Stride Property Group Annual Shareholder Meetings 2023

# STRIDE

## **Boards of Directors**



**Tim Storey**Chair of Boards,
Independent



Nick Jacobson Independent



Ross Buckley
Chair of Audit and Risk
Committee, Independent



Tracey Jones Independent



Jacqueline Cheyne
Chair of Sustainability
Committee, Independent



Michelle Tierney
Independent

# Management



Philip Littlewood
Chief Executive Officer



**Jennifer Whooley**Chief Financial Officer



Louise Hill
Company Secretary and General
Manager Corporate Services

# Agenda



# Chair's Address

# Capital management initiatives

Stride is progressing a series of proactive cost and capital management initiatives to protect shareholder value in the current volatile economic environment

Established DRP

Refined dividend policy

Cost management initiatives

Unconditional agreement to sell 22 The Terrace
May 2023

36% committed<sup>1</sup> LVR<sup>2</sup> as at 31 March 2023

<sup>1.</sup> SPL commitments include: the settlement of 110 Carlton Gore Road, Auckland (settled 31 May 2023); building upgrades at 34 Shortland Street, Auckland; various capital expenditure commitments contracted for (refer note 3.4 to the consolidated financial statements); and the estimated FY24 impact of other capital management initiatives announced at Stride's HY23 results in November 2022.

<sup>2.</sup> Calculated as bank debt as a percentage of investment property. Includes (1) SPL's office and retail properties, (2) debt associated with these properties, and (3) the 'as is' value of 110 Carlton Gore Road, Auckland, as at 31 March 2023 (in accordance with SPL's debt facility agreement) and excludes SPL's interest in the Industre joint operation and associated bank debt which are reported as part of the assets and liabilities of SPL (see note 3.2 to the consolidated financial statements for further information).

# Capital management

As at 31 March 2023

**36%** committed<sup>1</sup> LVR

3.96% weighted average cost of debt

~80% committed¹ drawn debt fixed

\$400m green loan facilities<sup>2</sup>



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<sup>2.</sup> Facilities are classified as green loans under a Green Finance Framework that has been developed to be consistent with the Asia Pacific Loan Market Association (APLMA) Green Loan Principles (2021).

# Chief Executive Officer's Presentation

# FY23 highlights

Profit before other expense/ and income tax

\$53.5m

**†** 

Stride office and town centre portfolio<sup>1</sup> market rental growth

+7.1%

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Loss after income tax

\$(116.7)m \pm

Distributable profit<sup>2</sup> after current income tax

\$57.6m

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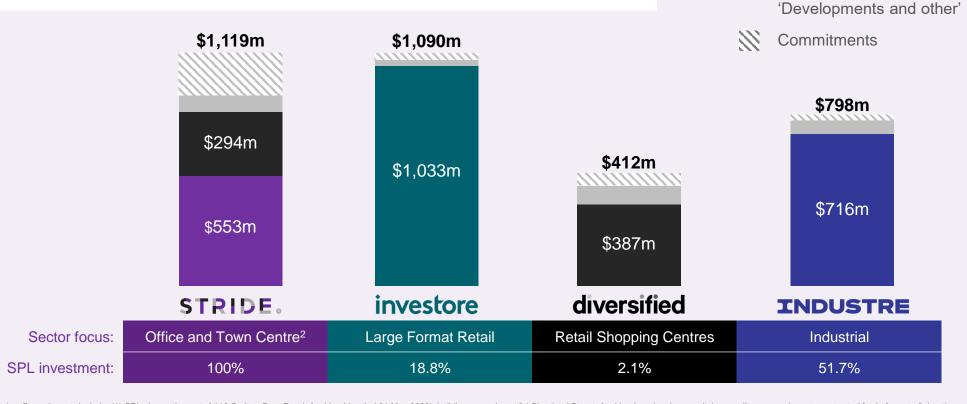
Distributable profit is a non-GAAP measure and consists of (loss)/profit before income tax, adjusted for determined non-recurring and/or non-cash items, share of (loss)/profit in equity-accounted investments, dividends received from equity-accounted investments and current tax. Further information, including the calculation of distributable profit and the adjustments to (loss)/profit before income tax, is set out in note 4.2 to the consolidated financial statements.



