterling and US Dollar respectively. The Euro Management shares are non-voting Euro shares issued as Management shares by the Company. Each share class has an allocation of units of the underlying portfolio of assets which are denominated in Euros. No forward currency contracts are in place for the Sterling class shares or the US Dollar class shares. The net asset value per share differs by share class due to foreign exchange exposure on the Sterling class and the US Dollar class and the fact that the Euro Management class does not pay management fees.

#### Subscriptions

The minimum initial subscription to the Company is €50,000 in the case of Class A Euro Shares, £50,000 in the case of Class A Sterling Shares, US\$50,000 in the case of Class A US Dollar Shares, €3,000,000 in the case of Class B Euro Shares, £3,000,000 in the case of Class B Sterling Shares, US\$3,000,000 in the case of Class B US Dollar Shares, €10,000,000 in the case of Class C Euro Shares, £10,000,000 in the case of Class C Sterling Shares and US\$10,000,000 in the case of Class C US Dollar Shares. The minimum subsequent subscription is €5,000 in the case of Euro Shares, £5,000 in the case of Sterling Shares and US\$5,000 in the case of US Dollar Shares, subject to the Directors' discretion to accept lower amounts.

#### Redemptions

Investors can redeem shares in the Company on any redemption day. The redemption days are the second business day of each week. The redemption price per share will be equal to the net asset value per share of the relevant class of shares on the relevant redemption day. All of the shares participate equally in the net asset value of the Company in their respective shares. The shares have residual priority to other instruments of the Company in the event of liquidation. Therefore, all the share classes have been classified as equity.

#### Winding-up

If the Company is wound up, the liquidator may with the authority of an Extraordinary Resolution of the Shareholders, and any other authority or sanction required by the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008, divide among the Shareholders or any of them in specie the whole or any part of the assets of the Company.

#### 8. SHARE CAPITAL ACCOUNT

		1 April 2022	1 April 2021
		to	to
		31 March 2023	31 March 2022
Opening balance		30,637,923	26,035,287
Shares issued		4,930,247	10,174,411
Shares redeemed		(7,397,566)	(5,571,775)
Closing balance	€	28,170,604	30,637,923

Share capital account is a distributable reserve under the Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008, subject to a solvency test.

#### 9. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company's capital management objective is to achieve target returns, which is reflected in the value of its shares in accordance with its stated investment policy. The Company also attempts to ensure that it is capitalised in a manner which appropriately supports working capital needs and also maintains sufficient liquidity to cover any redemptions out of the Company by the shareholders. The Directors discuss issues which impact capital management and review information relating to capital management activities regularly.

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#### 9. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

Capital management activities for the year ended 31 March 2023 included subscriptions of €4,930,247 (31 March 2022: €10,174,411) and redemptions of €7,397,566 (31 March 2022: €5,571,775). The Company has the ability to suspend redemption requests and is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

The Company's objectives for managing capital are:

- (i) To invest the capital in accordance with and within the boundaries of the investment types, risk exposures and investment style set out in the Company's prospectus;
- (ii) To achieve target returns with a return profile in line with those anticipated for a company of this nature;
- (iii) To maintain appropriate levels of liquidity, by trading on a margined basis in liquid investments, so that redemptions and expenses can be met without negatively impacting the Company's performance; and
- (iv) To maintain the Company at a sufficient size to ensure it is cost efficient.

#### 10. MANAGEMENT, PERFORMANCE, ADMINISTRATION, CUSTODIAN, DIRECTORS FEES AND DEPOSITARY FEES

#### (a) Management and Performance fees

#### (i) Management fees

Pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement on 29 September 2017, the Company will pay Clearance Capital Limited (the "Investment Manager") a monthly management fee equal to one twelfth of:

- 1.5 per cent of the Net Asset Value of the Class A Shares;
- 1 per cent of the Net Asset Value of the Class B Shares; and
- 0.7 per cent of the Net Asset Value of the Class C Shares,

calculated by reference to the Net Asset Value before any Performance Fee as at the end of each month and payable monthly in arrears.

