

# Financial Report for the 1st quarter FY2024 ended 30 September 2023

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	Quarter			Period-To-Date		
	30 Sep 2023	30 Sep 2022	Changes	30 Sep 2023	30 Sep 2022	Changes
	RM '000	RM '000	%	RM '000	RM '000	%
Lease income	20,574	17,906	14.9%	20,574	17,906	14.9%
Revenue from contracts with customers	1,793	1,443	24.3%	1,793	1,443	24.3%
Gross revenue	22,367	19,349	15.6%	22,367	19,349	15.6%
Utilities expenses	(2,889)	(2,311)	(25.0%)	(2,889)	(2,311)	(25.0%)
Maintenance and housekeeping expenses	(657)	(621)	(5.8%)	(657)	(621)	(5.8%)
Marketing expenses	(60)	(39)	(52.5%)	(60)	(39)	(52.5%)
Quit rent and assessment	(496)	(469)	(5.6%)	(496)	(469)	(5.6%)
Reimbursement costs	(993)	(964)	(3.0%)	(993)	(964)	(3.0%)
Property manager fee	(41)	(32)	(28.3%)	(41)	(32)	(28.3%)
Other operating expenses	(715)	(580)	(23.2%)	(715)	(580)	(23.2%)
Property operating expenses	(5,851)	(5,016)	(16.6%)	(5,851)	(5,016)	(16.6%)
Net property income	16,516	14,333	15.2%	16,516	14,333	15.2%
Interest income	279	279	0.0%	279	279	0.0%
Net investment income	16,795	14,612	14.9%	16,795	14,612	14.9%
Manager's management fee	(1,805)	(1,738)	(3.9%)	(1,805)	(1,738)	(3.9%)
Trustees' fee	(60)	(49)	(23.3%)	(60)	(49)	(23.3%)
Auditors' remuneration	(50)	(50)	(0.0%)	(50)	(50)	(0.0%)
Valuers' fee	(75)	(65)	(15.4%)	(75)	(65)	(15.4%)
Other trust expenses	(577)	(454)	(27.0%)	(577)	(454)	(27.0%)
Borrowing costs	(3,839)	(3,463)	(10.8%)	(3,839)	(3,463)	(10.8%)
D state of the N1	(6,406)	(5,819)	(10.1%)	(6,406)	(5,819)	(10.1%)
Profit before taxation N1  Taxation	10,389	8,793	18.2%	10,389	8,793	18.2%
	- 10.000	-		- 12.22	-	
Profit after taxation	10,389	8,793	18.2%	10,389	8,793	18.2%
Total comprehensive income attributable to unitholders	10,389	8,793	18.2%	10,389	8,793	18.2%
Profit after taxation is made up as follows:						
- Realised	10,389	8,793	18.2%	10,389	8,793	18.2%
Weighted average number of units ('000)	606,360	547,474		606,360	547,474	
Earnings per unit ("EPU") (sen) - Realised	1.71	1.61		1.71	1.61	
	40.000	0.700		40.000		
Total comprehensive income Distribution adjustments	10,389 303	8,793 292		10,389 303	8,793 292	
Total current period / year distributable income	10,692	9,085		10,692	9,085	
	4.55	4.45		4.55	4.45	
Distribution per unit (sen)	1.55	1.45		1.55	1.45	
N1 Included in profit before taxation are following items:						
Interest income	279	279		279	279	
Amotisation of rental rebate	(69)	(78)		(69)	(78)	
Depreciation of equipments	(136)	(147)		(136)	(147)	
Allowance for impairment on receivable	16	-		16	-	
Bad debts written off	(52)	- ,		(52)	- (0)	
Equipments written off	-	(3)		-	(3)	

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 ("AFS FY2023") and the accompanying notes attached to this Interim Financial Report.