<sup>1.</sup> Excludes properties categorised as "Development and Other" and "Assets classified as held for sale" in the consolidated financial statements

### **Products**

Stride is an active portfolio manager with \$3.4 billion of committed<sup>1</sup> Assets Under Management as at 31 March 2023, including \$2.3 billion of external Assets Under Management



<sup>1.</sup> Commitments include: (1) SPL: the settlement of 110 Carlton Gore Road, Auckland (settled 31 May 2023); building upgrades at 34 Shortland Street, Auckland; and various capital expenditure commitments contracted for (refer note 3.4 to the consolidated financial statements); (2) Investore: the development of the Countdown at Hakarau Road, Kaiapoi, and other capital expenditure commitments; (3) Diversified: the disposal of Remarkables Park Town Centre; and (4) Industre: estimated costs of construction for two committed developments.

Office

Town Centres

Industrial

Large Format Retail

Property categorised as

Retail Shopping Centres /

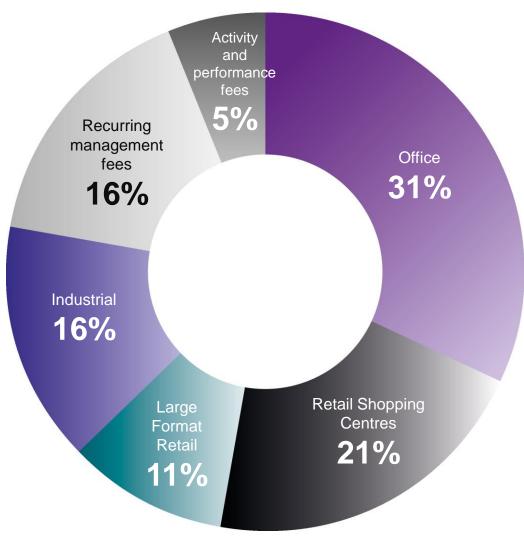
<sup>2.</sup> Stride office and town centre property excludes SPL's interest in the Industre portfolio which is reported as part of the assets of SPL in the consolidated financial statements (see note 3.2 to the consolidated financial statements for further information).

#### Diversified revenue sources

Stride combines a property ownership business (SPL) with a real estate investment management business (SIML)



#### FY23 look-through revenue sources<sup>1</sup>



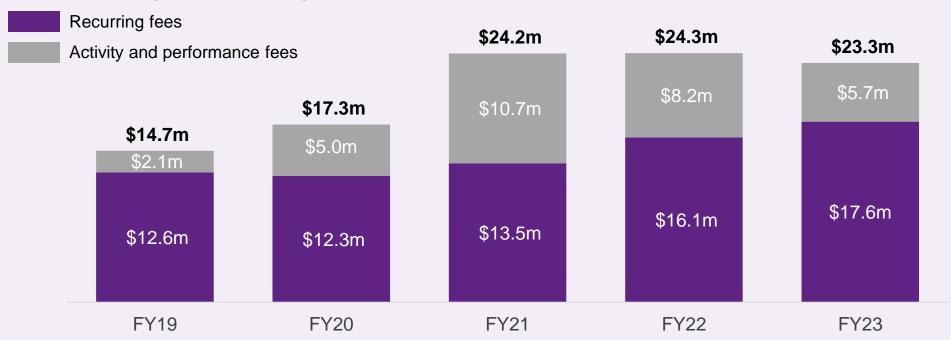
<sup>1.</sup> Stride's revenue comprises SIML management fees and SPL revenue. SPL revenue comprises income derived from SPL's directly held property plus revenue derived from its interests in the Stride Products which is calculated based on net Contract Rental on a proportionate look-through basis as at 31 March 2023. Management fees comprise FY23 management fees from Stride Products (i.e. excluding fees from SPL).

# SIML management fee income

#### FY23 management fee<sup>1</sup> income:

- \$23.3m total management fees, down slightly from FY22
- \$17.6m recurring fees, representing 9.5% growth compared to FY22
- Lower activity fees due to lower performance fees and transaction activity

#### SIML management fee growth<sup>1</sup>



Note: Numbers in chart may not sum due to rounding.

1. Net of management fees received from SPL.

# Active portfolio manager

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- 110 Carlton Gore Road office property acquired 31 May 2023
- Office portfolio transformed to focus on newer, high quality, sustainable properties
- Strong sales growth at Stride's shopping centre assets supported rental and leasing activity





#### diversified

- Strong sales activity across the portfolio with moving annual turnover up \$61m or 14.0% from FY19 (pre-Covid)
- Strong sales activity helping to drive rentals, with rent reviews<sup>1</sup> during FY23 resulting in 8.3% increase on previous rentals

<sup>1. 101</sup> rent reviews were completed across 39% of the Diversified portfolio by area, excluding properties categorised as 'Development and Other' and 'Investment properties held for sale' in the financial statements.