The Company paid Stenprop Advisers Limited (effective to 28 September 2017) (the "Investment Manager") a monthly management fee equal to one twelfth of 1.5 per cent of the Net Asset Value of the Company, calculated by reference to the Net Asset Value before any Performance Fee as at the end of each month and paid monthly in arrears.

No Management Fee will be levied on the Euro Management class. Management fees totalled €446,116 (31 March 2022: €581,224) for the year, €158,605 (31 March 2022: €249,186) of management fees were payable to the Investment Manager at the year end.

#### (ii) Performance fees

In addition, the Investment Manager was entitled to receive a performance fee of 15 per cent of gains above the Benchmark Return for Euro, Sterling and US Dollar equity shares.

The Performance per Share of a Euro Share, a Sterling Share and a US Dollar Share in respect of a Calculation Period is the difference, expressed as a percentage, between the Net Asset Value per Sterling Share, Euro Share and US Dollar Share on the last Business Day of the relevant Calculation Period calculated in Euro, Sterling and US Dollar respectively and the highest Net Asset Value per Euro Share, Sterling Share and US Dollar Share on the last Business Day of any preceding Calculation Period, which reflects the charging of a Performance Fee (the "High Water Mark per share"). The Performance Fee per Share amounts to 15% of the Outperformance per share (being the excess of the Performance per share over the Benchmark Return per Share). The Benchmark Return per Share is the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index. In order for the performance fee to be payable to the Investment Manager at the end of a Calculation Period, the Net Asset Value per Share (before the impact of the performance fee accrual) needs to exceed the High Water Mark, being the Net Asset Value per Share at the end of the most recent Calculation Period when a performance fee fell due. For a more detailed description of the calculation, please refer to the Company's listing document.

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## 10. MANAGEMENT, PERFORMANCE, ADMINISTRATION, CUSTODIAN, DIRECTORS FEES AND DEPOSITARY FEES (CONTINUED)

#### (ii) Performance fees (continued)

The Management Fee and the Performance Fee are exclusive of value added tax (if any). Performance Fees are payable on realised and unrealised capital gains taking into account realised and unrealised losses. Consequently, Performance Fees may be paid on unrealised gains which may subsequently never be realised.

Performance fees amounted to €Nil (31 March 2022: €341,649) for the year. €Nil (31 March 2022: €341,649) of performance fees were payable to the Investment Manager at the year end.

#### (b) Administration fees

The administration of the Company has been outsourced to Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Guernsey) Limited (the "Administrator"), a company incorporated in Guernsey. Under the terms of its agreement with the Company, the administrator is entitled to an administration fee being levied on a stepped scale based on the aggregate market value of the Company as a proportion of its net asset value from 8 to 13 basis points per year subject to a minimum of £50,000 per year.

Included in other payables and accrued expenses is  $\notin 9,196$  (31 March 2022:  $\notin 11,811$ ) in respect of administration fees outstanding at the year end. The administration fee charged to the statement of comprehensive income is  $\notin 60,193$  (31 March 2022:  $\notin 70,763$ ).

#### (c) Custodian fees

Pursuant to the Custody Agreement, BNP Paribas S.A. (the "Custodian") is entitled to receive out of the assets of the Company a set-up fee, an annual fiduciary oversight fee, clearing and settlement fees and variable transaction fees. The fiduciary oversight fee is up to 0.04% of net asset value per annum, subject to a minimum fee of £24,000 per annum.

The clearing and settlement fees will vary from market to market, ranging from 0.03% per annum for established liquid markets to up to 0.7% per annum for some emerging markets, subject to a minimum fee of £12,000 per annum. In addition the Custodian shall be entitled to variable transaction fees of between £30 and £135 for each transaction. The Custodian is also entitled to be repaid out of the assets of the Company all of its reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred on behalf of the Company.

Included in other payables and accrued expenses is €12,103 (31 March 2022: €12,585) in respect of custodian fees outstanding at the year end. The custodian fee charged to the statement of comprehensive income is €102,907 (31 March 2022: €105,204).

#### (d) Directors' fees

Directors' fees during the year amounted to €58,181 (31 March 2022: €47,337).