	Quarter			Po	eriod-To-Date	
	30 Sep 2023	30 Sep 2022	Changes	30 Sep 2023	30 Sep 2022	Changes
	RM '000	RM '000	%	RM '000	RM '000	%
Net property income	16,516	14,333	15.2%	16,516	14,333	15.2%
Interest income	279	279	0.0%	279	279	0.0%
	16,795	14,612	14.9%	16,795	14,612	14.9%
Less : Expenses	(6,406)	(5,819)	(10.1%)	(6,406)	(5,819)	(10.1%)
Total comprehensive income	10,389	8,793	18.2%	10,389	8,793	18.2%
Distribution adjustment						
- Amortisation of transactions costs	62	64		62	64	
- Depreciation of equipment	136	147		136	147	
- Allowance for impairment on receivable	(16)	-		(16)	-	
- Bad debts written off	52	-		52	-	
- Written off of equipment	-	3		-	3	
- Net amortisation of rental rebate for MCO	69	78		69	78	
	303	292		303	292	
Total current period / year distributable income	10,692	9,085	17.7%	10,692	9,085	17.7%
Undistributed distributable income brought forward	9,466	7,500	26.2%	9,466	7,500	26.2%
Distributable income	20,158	16,585	21.5%	20,158	16,585	21.5%
Less: Proposed / declared income distribution	(9,399)	(8,105)	16.0%	(9,399)	(8,105)	16.0%
Undistributed distributable income	10,759	8,480	26.9%	10,759	8,480	26.9%
Distribution per unit (sen)	1.55	1.45	6.9%	1.55	1.45	6.9%

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 ("AFS FY2023") and the accompanying notes attached to this Interim Financial Report.

r	Gro	oup	Fund		
	Unaudited As At	Audited As At	Unaudited As At	Audited As At	
	30 Sep 2023	30 Jun 23	30 Sep 2023	30 Jun 23	
ASSETS	RM '000	RM '000	RM '000	RM '000	
Non-Current Assets					
Equipment	1,552	1,520	1,552	1,520	
Investment properties Investment in a subsidiary	966,980 -	964,300 -	966,980 - *	964,300 - *	
Total Non-Current Assets	968,532	965,820	968,532	965,820	
<u>Current Assets</u>					
Trade receivables	366	1,047	366	1,047	
Other receivables and prepayments	6,978	7,763	6,978	7,763	
Cash and cash equivalents	43,590	48,761	35,687	40,929	
Total Current Assets	50,934	57,571	43,031	49,739	
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>1,019,466</u>	1,023,391	1,011,563	1,015,559	
FINANCED BY:					
Unitholders' fund	570.705	570 705	570 705	570 705	
Unitholders' capital Retained earnings	573,785 85,964	573,785 86,186	573,785 85,964	573,785 86,186	
Total Unitholders' Fund	659,749	659,971	659,749	659,971	
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Non-Current Liabilities	200.050	200 500			
Borrowings Amount due to a subsidiary	309,650	309,586	- 303,052	- 305,385	
Other payables and accruals	- 18,159	16,167	18,159	16,167	
Total Non-Current Liabilities	327,809	325,753	321,211	321,552	
Current Linkilities					
<u>Current Liabilities</u> Borrowings	21,305	23,631	20,000	20,000	
Trade payables	21,303	549	20,000	20,000 549	
Other payables and accruals	10,327	13,487	10,327	13,487	
Total Current Liabilities	31,908	37,667	30,603	34,036	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	359,717	363,420	351,814	355,588	
TOTAL UNITHOLDERS' FUND AND LIABILITIES	1,019,466	1,023,391	1,011,563	1,015,559	
Net Asset Value (NAV)					
- before income distribution	670,361	696,770	670,361	696,770	
- after income distribution	659,749	659,971	659,749	659,971	
Number of units in circulation (Units)	606,360	606,360	606,360	606,360	
Net Asset Value per unit (RM)					
- before income distribution	1.1055	1.1491	1.1055	1.1491	
- after income distribution	1.0880	1.0884	1.0880	1.0884	

<sup>\*</sup> Denotes RM2 share capital in KIP REIT Capital Sdn Bhd

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of the Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the AFS FY 2023 and the accompanying notes attached to this Interim Financial Report.

