# Lendlease Global Commercial REIT

1Q FY2021 Business Update

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# KEY EVENT HIGHLIGHT



Somerset Road

## **Key Event Highlight**

Acquisition of a stake in Jem via 5% interest in Lendlease Asian Retail Investment Fund 3

- The investment provides LREIT with pre-emptive rights and opportunities to potentially increase its strategic stake in the Fund (and indirect interest in Jem) over time
- The acquisition was funded fully with cash and is accretive<sup>(1)</sup> to its distribution per unit ("**DPU**")
- Unitholders will benefit from greater income diversification based on the office (35% by NLA) and suburban retail (65% by NLA) components of Jem





(1) Refer to LREIT's announcement "Lendlease Global Commercial REIT acquires a stake in Jem via a 5% interest in Lendlease Asian Retail Investment Fund 3" dated 1 October 2020 for the proforma DPU effect.

# PORTFOLIO UPDATE

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### **Portfolio Performance**

- Maintained a healthy portfolio occupancy of 99.0%
- Only 3% (by NLA) and 12% (by GRI) of the leases will expire by FY2021
- Healthy tenant retention rate of 80.0%<sup>(1)</sup>
- Disciplined capital management with gearing ratio of 35.6% and interest coverage ratio of 9.2 times<sup>(2)</sup>
- No near-term refinancing until FY2023



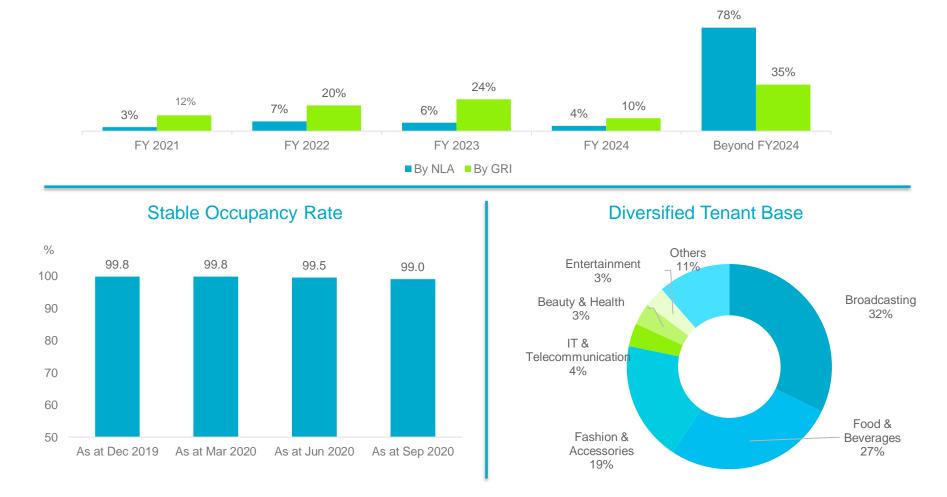
(1) Refers to 313@somerset. Sky Complex is 100% leased till 2032, excluding tenant's break option in 2026.

(2) The interest coverage ratio of 9.2 times is in accordance with requirements in its debt agreements, and 4.8 times in accordance with the Property Funds Appendix of the Code on Collective Schemes.