#### (e) Depositary fees

BNP Paribas S.A., – Guernsey Branch has agreed to act as depositary bank of the Company ("Depo-Lite Provider") with respect to the Company's assets pursuant to a Depositary Agreement entered into between the Company, Clearance Capital (as the AIFM) and the Depo-Lite Provider. Although the full depositary rules of the AIFM Directive are not applicable to the Company, the Company is required to have one or more persons appointed to perform the following functions: (i) monitor the Company's cash-flows; (ii) ensure that the Company's assets are held in custody appropriately; and (iii) oversee the sale, issue, repurchase, redemption and cancellation of the Shares. These functions are fulfilled by the Depo-Lite Provider.

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## 10. MANAGEMENT, PERFORMANCE, ADMINISTRATION, CUSTODIAN, DIRECTORS FEES AND DEPOSITARY FEES (CONTINUED)

#### (e) Depositary fees (continued)

Pursuant to the Depositary Agreement, the Depo-Lite Provider is entitled to receive from the Company an annual fee of £22,000.

Included in other payables and accrued expenses is  $\[ \in \] 2,133 \]$  (31 March 2022:  $\[ \in \] 2,236 \]$  in respect of depositary fees outstanding at the year end. The depositary fee charged to the statement of comprehensive income is  $\[ \in \] 25,495 \]$  (31 March 2022:  $\[ \in \] 26,054 \]$ ).

#### 11. RELATED PARTIES

Clearance Capital Limited

The Investment Manager is entitled to receive management and performance fees in respect of its services. Please refer to note 10 (a) above for details of fees paid.

#### 12. TAXATION

The Company is exempt from Guernsey taxation under the Income Tax (Exempt Bodies) (Guernsey) Ordinance 1989 for which it pays an annual fee which is currently £1,200. It should be noted, however, that interest and dividend income accruing from the Company's investments may be subject to withholding tax in the country of origin. The Company has suffered withholding tax of £292,899 in the year (31 March 2022:£329,149).

#### 13. ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

It is the view of the Directors that the Company has no ultimate controlling party.

#### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Company seeks to deliver attractive risk-adjusted returns in excess of its benchmark, the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index. The Company's activities will be concentrated on the listed European property sector, although the Company has a global investment mandate. The investment process includes an evaluation of fundamental aspects of each investment to identify debt and equity securities likely to perform well not only in absolute terms, but also relative to the benchmark. Furthermore, the portfolio will be constructed in such a way that downside risk is actively managed within the investment restrictions contained in the Company's Prospectus dated 30 September 2022.

Clearance Capital Limited (the "Manager"), the Company's AIFM, has developed policies and procedures to manage the risks inherent to activities of the Company. The Company's investment restrictions are set out in its Listing Document. The Manager has developed and implemented controls, including regular reporting, to ensure these restrictions are adhered to. The Manager has also developed a risk management framework setting out the Manager's approach to portfolio risks in addition to those addressed by the investment restrictions in the Company's Listing Documents, such as currency exposure, liquidity, and the Company's exposure to specific sectors and regions. The parameters are monitored during regular meetings of the Manager's investment team referring to risk reporting produced independently of the investment management function. The Manager's compliance officer is responsible for monitoring the adherence of the Company to the parameters set in the Listing Document and the risk management framework. The Manager's risk management process is overseen by the Manager's management committee. All breaches are reported by the Compliance Officer to the Manager's management committee and to the Company, when appropriate.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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#### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Within this broad objective the Company will seek to manage its exposure to a variety of market risks. The Company has established a sound governance structure, with a Board including at least two independent members, including the chairman, to oversee its activities.

#### Risk management structure

Risk management forms an integral part of the investment approach. The Investment Manager is responsible for making judgments within the guidelines set by the Board of Directors with respect to risk control, diversification, liquidity and other factors as a part of the investment process. The Investment Manager presents the risk profile and procedures to the Directors of the Company at each Board meeting. The Board of Directors is ultimately responsible for the overall risk management approach within the Company.

