

ASCOTT RESIDENCE TRUST

A stapled group comprising:

Ascott Real Estate Investment Trust

(A real estate investment trust constituted on 19 January 2006 under the laws of the Republic of Singapore)

Managed by **Ascott Residence Trust Management Limited**(Company Registration No. 200516209Z)

Ascott Business Trust

(A business trust constituted on 9 September 2019 under the laws of the Republic of Singapore)

Managed by **Ascott Business Trust Management Pte. Ltd.**(Company Registration No. 201925299R)

ANNOUNCEMENT

MEMBERS' VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION OF WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARIES

Ascott Residence Trust Management Limited, as manager of Ascott Real Estate Investment Trust ("Ascott Reit"), and Ascott Business Trust Management Pte Ltd, as trustee-manager of Ascott Business Trust, (collectively the "Managers"), wish to announce that Ascott Residence Trust's dormant wholly owned subsidiaries incorporated in Hong Kong, Biyun Investments (Hong Kong) Limited ("BIHKL") and Gaoxin Investments (Hong Kong) Limited ("GIHKL"), have been placed under members' voluntary liquidation.

The liquidation of BIHKL and GIHKL are not expected to have any material impact on the net tangible assets or earnings per share of Ascott Residence Trust for the financial year ending 31 December 2021.

None of the Directors or the controlling shareholder of the Managers has any interest, direct or indirect, in the liquidation of BIHKL and GIHKL.

By Order of the Board

ASCOTT RESIDENCE TRUST MANAGEMENT LIMITED

(Company Registration No. 200516209Z)
As manager of Ascott Real Estate Investment Trust

ASCOTT BUSINESS TRUST MANAGEMENT PTE. LTD.

(Company Registration No. 201925299R)
As trustee-manager of Ascott Business Trust

Karen Chan Company Secretary 15 November 2021

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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