	Unitholders' capital	Retained earnings	Total
	RM '000	RM '000	RM '000
Group and Fund As at 1 July 2023 Profit for the year	573,785	86,186 10,389	659,971 10,389
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to unitholders	-	10,389	10,389
Unitholders' transactions Distribution to unitholders	-	(10,611)	(10,611)
Decrease in net asset resulting from unitholders' transactions	-	(10,611)	(10,611)
As at 30 September 2023	573,785	85,964	659,749
Group and Fund			
As at 1 July 2022	492,333	62,193	554,526
Profit for the year	-	8,793	8,793
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to unitholders	-	8,793	8,793
Unitholders' transactions			
Distribution to unitholders	-	(10,611)	(10,611)
Issuance and placement of units	59,923	-	59,923
Issuing expenses	(678)	-	(678)
Increase in net asset resulting from unitholders' transactions	59,245	(10,611)	48,634
As at 30 September 2022	551,578	60,375	611,953

The unaudited condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Asset Value should be read in conjunction with the AFS FY 2023 and the accompanying notes attached to this Interim Financial Report.

Group		Fund		
Cumulative Y 30 Sep 2023 RM '000	ear-To-Date 30 Sep 2022 RM '000	Cumulative Y 30 Sep 2023 RM '000	ear-To-Date 30 Sep 2022 RM '000	
10,389	8,793	10,389	8,793	
4.500	0.000	4.050		
4,592	3,399	·	25	
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	04		6	
52	-	52		
(16)	3	(16)	;	
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	, ,		(3,90	
			548	
13,984_	8,769	13,223	8,76	
298	114	242	11	
(168)	(109)	(168)	(10	
(2,680)	(685)		(68	
(2,550)	(680)	(2,606)	(680	
_	59.923	_	59,923	
_	•	_	(678	
(10.611)	, ,	(10.611)	(10,61	
-	-	,	(3	
-	-	, ,	(5, <b>6</b> 0	
(5,994)	(5,684)	(129)	(8:	
(16,605)	42,950	(15,859)	42,912	
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48,761	30,994	40,929	23,344	
	RM '000  10,389  4,592 - (279) 136 62 52 - (16)  14,936 1,412 (2,364) 13,984  298 (168) (2,680) (2,550)  - (10,611) - (5,994) (16,605) (5,171)	RM 000       RM 000         10,389       8,793         4,592       3,399         -       -         (279)       (279)         136       147         62       64         52       -         -       3         (16)       -         14,936       12,127         1,412       (3,906)         (2,364)       548         13,984       8,769         298       114         (168)       (109)         (2,680)       (685)         (2,550)       (680)         -       59,923         -       (678)         (10,611)       (10,611)         -       -         (5,994)       (5,684)         (16,605)       42,950         (5,171)       51,039	RM '000         RM '000         RM '000           10,389         8,793         10,389           4,592         3,399         1,052           -         2,723           (279)         (279)         (279)           136         147         136           62         64         62           52         -         52           -         3         -           (16)         -         (16)           14,936         12,127         14,119           1,412         (3,906)         1,467           (2,364)         548         (2,363)           13,984         8,769         13,223           298         114         242           (168)         (109)         (168)           (2,680)         (685)         (2,680)           (2,550)         (680)         (2,606)           -         59,923         -           -         (678)         -           (10,611)         (10,611)         (10,611)           -         (5,994)         (5,684)         (129)           (16,605)         42,950         (15,859)           (5,171)         5	

The unaudited condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow should be read in conjunction with the AFS FY 2023 and the accompanying notes attached to this Interim Financial Report.