The following discussion is for all classes as there is a single investment pool and it is therefore not appropriate to present the analysis by class.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the potential for a counterparty to default on its contractual obligations and the risk that the prevailing market conditions result in the Company incurring a loss in replacing the defaulted transaction. Credit risk is managed by the Directors by only using counterparties deemed creditworthy and by actively pursuing risk mitigation techniques.

Cash and cash equivalents are held with BNP Paribas S.A., Guernsey Branch. There is a potential credit risk on these cash balances and the amounts are disclosed in note 4. As at 31 March 2023, Standard & Poors rating agency has assigned BNP Paribas S.A., Guernsey Branch a long term credit rating of A+ (31 March 2022: A+).

Substantially all of the assets of the Company are held by BNP Paribas S.A., Guernsey Branch ("the Custodian"). Bankruptcy or insolvency of the Custodian may cause the Company's rights with respect to investments held by the Custodian to be delayed. Investments held with the Custodian are ring-fenced and will be protected should the Company become bankrupt or insolvent. The Company monitors the credit quality of the Custodian on a regular basis.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The nature of the Company is that it holds a relatively large amount of cash and trades in listed instruments. The Company operates weekly dealing and trades in sufficiently liquid investments to meet any redemption requests from investors. The Company also has the ability to suspend redemption requests where necessary. Shares will be redeemable at the option of the Shareholder weekly (or such other or additional days as the Directors may determine and notify to the Shareholders) in each year. The Directors are of the opinion that the Company is minimally exposed to liquidity risk.

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#### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Liquidity risk (continued)

The maturity profile of the Company's financial liabilities is as follows:

Financial Liabilities:	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
1-3 months	472,155	1,525,462
3-6 months	59,884	65,360
	€ 532,039	1,590,822

#### Country risk

The risk of a major disruptive political or economic event that could severely disrupt capital markets is impacted by a range of factors. The factors that give rise to an increase to the risk of such events include dislocations caused by monetary policy responses by central banks to uncertain and unequal inflation and economic growth prospects across the region, and an unstable regional and global geopolitical environment. The Company's investments in listed property holding companies are predicated on the stability of capital markets. In accordance with the Company's policies and procedures in place, the Investment Manager monitors the exposure to risk on a regular basis.

#### Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company may invest in financial instruments and enter into transactions that are denominated in various currencies. Consequently the Company is exposed to the risk that the exchange rate of its reporting currency, relative to other currencies, may change in a manner that has an adverse effect on the value of that portion of the Company's assets and liabilities which are denominated in currencies other than the reporting currency. The Company may enter into currency hedges for the account of the Sterling shares and the US Dollar shares to mitigate the impact of fluctuations in the Euro / Sterling and Euro / US Dollar exchange rate. In accordance with the Company's policies and procedures in place, the Investment Manager monitors the exposure to risk on a regular basis.

As at the Statement of Financial Position date the Company had the following currency risk exposure:

	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
Assets	€	€
Euro	15,600,892	26,950,665
Sterling	12,116,569	18,199,905
Swiss Franc	3,532,257	2,460,666
Swedish Krona	5,056,727	11,437,177
Norwegian Krone	151	174
US Dollar	16,790	51,786
Liabilities		
Euro	(532,039)	(977,329)
Sterling	-	(87,567)
Swedish Krona	-	(519,527)
US Dollar	<del>-</del>	(6,399)

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#### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Currency risk (continued)**

While the functional currency of the Company is Euro, the Company is exposed to various other currencies. The effect of changes in foreign exchange rates based on the amounts held in foreign currency have been summarised below:

	Change in FX rate	Effect on profit/equity 31 March 2023	Effect on profit/equity 31 March 2022
		€	€
EUR/GBP	+10%	1,211,657	1,811,234
EUR/GBP	-10%	(1,211,657)	(1,811,234)
EUR/SEK	+10%	505,673	1,091,765
EUR/SEK	-10%	(505,673)	(1,091,765)
EUR/NOK	+10%	15	17
EUR/NOK	-10%	(15)	(17)
EUR/CHF	+10%	353,226	246,067
EUR/CHF	-10%	(353,226)	(246,067)
EUR/USD	+10%	1,679	4,539
EUR/USD	-10%	(1,679)	(4,539)

#### 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. Other than as disclosed below, the Directors believe that the Company's exposure to interest rate risk is minimal. Any downward movement in interest rates would negatively affect the return on cash deposits over time.