# Active portfolio manager (cont)



#### **INDUSTRE**

- 5 properties developed since JV commencement in 2020, including one development nearing completion
- 10 further properties have development potential, providing growth opportunities in a constrained market
- Strong demand for industrial property driving higher rents

#### investore

- \$28.1m of acquisitions completed in FY23, including development land at Kaiapoi with construction of a new Countdown commenced
- Proactive approach to capital management helping to insulate earnings from the full effects of higher interest rates



# Sustainability

Stride has made significant advances in developing its sustainability and climate change strategy

#### **Targets set**

 Reduce scope 1 and 2 greenhouse gas emissions by 42% by 2030 from FY20 baseline year

#### **Green ratings**

- 74% of office properties<sup>1</sup> by value are rated 4 star NABERSNZ or 5 Green Star
- Green rating improvement plan underway for two office properties

#### **People and community**

- Continued support for community initiatives
- Employee Diversity, Equity and Inclusion committee established

On a pro forma basis as at 31 March 2023 as if the property at 110 Carlton Gore Road had settled as at that date. Excludes 55 Lady Elizabeth Lane, Wellington, and 22 The Terrace, Wellington.

### Outlook

- With its resilient portfolio, prudent capital management and diversified business, Stride considers it is well positioned to weather the current economic conditions
- Stride will continue to support the growth and portfolio optimisation of its Products
- Stride will look to establish a new Stride Product when market conditions are conducive
- Dividend guidance of 8.00cps for FY24, subject to market conditions



# **Formal Business**

# Stride Property Limited Resolution

#### Resolution 1: Auditor's Remuneration

That the Directors be authorised to fix the remuneration of PwC as auditor of Stride Property Limited for the ensuing year

# SPL proxy votes received

Resolution 1: Auditor's Remuneration					
Proxy Votes Lodged	For	Against	Discretionary		
304,309,253	96.16%	0.18%	3.66%		

# Stride Investment Management Limited Resolutions

#### Resolution 1: Auditor's Remuneration

That the Directors be authorised to fix the remuneration of PwC as auditor of Stride Investment Management Limited for the ensuing year

## Resolution 2: Election of Director Tracey Jones

That Tracey Jones be elected as a Director of Stride Investment Management Limited



# Resolution 3: Re-election of Director Michelle Tierney

That Michelle Tierney be re-elected as a Director of Stride Investment Management Limited



#### Resolution 4: Directors' Remuneration

Table 1: Proposed Director Fee Increase

	Current aggregate <sup>1</sup> director fees per annum	Proposed aggregate <sup>1</sup> director fees per annum	Proposed Increase (\$)	Proposed Increase (%)
Chair	\$172,500	\$176,000	+\$3,500	+2.0%
Non-executive Directors (x5)	\$97,500	\$99,000	+\$1,500	+1.5%
Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee	\$13,500	\$15,000	+\$1,500	+11.1%
Chair of the Sustainability Committee	\$7,500	\$10,000	+\$2,500	+33.3%
Allowance for Additional Work and Attendance <sup>2</sup>	\$144,500	\$144,500	-	-

<sup>1.</sup> Aggregate Fees are the combined annual Director fees for SPL and SIML.

<sup>2.</sup> The allowance for additional work and attendance is an aggregate sum available to the Boards to remunerate Directors for significant extra attendances and work. It is not an amount payable per Director. The allowance for additional work and attendances has not been allocated to Directors for the past five financial years.

#### Resolution 4: Directors' Remuneration

That, in accordance with NZX Listing Rule 2.11.1, the amount payable to any person who from time to time holds office as a Director of Stride Investment Management Limited be increased as set out in Table 1 contained in the Explanatory Notes to the Notice of Meeting dated 29 May 2023, with effect from 1 July 2023

# SIML proxy votes received

Resolution 1: Auditor's Remuneration						
Proxy Votes Lodged	For	Against	Discretionary			
304,448,943	96.15%	0.18%	3.66%			
Resolution 2: Election of Director Tracey Jones						
Proxy Votes Lodged	For	Against	Discretionary			
304,396,955	96.11%	0.11%	3.78%			
Resolution 3: Re-election of Director Michelle Tierney						
Proxy Votes Lodged	For	Against	Discretionary			
304,352,158	95.88%	0.51%	3.61%			
Resolution 4: Directors' Remuneration						
Proxy Votes Lodged	For	Against	Discretionary			
304,266,920	95.86%	0.54%	3.60%			

# General Business and Shareholder Questions

# Thank you

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