#### PART A - DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS PURSUANT TO MALAYSIAN FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("MFRS") 134

#### A1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

KIP Real Estate Investment Trust ("KIP REIT" or the "Fund") is a Malaysia domiciled real estate investment trust constituted pursuant to the trust deed dated 2 November 2016 as amended and restated by the Restated deed dated 12 December 2019 and the supplementary deed dated 29 September 2020 (collectively referred to as the "Deed") between KIP REIT Management Sdn. Bhd. (the "Manager") and Pacific Trustees Berhad (the "Trustee"). The Fund was listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad on 6 February 2017. The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements comprise KIP REIT and its subsidiary (the "Group").

## A2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with MFRS 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by Malaysian Accounting Standards Board, paragraph 9.44 of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Main Market Listing Requirements, the Deed and the Securities Commission Malaysia's Guidelines on Listed Real Estate Investment Trusts ("REIT Guidelines").

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 ("AFS FY2023") and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements. The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those disclosed in the AFS FY2023.

## A3. AUDITORS' REPORT ON PRECEDING ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The audit report of the financial statements of KIP REIT for the preceding financial year ended 30 June 2023 was not qualified.

#### A4. SEASONALITY AND CYCLICALITY OF OPERATIONS

KIP REIT's operations were not significantly affected by seasonal or cyclical factors.

# A5. UNUSUAL ITEMS AFFECTING THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

There were no significant unusual items that affect the assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flow during the financial period to date under review, except the amortisation of rental rebates during MCO 1.0 offered to non-essential retail tenants and rental assistance offered to affected tenants during MCO 2.0 and Full MCO ("FMCO").

#### A6. CHANGES IN ESTIMATES

Not applicable as no estimates were previously reported.

# A7. ISSUANCES, CANCELLATIONS, REPURCHASES AND REPAYMENT OF DEBT AND EQUITY SECURITIES

There were no issuance, cancellation, repurchase, resale, and repayment of debt and equity securities for the current quarter.

## A8. INCOME DISTRIBUTION

The Manager intends to distribute at least 90% of the distributable income to the unitholders of KIP REIT in financial year ending 30 June 2024, on a quarterly basis.

For the quarter ended 30 September 2023, the Manager proposed a first income distribution of RM9.4 million or 1.55 sen per unit, which includes a non-taxable portion of approximately 0.11 sen per unit derived from capital allowances and tax-exempt income which is not subject to tax. The book closure and payment dates in respect of the proposed income distribution will be fixed on 3 November 2023 and 23 November 2023 respectively.

This amount has not been included in a liability in the current financial quarter under review.

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## A9. SEGMENT REPORTING

Segmental result for the first quarter ended 30 September 2023 and 30 September 2022 are as follows:-

	<u>1st quarter l</u>	st quarter Ended 30 September 2023			ided 30 Septe	<u>otember 2022</u>
	Retail RM'000	Industrial RM'000	Total RM'000	Retail RM'000	Industrial RM'000	Total RM'000
Gross Revenue	21,083	1,284	22,367	19,349	=	19,349
Porperty operating expenses	(5,842)	(9)	(5,851)	(5,016)	=	(5,016)
Net Property Income	15,241	1,275	16,516	14,333	-	14,333
Interest income	279	-	279	279	-	279
Borrowing costs	(3,604)	(235)	(3,839)	(3,463)	-	(3,463)
Trust and other expenses	(2,363)	(204)	(2,567)	(2,356)	=	(2,356)
Profit before taxation	9,553	836	10,389	8,793	=	8,793
Taxation		-	=	-	-	
Profit after taxation	9,553	836	10,389	8,793	-	8,793

Segmental result for year ended 30 September 2023 and 30 September 2022 are as follows:-

