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# **PRIME US REIT**

(a real estate investment trust constituted on 7 September 2018 under the laws of the Republic of Singapore)

(Managed by KBS US Prime Property Management Pte. Ltd.)

DBS Bank Ltd. was the sole financial adviser and issue manager for the initial public offering of Prime US REIT (the "Offering"). DBS Bank Ltd., Merrill Lynch (Singapore) Pte. Ltd., China International Capital Corporation (Singapore) Pte. Limited, Credit Suisse (Singapore) Limited, Maybank Kim Eng Securities Pte. Ltd. and Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation Limited were the joint bookrunners and underwriters for the Offering.

# ISSUE AND LISTING OF 125,392,000 NEW UNITS PURSUANT TO THE PRIVATE PLACEMENT

### 1. Introduction

Further to the announcements dated 12 February 2020 in relation to the placement of new units ("**Private Placement**") in Prime US REIT ("**New Units**") to raise gross proceeds of approximately US\$120.0 million, KBS US Prime Property Management Pte. Ltd., as manager of Prime US REIT (the "**Manager**"), is pleased to announce that the Manager has today issued 125,392,000 New Units at an issue price of US\$0.957 per New Unit in connection with the Private Placement. With the issue of the New Units, the total number of units in Prime REIT ("**Units**") in issue is 1,050,395,872 Units as at the date of this announcement.

The New Units will commence trading on the Main Board of Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST") at 9.00 a.m. today.

# 2. Status of the Private Placement New Units

The New Units issued pursuant to the Private Placement will, upon issue, rank *pari passu* in all respects with the existing Units in issue on 20 February 2020 (the "**Existing Units**"), being the day immediately preceding the date on which the New Units are issued pursuant to the Private Placement, other than in respect of the Cumulative Distribution (as defined herein).

Prime US REIT's policy is to distribute its distributable income on a semi-annual basis to unitholders of Prime US REIT.

In connection with the Private Placement, however, the Manager has declared, in respect of the Existing Units, a cumulative distribution of the distributable income comprising (i) a distribution from 19 July 2019 (being the date of listing of Prime US REIT) to 31 December 2019 and (ii) a distribution for the period from 1 January 2020 to 20 February 2020 (the "Cumulative Distribution").

The next distribution thereafter will comprise Prime US REIT's distributable income for the period from 21 February 2020 to 30 June 2020. Semi-annual distributions will resume thereafter.

The Cumulative Distribution is intended to ensure that the distributable income accrued by Prime US REIT up to the day immediately preceding the date of issue of the New Units (which at this point, will be entirely attributable to the Existing Units) is only distributed in respect of the Existing Units, and is being proposed as a means to ensure fairness to holders of the Existing Units.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD Barbara Cambon Chief Executive Officer

KBS US Prime Property Management Pte. Ltd.

(Company registration no.201825461R) (as manager of Prime US REIT)

21 February 2020

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An investment in the Units is subject to investment risks, including the possible loss of the principal amount invested. Holders of Units ("Unitholders") have no right to request that the Manager redeem or purchase their Units while the Units are listed. It is intended that Unitholders may only deal in their Units through trading on Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST"). Listing of the Units on the SGX-ST does not guarantee a liquid market for the Units. The past performance of Prime US REIT is not necessarily indicative of the future performance of Prime US REIT.