#### **Portfolio Overview**

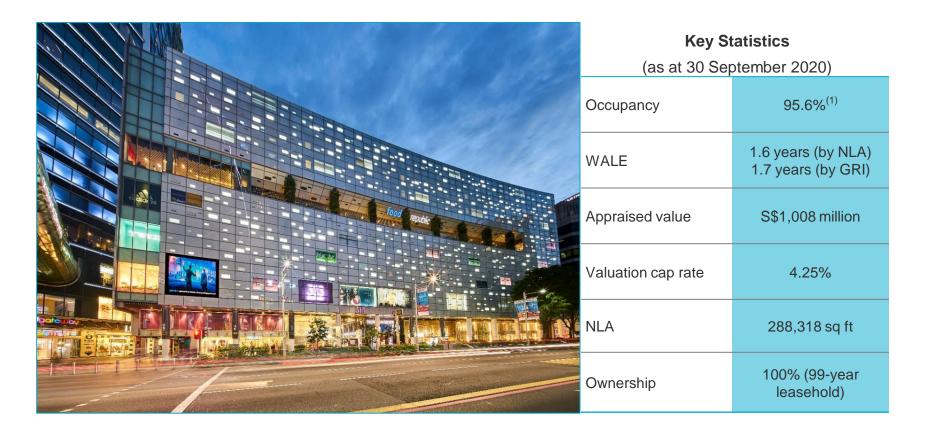
As at 30 September 2020

#### Well-spread Lease Expiry Profile WALE of 9.5 years (by NLA) and 4.9 years (by GRI)



### 313@somerset, Retail Mall in Singapore

Atop Somerset MRT Station and spans across eight retail levels, comprising three basement levels (B3 to B1) and five levels above ground (L1 to L5)





# Tenant Sales and Visitation Continued to Show Signs of Recovery

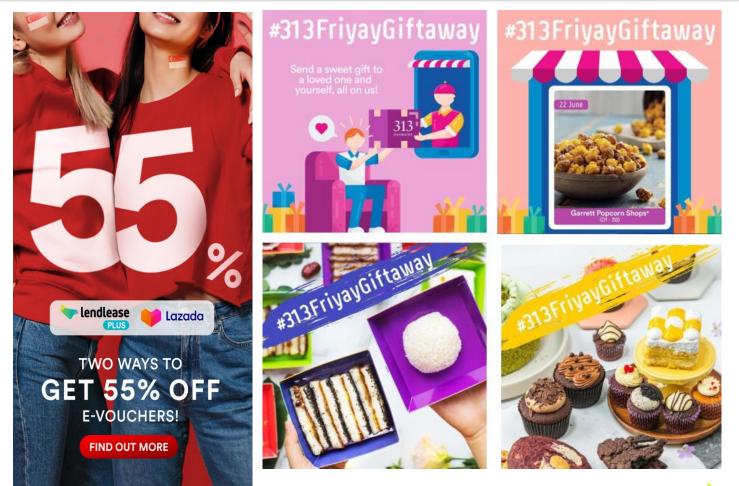
- Tenant sales and visitation recovered approximately 70% and 60%, respectively, compared with pre-COVID-19 levels. Positive traction is expected to continue with the ease of restrictions by the authorities.
- With travel restrictions remain in place, tenant sales and visitation will continue to be supported by domestic demand
- Rolled out more marketing campaigns through the Lendlease Plus App to improve sales performance





### **Marketing and Digital Offering**

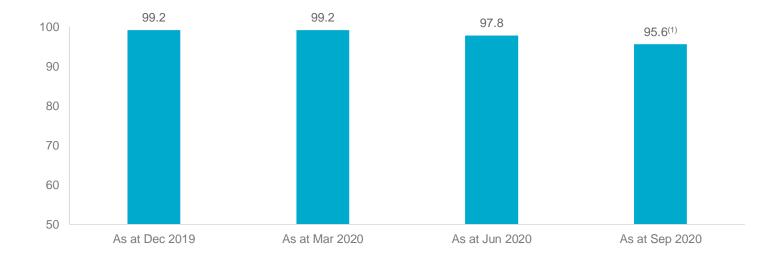
313@somerset, prime retail mall in Singapore





#### **Occupancy Rate Stayed Stable at 95%**

- Tenant retention rate held steady at 80% during the quarter
- Leasing activities are expected to remain soft due to weak demand against COVID-19 headwinds
- Retail tenants are adopting a wait-and-see approach and are recalibrating their cost structures, which
  may pose a challenge during lease renewal



#### Occupancy rate (%)



## Sky Complex, Grade-A Office in Milan

Comprises of three office buildings and has excellent accessibility via the public transport system. Fully leased to Sky Italia, owned by Comcast Corporation<sup>(1)</sup>.

