# JANUS CAPITAL FUNDS PLC

10 Earlsfort Terrace
Dublin 2
Ireland

This document is important and requires your immediate attention. If you are in any doubt as to the action you should take you should seek advice from your investment consultant or other professional adviser.

If you have sold or transferred any of your shares in the Janus Capital Funds plc (the "Company"), please pass this document at once to the purchaser or transferee, or to the stockbroker, bank or other agent through whom the sale or transfer was effected for transmission to the purchaser or transferee as soon as possible.

Unless otherwise defined herein, all other capitalised terms used herein shall bear the same meaning as capitalised terms used in the prospectus of the Company dated 22 September 2016 (the "Prospectus"). A copy of the Prospectus is available upon request during normal business hours from the Administrator.

In accordance with the current policy of the Central Bank of Ireland (the "Central Bank"), this document has not been reviewed by the Central Bank.

30 October 2017

Dear Shareholder.

RE: Change of Names, Changes to Memorandum and Articles of Association and Update of Website Address

We are writing to advise you of some proposed changes to name of the Company and consequent changes to the Memorandum and Articles of Association for which Shareholder approval is to be sought at the upcoming extraordinary general meeting of the Company due to be held on 23 November 2017 at 12p.m. (Irish time). We also wish to advise you of some proposed changes to names of certain of the Company's sub-funds and an update of the website address.

Following the merger of Janus Capital Group Inc. and Henderson Group plc in May 2017, Janus Capital rebranded its business as Janus Henderson Investors.

Janus Henderson Investors brings together two complementary businesses, Janus and Henderson, which share client-centric and collaborative cultures, well-matched investment capabilities and a focus on active management. Janus Henderson Investors combines the talent pools of both organisations to build a strong global team that is better able to deliver innovative solutions for clients. The merger creates a company with increased scale, broader diversity of products and investment strategies, and greater depth in its investment professionals and distribution. This provides superior reach and range, allowing Janus Henderson Investors to offer actively managed investments and the high level of support and service that clients expect.

As a consequence of the merger, subject to your approval at the extraordinary general meeting it is proposed to change the name of the Company from "Janus Capital Funds plc" to "Janus Henderson Capital Funds plc". This change in name is also subject to the approval of the Registrar of Companies in Ireland and the Central Bank. It is also proposed to change the name of certain of the Company's sub-funds as detailed in Appendix I to this letter.

The Memorandum and Articles of Association will also be updated to reflect the change in the Company's name.

The website where investors can obtain latest information about the Company and the Funds has been changed from <a href="www.janusinternational.com">www.janusinternational.com</a> to <a href="www.janushenderson.com">www.janushenderson.com</a>. Investors accessing <a href="www.janushenderson.com">www.janushenderson.com</a>. automatically re-directed to <a href="www.janushenderson.com">www.janushenderson.com</a>.

# **Extraordinary General Meeting ("EGM"):**

An EGM of the Shareholders of the Company will take place at 12 p.m. (Irish time) on 23 November 2017 at 10 Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2, Ireland. At the EGM, Shareholders of the Company will be asked to consider items of special business, the purpose of which is to pass a resolution approving the proposed change in name of the Company and amendments to the Memorandum and Articles of Association to reflect this change. The quorum for the meeting is two Shareholders present (in person or by proxy).

If within half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting shall be adjourned for one week at the same time and place or to such other day, time and place as the Board of Directors may determine.

The amendments to the name and Memorandum and Articles of Association require the approval of Shareholders of the Company by way of a special resolution. This means that over 75% of the Shareholders of the Company present and voting in person or by proxy must vote in favour of the resolution. A copy of the resolution can be found in the attached notice of EGM.

The results of the EGM vote will be available on or about 24 November 2017 on Janus Capital International's website at www.janushenderson.com.

# **Casting your Vote/Proxy Form:**

To take part in this vote please return your completed <u>original and signed</u> Form of Proxy to the address specified on the proxy form (i.e. Janus Capital Funds plc, c/o Paragon Customer Communications, Evolution House, Choats Road, Dagenham, RM9 6BF, United Kingdom or by fax to +44 20 7184 9294) so that it is received by 12 p.m. (Irish time) on 21 November 2017. Alternatively you may attend the meeting and vote in person. Completion and return of a form of proxy will not preclude a Shareholder from attending and voting in person at the EGM.

# **Effective Date of the changes:**

Subject to Shareholder approval at the EGM, the change in name will take effect from the approval of the Companies Registration Office of the change in name. The Company will confirm the effective date of the change by way of an announcement which will be available on Janus Capital International Limited's website at <a href="https://www.janushenderson.com">www.janushenderson.com</a>.

#### Conclusion

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your distributor or usual Janus representative.