	YTD Ended 30 September 2023			YTD Ende	d 30 Septemb	er 2022
	Retail RM'000	Industrial RM'000	Total RM'000	Retail RM'000	Industrial RM'000	Total RM'000
Gross Revenue	21,083	1,284	22,367	19,349	-	19,349
Porperty operating expenses	(5,842)	(9)	(5,851)	(5,016)	-	(5,016)
Net Property Income	15,241	1,275	16,516	14,333	-	14,333
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Trust and other expenses	(2,363)	(204)	(2,567)	(2,356)	-	(2,356)
Profit before taxation	9,553	836	10,389	8,793	=	8,793
Taxation	-	-	-	-	-	-
Profit after taxation	9,553	836	10,389	8,793	-	8,793

# A10. VALUATION OF INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

Investment properties are valued by independent registered valuers. The difference between the valuation and the carrying amounts of the respective investment properties are charged or credited to the profit or loss for the period in which they arise. There was no valuation performed during the quarter under review.

# A11. SUBSEQUENT MATERIAL EVENT

On 4 October 2023, the Manager annouced that unitholders of KIP REIT had at the Unitholders' Meeting convened and held on 4 October 2023, approved the Proposed Acquisition and Proposed Private Placement of up to 12,269,900 new units as announced on 16 June 2023, 27 July 2023, 21 August 2023 and 5 September 2023.

# A12. CHANGES IN THE COMPOSITION / FUND SIZE OF KIP REIT

There was no change in composition of fund size for the current quarter and cumulative quarter ended 30 September 2023.

# A13. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND CONTINGENT ASSETS

There were no contingent liabilities or contingent assets to be disclosed.

# A14. CAPITIAL COMMITMENT

The amount of commitments for investment properties not provideed for in the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements were as follows:

	As at	As at
	30.09.2023	30.6.2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Approved and contracted for		
KIPMall Bangi Facelift	8,502	11,103

## **B1. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE**

# Comparison with Preceding Year Corresponding Quarter and Year-to-date

		Quarter		Y		
	30.09.2023 RM'000	30.09.2022 RM'000	Changes (%)	30.09.2023 RM'000	30.09.2022 RM'000	Changes (%)
Gross revenue						
Southern Region	10,428	9,640	8.2%	10,428	9,640	8.2%
Central Region	6,171	5,225	18.1%	6,171	5,225	18.1%
Northen Region	4,484	4,484	0.0%	4,484	4,484	0.0%
Retail segment	21,083	19,349	9.0%	21,083	19,349	9.0%
Industrial segment	1,284	-	N/A	1,284	-	N/A
	22,367	19,349	15.6%	22,367	19,349	15.6%
Net property income						
Southern Region	7,852	7,290	7.7%	7,852	7,290	7.7%
Central Region	3,062	2,715	12.8%	3,062	2,715	12.8%
Northen Region	4,327	4,329	0.0%	4,327	4,329	0.0%
Retail segment	15,241	14,333	6.3%	15,241	14,333	6.3%
Industrial segment	1,275	-	N/A	1,275	-	N/A
	16,516	14,333	15.2%	16,516	14,333	15.2%
Profit before taxation						
Realised	10,389	8,793	18.2%	10,389	8,793	18.2%
Income available for distribution	10,692	9,085	17.7%	10,692	9,085	17.7%

## Quarterly and Year to date result

KIP REIT recorded revenue of RM22.4 million in Q1FY24, as compared to RM19.3 million recorded in the preceding year corresponding quarter. The increase in gross revenue split into 2 segment which is 9.0% from Retail and 6.6% from industrial.

The investment properties from retail and industrial segment contributed 94.3% and 5.7% of the KIP REIT total revenue respectively, whilst Southern, central and Northern region contributed 49.5%, 29.3% and 21.3% of the KIP REIT total revenue from retail segment respectively.

The net property income ("NPI") margin for the current quarter stands at 73.8%, in contrast to the 74.1% recorded in Q1FY23. This slight decrease is primarily attributed to an increase in utilities expenses.

KIP REIT's realised profit before tax for Q1FY24 saw a significant increase of 18.2% compared to the corresponding quarter of the preceding year. This notable growth can be primarily attributed to the acquisition of the three industrial properties and a higher occupancy rate for retail spaces.

