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Manulife Asset Management Services Berhad declares income distributions for four funds

Kuala Lumpur – Manulife Asset Management Services Berhad (MAMSB) today declared income distributions for four of its unit trust funds. The income distributions are as follows:

Fund	Income Distribution (sen per unit)	Income Distribution Yield*	Income Distribution Period	Financial Year End / Period Ended
Manulife Investment Dividend Fund (an equity income fund)**	1.60	4.42%	Semi-annually	
Manulife Investment Money Market Fund (a money market income fund)	3.00	2.94%		31 October 2017
Manulife Investment Bond Fund (a bond income fund)	3.45	4.01%	Annually	
Manulife Investment As-Saad (an Islamic bond income fund)	4.55	4.05%		

^{*}Based on average net asset value per unit from 1 November 2016 to 31 October 2017

All unit holders who maintained their units in the above four funds as at 26 October 2017 are entitled to receive the distributions.

Mr. Jason Chong, Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director of MAMSB said, "We are pleased that our three funds, namely Manulife Investment Money Market Fund, Manulife Investment Bond Fund and Manulife Investment As-Saad have managed to achieve its investment objectives for unit holders who prefer a lower level of risk. As for Manulife Investment Dividend Fund, we have paid out its first semi-annual income distribution of 1.60 sen per unit to unit holders in view of the change in the Fund's distribution policy from annual to **semi-annual** effective 30 June 2017.

Manulife Investment Dividend Fund is designed for investors who prefer a regular income stream, stable investment returns and potential for medium- to long-term capital appreciation between 3 and 5 years. It is suitable for conservative investors who seek relatively higher returns than fixed deposits but are averse to higher risks associated with high equity exposure.

Manulife Investment Money Market Fund is designed for investors who are conservative in nature and are temperament towards risk-reward trade-off. These investors should have a short-term investment horizon of less than 1 to 3 years and wish to temporarily liquidate or reduce exposure in equities.

^{**} Based on average net asset value per unit from 1 May 2017 to 31 October 2017





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Manulife Investment Bond Fund is designed for investors who prefer a lower level of risk. The Fund is suitable for investors who are less concerned on capital appreciation but seek consistent, reasonable and stable income distribution from their investments. Investors should ideally have a medium- to long-term investment horizon of between 3 and 5 years.

Manulife Investment As-Saad is designed for investors who prefer to invest in sukuk with a lower level of risk. The Fund is suitable for investors who are less concerned on capital appreciation but seek consistent, reasonable and stable income distribution from their investments that comply with Shariah requirements. Investors should ideally have a medium- to long-term investment horizon of between 3 and 5 years.

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Important notes / remarks:

- Investment involves risk. Investors should not make investment decisions based on this material alone and should read the offering document for details, including the level of risk, risk factors, fees and charges, and features of the funds.
- Fund prices may go down as well as up. Past performance figures shown are not indicative of future performance.
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