Financial Assets:	<b>Interest Charging Basis</b>	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
T	<b>3</b> 7 '	25 550 520	56.416.006
Trading securities held long	Non-interest bearing	35,579,738	56,416,986
Cash and cash equivalents	Floating	439,680	1,326,218
Dividends receivable	Non-interest bearing	120,190	91,542
Securities sold receivable	Non-interest bearing	174,923	1,252,943
Other receivables and prepayments	Non-interest bearing	8,855	12,684
	€	36,323,386	59,100,373
Financial Liabilities:			
Other payables and accrued expenses	Non-interest bearing	(532,039)	(1,590,822)
	€	(532,039)	(1,590,822)

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#### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Fair Value Measurement Risk

The Company classifies fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

Level 1 - Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 - Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3 - Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

The level in the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurement is categorised in its entirety is determined on the basis of the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. For this purpose, the significance of an input is assessed against the fair value measurement in its entirety. If a fair value measurement uses observable inputs that require significant adjustment based on unobservable inputs, that measurement is a Level 3 measurement. Assessing the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgement, considering factors specific to the asset or liability.

The determination of what constitutes 'observable' requires significant judgement by the Company. The Company considers observable data to be that market data that is readily available, regularly distributed or updated, reliable and verifiable, not proprietary, and provided by independent sources that are actively involved in the relevant market.

The following table summarises the valuation of the Company's investments by the IFRS fair value hierarchy as at 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022:

			31 March	2023	
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Trading securities held long		35,579,738	-	-	35,579,738
	€	35,579,738	-	-	35,579,738
			31 March	2022	
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Trading securities held long	_	56,416,986	-	-	56,416,986
	€	56,416,986	=	=	56,416,986

The values of all the Company's financial instruments are based on quoted market prices in active markets and are therefore classified as Level 1. The Company does not adjust the quoted market price for these instruments.

#### Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market price (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether caused by factors specific to an individual investment, or other factors affecting the wider market.

The Company is a long equity fund seeking to outperform a benchmark. As such its aim during the year was to deliver attractive returns in excess of its benchmark, the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Europe Net Total Return Index. In accordance with the Company's policies and procedures in place, the Investment Manager monitors the exposure to risk on a regular basis.

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#### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Market risk (continued)

A 10% increase or decrease in the prices of investments held at fair value through profit or loss would impact the net assets of the Company as follows:

	Change in _	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
	market price	€	€
Investments held at fair value through profit or loss			
Effect on net assets/comprehensive income	+10%	3,557,974	5,641,699

The Directors believe that a 10% fluctuation in the quoted market price is a reasonable and realistic assumption.

The Board is continuing to monitor the impact that the UK's withdrawal from the European Union will have on the Company. At this stage, the Board is not aware of any regulatory development that would have a material negative impact on the Company's continued operations. Whilst the Russian invasion of Ukraine on 24 February 2022 has had a profoundly negative impact on the European economic outlook, including inflation and interest rate expectations, the portfolio had no direct exposure to either Russia or Ukraine at the time of the invasion. The uncertain economic growth and inflation outlook coupled with a significant increase in interest rates in Europe led to a significant decline in the European real estate public markets during the period under review.

#### 15. EXCHANGE RATES

The exchange rates to Euro as at the year-end were as follows:

	31 March 2023	31 March 2022
British Pound	0.8787	0.8451
Norwegian Krone	9.4999	9.7290
South African Rand	15.1998	16.9727
Swedish Krona	10.1251	10.3692
Swiss Franc	0.9998	1.0239
US Dollar	1.0865	1.1127

#### 16. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE YEAR.

The Russian invasion of Ukraine had a profoundly negative impact on the European economic outlook, including contributing to a significant increase in inflation and consequently interest rate expectations. The portfolio had no direct exposure to either Russia or Ukraine at the time of the invasion. The uncertain economic growth and inflation outlook coupled with a significant increase in interest rates in Europe led to a significant decline in the European real estate public markets during the period under review.

There have been no other significant events during the year.