# B2. MATERIAL CHANGES IN QUARTERLY RESULTS AS COMPARED TO IMMEDIATE PRECEDING QUARTER

	Current Quarter	Immediate Preceding Quarter	
	30.09.2023	30.06.2023	Changes
	<u>RM'000</u>	<u>RM'000</u>	<u>(%)</u>
Gross revenue	22,367	22,392	(0.1%)
Net property income	16,516	16,234	1.7%
Profit before taxation			
Realised	10,389	10,247	1.4%
Unrealised	-	23,092	N/A
	26,905	49,573	(45.7%)
Income available for distribution	10,692	10,522	1.6%

# B2. MATERIAL CHANGES IN QUARTERLY RESULTS AS COMPARED TO IMMEDIATE PRECEDING QUARTER (CONT'D)

KIP REIT's revenue for the current quarter was 0.1% slightly lower than the immediate preceding quarter ended 30 June 2023 mainly due to lower rental income from promotional area.

Net property income increased by 1.7% compared to the immediate preceding quarter mainly due to reduce in property expenses such as utilities and upkeep of building.

The realised profit before taxation was 1.4% higher than the immediate preceding quarter ended 30 June 2023 due to the reason explained above.

There was unrealised profit before tax in the immediate preceding quarter on the changes in fair value on investment properties.

Current quarter income available for distribution was 1.6% higher than the immediate preceding quarter ended 30 June 2023 mainly due to the reason explained above.

#### **B3. PROSPECTS**

The Manager holds a favorable outlook, considering the positive performance of KIP REIT's existing property portfolio and their strategic endeavors to actively enhance leasing and operational strategies while pursuing investments of high quality. As a result, the manager anticipates the ability to sustain a stable performance throughout fiscal year 2024.

The Manager will continue to manage the existing portfolio and exercise prudent capital management in order to deliver sustainable DPU to Unitholders. The Manager will also continue to evaluate growth opportunities in its existing and new asset classes of retail and industrial assets.

## **B4. PORTFOLIO COMPOSITON**

During the financial period under review, the KIP REIT's portfolio consists of total of ten (10) assets. There are three (3) industrial properties added to the existing portfolio of seven (7) retail malls. The seven (7) retail malls, of which three (3) are in the Southern region, three (3) are in the Central region and one (1) in the Northern region.

# B5. UTILISATION OF PROCEEDS RAISED FROM ANY ISSUANCE OF NEW UNITS

Proposed utilisation	Proposed Amount for Utilisation	Actual utilisation	Balance unutilised	Estimated timeframe for utilisation upon listing
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Future acquisition	72,184	50,000	22,184	within 14 months
Part-finance the KIPMall Bangi facelift	9,215	9,215	-	within 18 months
Defrayment of expenses in relation to the private				
placement	1,000	947	53	within 6 months
	82,399	60,162	22,237	

#### **B6. TAXATION**

## Trust Level

Pursuant to Section 61A of the Malaysian Income Tax Act, 1967 ("Act"), income of KIP REIT will be exempted from tax provided that at least 90% of its total taxable income (as defined in the Act) is distributed to the investors in the basis period of KIP REIT for that year of assessment within two (2) months after the close of the financial year. If the 90% distribution condition is not complied with or the 90% distribution is not made within two (2) months after the close of KIP REIT financial year which forms the basis period for a year of assessment, KIP REIT will be subjected to income tax at the prevailing rate on its total taxable income. Income which has been taxed at the KIP REIT level will have tax credits attached when subsequently distributed to unitholders.

As KIP REIT intends to distribute more than 90% of its distributable income, which translates to more than 90% of its total taxable income, to its unitholders for the financial year ending 30 June 2024, no provision for taxation has been made for the current quarter.