-	tatistics otember 2020)
Occupancy	100%
WALE	11.6 years (by NLA and GRI)
Appraised value	S\$444.5 million <sup>(2)</sup>
Valuation cap rate	5.25%
NLA	985,967 sq ft
Ownership	100% (freehold)

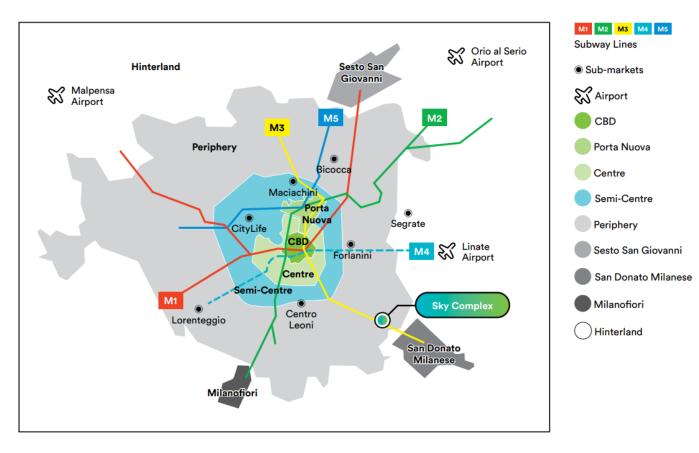
(1) Sky Italia is a subsidiary of Comcast Corporation company, a global media and technology company.

(2) Conversion of  $\in$  to S\$ is based on the FX rate of 1.601 as at 30 September 2020.



## **Broadcasting Operations Continue to Remain Resilient**

- Safe distancing management continues at Sky Complex
- · To-date, Sky Italia has made all its rental payments in a timely manner with no rental waiver granted
- Change of alternative investment fund manager to Lendlease Italy SGR S.p.A. to align its interest closely with LREIT's unitholders



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# CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

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### **Key Financial Indicators**

Maintained stable liquidity position to meet financial obligations

	As at 30 September 2020	As at 30 June 2020
Gross borrowings	S\$555.4 million	S\$545.3 million
Gearing ratio	35.6%	35.1%
Weighted average debt maturity	2.8 years	3.1 years
Weighted average running cost of debt <sup>(1)</sup>	0.86% p.a.	0.86% p.a.
Interest coverage <sup>(2)</sup>	9.2 times	9.0 times

(1) Based on drawn debt and excludes amortisation of debt-related transaction costs.

(2) The interest coverage ratio of 9.2 times is in accordance with requirements in its debt agreements, and 4.8 times in accordance with the Property Funds Appendix of the Code on Collective Schemes.



## **Debt Facilities and Maturity Profile**

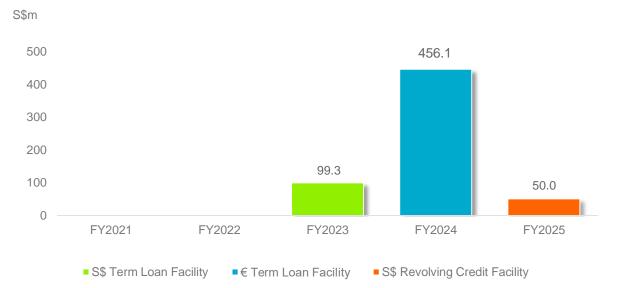
#### No refinancing till FY2023

Debt Facilities	Loan Amount	Remaining Loan Tenor	
Singapore dollar term loan facility	S\$99.3 million	2 years	
Euro term loan facility	S\$456.1 million (€285.0 million)	3 years	
Singapore dollar revolving credit facility	S\$50.0 million	4 years	

#### Debt maturity profile



- Balance sheet flexibility with 100%
   of unsecured debt
- Interest rate risk 100% hedged to fixed rate debt through interest rate swaps and options
- Euro natural hedge for Sky Complex via Euro term loan
- Diversity of debt funding across a syndicate of lenders
- S\$148 million<sup>(1)</sup> of undrawn debt facilities.