#### 17. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS SINCE THE YEAR END

Class C Sterling Shares were delisted on the 14 May 2023.

There have been no other events since the year end date, which, in the opinion of the Directors of the Company may have an impact on the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2023.

## PORTFOLIO STATEMENT AS AT 31 MARCH 2023 (UNAUDITED)

Security ID	Security Description	Currency	Quantity	Cost	Cost €	Market Value	Market Value €	% of Total	Listing
Investment held at fa	air value through profit or loss								
GB00BVGBWW93	Assura Plc	GBP	506,317	273,890	313,676	247,336	281,542	0.79%	London
GB0001367019	British Land Plc	GBP	178,523	783,124	920,076	692,223	787,896	2.20%	London
BE0974273055	Care Property Investment	EUR	78,547	1,079,468	1,079,468	1,002,260	1,000,689	2.80%	Brussels
SE0001664707	Catena AB	SEK	64,846	25,223,188	2,278,210	24,959,225	2,210,267	6.18%	Stockholm
BE0003593044	Cofinimmo SA	EUR	4,940	409,959	409,959	402,981	402,857	1.13%	Brussels
GB0002652740	Derwent London Plc	GBP	22,852	624,967	728,145	538,622	613,246	1.71%	London
SE0001634262	Dios Fastigheter AB	SEK	315,486	23,412,243	2,103,028	21,760,647	1,928,033	5.39%	Stockholm
NL0015000K93	Eurocommercial Properties NV	EUR	44,735	968,826	968,826	935,856	937,646	2.62%	Amsterdam
SE0017832488	Fastighets AB Balder	SEK	84,283	4,548,487	407,992	3,580,342	318,025	0.89%	Sweden
FR0010040865	Gecina	EUR	7,199	756,719	756,719	686,605	687,864	1.92%	Paris
GB00B04V1276	Grainger Plc	GBP	161,473	471,792	550,353	375,909	428,176	1.20%	London
FR0000035081	Icade	EUR	6,638	426,283	426,283	287,226	287,691	0.80%	Paris
ES0139140174	Inmobiliaria Colonial Socimi SA	EUR	71,265	454,891	454,891	415,297	415,119	1.16%	Madrid
FR0000121964	Klepierre	EUR	50,824	1,042,837	1,042,837	1,059,172	1,059,680	2.96%	Paris
GB00BYW0PQ60	Land Securities Group	GBP	301,973	1,932,663	2,228,196	1,874,950	2,134,845	5.96%	London
DE000LEG1110	LEG Immobilien REIT	EUR	31,972	1,887,768	1,887,768	1,611,709	1,613,947	4.51%	Frankfurt
GB00BYQ46T41	LXI REIT Plc	GBP	484,451	644,384	746,357	476,458	542,515	1.52%	London
ES0105025003	Merlin Properties Socimi SA	EUR	118,001	1,125,996	1,125,996	950,793	951,088	2.66%	Madrid
BE0003853703	Montea NV	EUR	15,535	1,001,382	1,001,382	1,153,474	1,157,357	3.23%	Brussels
SE0006342333	NP3 Fastigheter AB	SEK	35,607	8,189,610	735,250	6,615,781	591,027	1.65%	Sweden
NL0012365084	NSI NV	EUR	64,598	2,093,112	2,093,112	1,490,599	1,498,674	4.19%	Amsterdam
GB00BYRJ5J14	Primary Health Properties Plc	GBP	191,755	269,597	318,111	193,960	220,848	0.62%	London
CH0018294154	PSP Swiss Property	CHF	8,045	899,535	921,324	835,876	842,980	2.36%	Zurich
GB00B1N7Z094	Safestore Holdings Plc	GBP	134,034	1,372,187	1,590,595	1,272,988	1,449,124	4.05%	London
GB00B5ZN1N88	Segro Plc	GBP	375,397	4,019,155	4,672,089	2,879,295	3,279,386	9.16%	London
GB00B62G9D36	Shaftesbury Capital PLC	GBP	268,250	303,478	345,158	307,280	350,163	0.98%	London