#### Unitholders' Level

Pursuant to the section 109D of Act, the following withholding tax rates would be applicable on distribution of income which is tax exempt at KIP REIT's level:

#### Resident unitholder:

a)	Company	Tax flow through; thus no withholding tax
b)	Other than company	Withholding tax at 10%

#### Non-resident unitholder:

a)	Company	Withholding tax at 24%
b)	Institutuional investors	Withholding tax at 10%
c)	Individuals	Withholding tax at 10%

## **B7. INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES**

The Manager's key investment objective is to provide unitholders with regular and stable distributions, sustainable long-term unit price, distributable income and capital growth, while maintaining an appropriate capital structure. The Manager is pleased to report that since the listing of KIP REIT, the Trust has been successful in achieving the investment objectives. There was no change in the investment objectives of KIP REIT as at the date of this report.

# **B8. STRATEGIES AND POLICIES**

There were no change in the strategies and policies employed since the issuance of the 2023 integrated annual report of KIP REIT.

## **B9. STATUS OF CORPORATE PROPOSAL**

On 16 June 2023, the Manager announced that the Trustee to KIP REIT has entered into conditional sale and purchase agreements ("SPAs") with Cahaya Serijaya Sdn Bhd ("Vendor"), for proposed acquisition of KIPMall Kota Warisan ("Properties") for a cash consideration of RM80.0 million ("Proposed Acquisitions"). The Proposed Acquisition is a related party transaction under Paragraph 10.08 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

In conjunction with the Proposed Acquisition, the Trustee on recommendation of the Manager, proposes to undertake a private placement to raise gross proceeds of approximately RM10.0 million

On 4 October 2023, the Manager annouced that unitholders of KIP REIT had at the Unitholders' Meeting convened and held on 4 October 2023, approved the Proposed Acquisition and Proposed Private Placement of up to 12,269,900 new units as announced on 16 June 2023, 27 July 2023, 21 August 2023 and 5 September 2023.

## **B10. BORROWINGS**

	Current Quarter	Immediate Preceding Quarter
	30.09.2023	30.06.2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Current (secured):		
Short term revolving credit	20,000	20,000
Medium term notes	1,561	3,887
Unamortised transaction cost	(256)	(256)
	21,305	23,631
Non-current (secured):		
Medium term notes	310,000	310,000
Unamortised transaction cost	(350)	(414)
	309,650	309,586
Total borrowings	330,955	333,217
Total assets	1,019,466	1,023,391
Gearing ratio (%)	32.46%	32.56%

The weighted average interest rate of borrowings as at 30 September 2023 was 4.64% per annum (30 June 2023: 4.43% per annum) and the percentage proportion of debt that is based on fixed and floating interest rate of 64: 36, with the drawdown of short term revolving credit of RM20.0 million.

# **B11. MATERIAL LITIGATION**

There was no material litigation pending as at the date of this report.

## **B12. SOFT COMMISSION RECEIVED**

There was no soft commission received by the Manager during the current period-to-date.

# B13. SUMMARY OF DPU, EPU, NAV AND MARKET PRICE

	Current Quarter ended 30 September 2023	Immediate Preceding Quarter ended 30 June 2023
Number of units in issue (units'000)	606,360	606,360
Net realised income (RM'000)	10,389	10,247
Realised earnings per unit (EPU) (sen)		
- before Manager's fee	2.01	1.97
- after Manager's fee	1.71	1.69
Net Income distribution to unitholders (RM'000)	9,399	10,611
Distribution per unit (DPU) (sen)	1.55	1.75
Net Asset Value (NAV) (RM'000)	659,749	659,971
NAV per unit (RM)	1.0880	1.0884
Market value per unit (RM)	0.8900	0.9000

# **B14. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT**

In the opinion of the Directors of the Manager, this Interim Financial Report has been prepared in accordance with MFRS 134: Interim Financial Reporting, the MMLR and the REIT Guidelines so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of KIP REIT as at 30 September 2023 and of its financial performance and cash flows for the financial period ended on that date and duly authorised for release by the Board of Directors of the Manager on 20 October 2023.