# UPDATE ON COVID-19



Somerset Road

## **COVID-19: Singapore to resume more activities safely**

#### 313@somerset, prime retail mall in Singapore

- Operations:
  - Continue to remain focused on the health and well-being of LREIT's tenants and customers
  - Maintain its hygiene standards to ensure that 313@somerset provides a safe environment for people to work, shop and play.
  - Footfall and tenant sales are expected to gain positive traction with more people allowed to return to workplace and the Singapore government opening its borders to tourists from Hong Kong
- Revenue:
  - The COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) Act to allow tenants to seek temporary relief from paying rent and other obligations under their leases from April 2020 to October 2020, has been extended to 19 November 2020.
  - While the support from the Singapore government and LREIT have helped to ease immediate cashflow pressure on its tenants over the last six months, the overall retail sector and leasing demand remains subdued. These could potentially impact rental during lease renewals and when entering into new leases.



### **Key Focus in the Near Term**





Prudent capital management

Manage operating expenses

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Enhance portfolio attractiveness

- Maintain a strong balance sheet through liquidity and capital management strategies
- Adopt appropriate risk management strategies to mitigate market uncertainties

- Adopt disciplined approach to reduce costs
- Defer non-essential capital expenditure to conserve cash

- Capitalise on the strategic location of 313@somerset to improve visitation and sales performance
- Solidify the position of 313@somerset as the heart of the Somerset youth precinct through the redevelopment of the Grange Road car park site into a new lifestyle destination





# **Thank You**

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# **APPENDIX**



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# **Recap: Financial Performance for Q4 FY2020 and FY2020**

DPU of 1.76 cents declared for 2H FY2020

	4Q FY2020		FY2020			
	Actual (S\$'000)	Forecast <sup>(1)</sup> (S\$'000)	Variance	Actual (S\$'000)	Forecast <sup>(1)</sup> (S\$'000)	Variance
Gross revenue	12,466	21,514	▼ 42.1%	55,536	63,910	▼ 13.1%
Net property income	7,514	16,092	▼ 53.3%	40,289	47,722	▼ 15.6%
Distributable income	5,693	15,078	▼ 62.2%	35,672	44,671	▼ 20.1%
DPU (cents)	0.48	1.28	▼ 62.7%	3.05 <sup>(2)</sup>	3.80	▼ 19.7%

(1) The Manager had, in the interest of good corporate governance, made announcements on 9 April and 20 April 2020 respectively, with regard to the IPO profit and distribution forecast for the financial year ending 30 June 2020 ("FY2020") and the profit and distribution projection for the financial year ending 30 June 2021 ("FY2021"), as it may no longer be a fair basis against which the actual performance of LREIT could be compared given current circumstances. For transparency, the Manager will still provide year-on-year comparisons of LREIT's financial results for FY2020 against the profit forecast for FY2020 and FY2021 against LREIT's financial results for FY2020, in the announcements of LREIT's full year financial results for FY2021 are pectively.



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(2) Distribution of 1.29 cents per unit was paid on 16 March 2020.

## **Recap: Gross Revenue and Net Property Income**

- Stable revenue from Sky Complex helps to protect income during COVID-19, which has affected the retail sector in 4Q FY2020
- Rent waivers of up to two months were provided to retail tenants in 4Q FY2020





#### Net Property Income

### **Recap: Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2020**

NAV per unit increased to \$0.85

	As at 30 June 2020	As at 31 March 2020
Total assets S\$('000)	1,555,498	1,518,802
Gross borrowings S\$('000)	545,319	545,227
Total liabilities S\$('000)	563,248	562,553
Net assets attributable to unitholders S\$('000)	992,250	956,249
Units in issue	1,171,795,224	1,169,480,379
NAV per unit (S\$)	0.85	0.82