## PORTFOLIO STATEMENT AS AT 31 MARCH 2023 (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

Security ID	Security Description	Currency	Quantity	Cost	Cost €	Market Value	Market Value €	% of Total	Listing
Investment held at fa	air value through profit or loss (Contin	ued)							
GB00BF345X11	Supermarket Income REIT Plc	GBP	273,078	240,789	270,104	236,212	269,136	0.75%	London
CH0008038389	Swiss Prime Site AG	CHF	33,829	2,968,926	2,908,500	2,571,004	2,592,067	7.24%	Switzerland
DE0008303504	TAG Immobilien AG	EUR	134,517	823,242	823,242	856,537	857,546	2.40%	Frankfurt
GB00BG49KP99	Tritax Big Box REIT Plc	GBP	602,978	1,114,318	1,289,458	843,265	960,033	2.68%	London
GB00B19Z2J52	UK Commercial Property REIT Ltd	GBP	679,062	507,275	601,789	349,038	397,228	1.11%	Guernsey
FR0013326246	Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield	EUR	25,189	1,447,799	1,447,799	1,243,896	1,243,959	3.48%	Paris
GB0006928617	Unite Group	GBP	32,200	356,762	425,597	308,476	351,615	0.98%	London
DE000A1ML7J1	Vonovia SE	EUR	109,182	1,768,538	1,768,538	1,891,578	1,893,215	5.29%	Frankfurt
BE0974349814	Warehouses De Pauw CVA	EUR	37,491	1,057,720	1,057,720	1,024,629	1,024,254	2.86%	Brussels
				_	40,698,546		35,579,738		
		C	ash and cash equ	uivalents		_	439,680		
		0	ther Current Ass	sets			303,968		
		T	otal Current Lia	bilities		_	(532,039)		
			Ne	t Assets attribut	able to shareh	olders	35,791,347		

## SIGNIFICANT PORTFOLIO MOVEMENTS (UNAUDITED)\* FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

Purcha	ases
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Description	Quantity	Cost
LEG Immobilien REIT	161,676	11,495,873
Vonovia SE	366,380	
TAG Immobilien AG		8,564,642
Catena AB	927,614 108,563	7,465,480
Catellum AB		3,681,625
	254,462 258,076	3,478,505
Segro Plc	258,076	2,939,290
Warehouses De Pauw CVA Aedifica SA	92,289	2,630,038
	23,097	2,239,875
Fabege AB	287,128	2,216,935
UK Commercial Property REIT Ltd	2,379,616	2,121,844
Dios Fastigheter AB	315,486	2,103,028
Grand City Properties SA	120,522	1,986,794
Sagax AB	98,124	1,925,315
Montea NV	27,162	1,795,566
Cofinimmo SA	17,359	1,682,194
Cibus Nordic Real Estate AB	95,675	1,660,921
Fastighets Ab Balder	395,119	1,646,169
Gecina	14,835	1,580,472
Safestore Holdings Plc	124,626	1,498,119
Land Securities Group	203,717	1,431,567
Sales		
Description	Quantity	Proceeds
LEG Immobilien REIT	160,083	€ 10,977,099
Vonovia SE	390,775	10,143,920
TAG Immobilien AG	873,444	7,061,410
Aedifica SA	44,209	4,325,358
Catena AB	97,011	4,068,281
Catellum AB		
Cibus Nordic Real Estate AB	313,759	3,957,172
	247,602	3,542,604
Grand City Properties SA Cofinimmo SA	231,816	3,390,077
	26,299 287,128	2,839,753
Fabege AB	287,128	2,510,082
Fastighets Ab Balder	491,088	2,364,665
Sagax AB	98,124	2,258,210
VGP NV	14,494	2,074,695
LXI REIT Plc	1,118,701	1,762,628
Mercialys SA	195,365	1,713,304
Segro Plc	148,522	1,643,955
Workspace Group	211,948	1,490,915
Warehouses De Pauw CVA	54,798	1,461,960
Urban Logistics REIT Plc	583,324	1,174,456
Icade	21,277	1,148,397

<sup>\*</sup> Significant portfolio movements disclose the top 20 purchases and sales of the Company for the year.