Yours sincerely,

For and on behalf of Janus Capital Funds plc

Enclosures Notice of Meeting; Form of Proxy

	Current Name	New Name
<b>Change</b> in Company	Janus Capital Funds plc	Janus Henderson Capital Funds
name		plc
Change in sub-fund name	Janus Balanced Fund	Janus Henderson Balanced Fund
	Janus Europe Allocation Fund	Janus Henderson Europe
		Allocation Fund
	Janus Europe Fund	Janus Henderson Europe Fund
	Janus Global Adaptive Capital	Janus Henderson Global Adaptive
	Appreciation Fund	Capital Appreciation Fund
	Janus Global Adaptive Capital	Janus Henderson Global Adaptive
	Preservation Fund	Capital Preservation Fund
	Janus Global Adaptive Multi- Asset Fund	Janus Henderson Global Adaptive Multi-Asset Fund
	Janus Global Growth Fund	Janus Henderson Global Growth
	Janus Global Growth Fund	Fund
	Janus Global Life Sciences Fund	Janus Henderson Global Life
	Julius Global Elic Sciences I and	Sciences Fund
	Janus Global Opportunistic	Janus Henderson Global
	Alpha Fund	Opportunistic Alpha Fund
	Janus Global Research Fund	Janus Henderson Global Research
		Fund
	Janus Global Research (ex-	Janus Henderson Global Research
	Japan) Fund	(ex-Japan) Fund
	Janus Global Technology Fund	Janus Henderson Global
	I O I I I I I I	Technology Fund
	Janus Opportunistic Alpha Fund	Janus Henderson Opportunistic
	Janus US Research Fund	Alpha Fund Janus Henderson US Research
	Janus OS Research Fund	Fund
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	Janus US Venture Fund	Janus Henderson US Venture
		Fund
	Janus Global Value Fund	Janus Henderson Global Value
		Fund
	Janus US Strategic Value Fund	Janus Henderson US Strategic
		Value Fund
	INTECH All-World Minimum	Janus Henderson INTECH All-
	Variance Core Fund	World Minimum Variance Core
	INTECH Emorging Markets	Fund Janus Henderson INTECH
	INTECH Emerging Markets Core Fund	Emerging Markets Core Fund
	INTECH Emerging Markets	Janus Henderson INTECH
	Managed Volatility Fund	Emerging Markets Managed
		Volatility Fund
	INTECH European Core Fund	Janus Henderson INTECH
	•	European Core Fund
	INTECH European Managed	Janus Henderson INTECH
	Volatility Fund	European Managed Volatility
		Fund
	INTECH Global All Country	Janus Henderson INTECH Global
	Core Fund	All Country Core Fund

Current Name	New Name
INTECH Global All Country	Janus Henderson INTECH Global
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Low Volatility Fund	All Country Low Volatility Fund
INTECH Global All Country	Janus Henderson INTECH Global
Managed Volatility Fund	All Country Managed Volatility Fund
INTECH Global Core Fund	Janus Henderson INTECH Global
	Core Fund
INTECH Global Income Managed Volatility Fund	Janus Henderson INTECH Global Income Managed Volatility Fund
INTECH Global Dividend Low	Janus Henderson INTECH Global
Volatility Fund	Dividend Low Volatility Fund
INTECH US Core Fund	Janus Henderson INTECH US Core Fund
INTECH US Managed Volatility Fund	Janus Henderson INTECH US Managed Volatility Fund
Janus Extended Alpha Fund	Janus Henderson Extended Alpha Fund
Janus Global Diversified	Janus Henderson Global
Alternatives Fund	Diversified Alternatives Fund
Janus Global Real Estate Fund	Janus Henderson Global Real Estate Fund
Janus Global Research 130/30 Fund	Janus Henderson Global Research 130/30 Fund
Janus Absolute Return Income	Janus Henderson Absolute Return
Fund	Income Fund
Janus Emerging Market Debt Fund	Janus Henderson Emerging Market Debt Fund
Janus Europe Flexible Income Fund	Janus Henderson Europe Flexible Income Fund
Janus Flexible Income Fund	Janus Henderson Flexible Income Fund
Janus Global Flexible Income Fund	Janus Henderson Global Flexible Income Fund
Janus Global High Yield Fund	Janus Henderson Global High Yield Fund
Janus Global Investment Grade Bond Fund	Janus Henderson Global Investment Grade Bond Fund
Janus Global Opportunity	Janus Henderson Global
Income Fund Janus Multi-Sector Income Fund	Opportunity Income Fund Janus Henderson Multi-Sector
Janua Clab-1 Conta ' I	Income Fund
Janus Global Strategic Income Fund	Janus Henderson Global Strategic Income Fund
Janus Global Unconstrained Bond Fund	Janus Henderson Global Unconstrained Bond Fund
Janus High Yield Fund	Janus Henderson High Yield Fund
Janus US Short-Term Bond Fund	Janus Henderson US Short-Term
Janus Emerging Markets Fund	Bond Fund Janus Henderson Emerging
Janus US Twenty Fund	Markets Leaders Fund Janus Henderson US Forty Fund
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# Janus Capital Funds plc

an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds (the "Company")

## NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the Company will be held at the offices of Arthur Cox, 10 Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2, Ireland on 23 November 2017 at 12 p.m. (Irish time) for the following purpose:

#### A. SPECIAL BUSINESS

1. To consider, and if thought fit, pass the following as a special resolution:

"RESOLVED that the name of the Company be changed from Janus Capital Funds plc to Janus Henderson Capital Funds plc, subject to the approval of the Registrar of Companies and the Central Bank"

2. To consider, and if thought fit, pass the following as a special resolution:

"RESOLVED that, to reflect the change in name of the Company from Janus Capital Funds plc to Janus Henderson Capital Funds plc, the objects clauses in the form attached be and they are hereby adopted as the objects clauses of the Company to the exclusion of all existing objects clauses and that the articles of association in the form attached be and they are hereby adopted as the articles of association of the Company to the exclusion of all existing articles of association"

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

SIGNED:

For and on behalf of

**Bradwell Limited** 

Secretary

Registered Office:

10 Earlsfort Terrace

Dublin 2

Ireland

(Do not return your Form of Proxy to this address. You should return your Form of Proxy to the address specified in the Form of Proxy within the time frames specified therein.)

DATED THE 30th DAY OF OCTOBER 2017

## **NOTE**

Every member/shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy/representative to attend, speak and vote on his/her behalf. A member/shareholder who is a body corporate may appoint an authorised representative to attend, speak and vote on its behalf. A proxy or an authorised representative does not need to be a member/shareholder of the Company.