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- i. six hotels in the gateway city of Singapore comprising Orchard Hotel, Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel, M Hotel, Copthorne King's Hotel, Studio M Hotel and W Singapore Sentosa Cove (the **'W Hotel**' and collectively, the **'Singapore Hotels**') as well as a retail mall adjoining Orchard Hotel (Claymore Connect);
- ii. one hotel in New Zealand's gateway city of Auckland, namely Grand Millennium Auckland (the "New Zealand Hotel");
- iii. two hotels in Perth, Australia comprising Mercure Perth and Ibis Perth (collectively, the "Perth Hotels");
- iv. two hotels in Japan's gateway city of Tokyo comprising Hotel MyStays Asakusabashi and Hotel MyStays Kamata (collectively, the "Japan Hotels");
- v. two resorts in Maldives comprising Angsana Velavaru and Raffles Maldives Meradhoo (collectively, the "Maldives Resorts");
- vi. four hotels in the United Kingdom comprising Hotel Indigo Exeter in Exeter, Hilton Cambridge City Centre in Cambridge, The Lowry Hotel and voco Manchester City Centre in Manchester (collectively, the "**UK Hotels**");
- vii. two living assets in the United Kingdom comprising a residential Build-to-Rent property The Castings in Manchester (the "**UK BTR**"), and a Purpose-Built Student Accommodation Benson Yard in Liverpool (the "**UK PBSA**");
- viii. one hotel in Germany's gateway city of Munich, namely Pullman Hotel Munich (the "Germany Hotel"); and
- ix. one hotel in the historic city centre of Florence, Italy, namely Hotel Cerretani Firenze MGallery (the "Italy Hotel" or "Hotel Cerretani Firenze").

CDLHT acquired two properties in the United Kingdom in 4Q 2024, namely Hotel Indigo Exeter (and two retail units) on 6 November 2024 and an operational PBSA (Benson Yard) and the vacant freehold land adjacent to it, in Liverpool on 19 December 2024.

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# **Overview**

















# High Quality Portfolio with Assets Across the World



In terms of pipeline, the forward purchase of a turnkey lifestyle hotel, Moxy Singapore Clarke Quay, will add 475
keys to the portfolio. The development is expected to achieve TOP in 2026 (date subject to change).

# **Geographically Diversified Portfolio**



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Singapore	62.4%
Orchard Hotel	15.5%
Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel	12.9%
W Hotel	11.6%
M Hotel	8.2%
Studio M Hotel	6.2%
Copthorne King's Hotel	4.4%
Claymore Connect	3.6%
Europe	22.8%
United Kingdom Hotels	9.6%
Hilton Cambridge City Centre	3.3%
The Lowry Hotel (Manchester)	2.6%
voco Manchester – City Centre	2.5%
Hotel Indigo Exeter	1.1%
United Kingdom Living Assets	6.7%
The Castings (Manchester)	4.7%
Benson Yard (Liverpool)	2.0%
Germany – Pullman Hotel Munich	<b>4.4%</b> <sup>(1)</sup>
Italy – Hotel Cerretani Firenze	<b>2.0%</b> <sup>(1)</sup>



Oceania	7.4%
<b>New Zealand</b> – Grand Millennium Auckland	5.0%
Australia	2.3%
Mercure Perth	1.3%
Ibis Perth	1.1%
Other Asia	7.4%
Maldives	5.0%
Angsana Velavaru	2.8%
Raffles Maldives Meradhoo	2.2%
Japan	2.4%
MyStays Asakusabashi (Tokyo)	1.6%
MyStays Kamata (Tokyo)	0.9%

On the basis of a 100% interest before adjustment of non-controlling interests. (1)

# Key Highlights & Performance Snapshot















# Key Highlights



### Positioning for Long-Term Growth and Income Resilience

### Operational Start of Residential Build-to-Rent (BTR) - The Castings



- First residents welcomed in July 2024
- Physical occupancy of 59.1% as at 31 Dec 2024 with stabilization expected at >90% by around 3Q 2025
- Total development costs: ~ £82.0 million

Maiden Investment into Purpose-Built Student Accommodation (PBSA) sector



- Acquisition of Benson Yard for £37.3 million in Dec 2024, a brand new PBSA in an excellent location within Liverpool
- Committed occupancy for the Academic Year 2024/2025 was 95.5% as of 31 Dec 2024

**Diversified Income Streams and Increased Stability Through Longer Duration Rental Income** 

# Key Highlights (Con't)



### Inorganic Growth and Proactive Asset Optimisation



- Inorganic contribution further supported by acquisition of Hotel Indigo Exeter & two retail units for £19.4 million <sup>(1)</sup> in November 2024
- Ibis Perth completed the renovation of all rooms, refreshed the lobby, public areas, bar and restaurant, and added a new gym
- Ongoing refurbishment of rooms and public areas at Grand Millennium Auckland to enhance asset competitiveness

### Significant Strides Toward Excellence in Corporate Governance



- Joint winner of the prestigious Shareholder Communications Excellence Award (REITs & Business Trusts Category) at the Securities Investors Association (Singapore) Investors' Choice Awards 2024
- Second in the Singapore Governance and Transparency Index 2024 – REIT and Business Trust Category (improved 22 places)

(1) The consideration is subject to net working capital and post completion adjustments that are yet to be finalised.

## FY 2024 Hotels RevPAR Performance



RevPAR	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
Singapore (S\$)	194	198	(2.1)%
New Zealand (NZ\$)	129	137	(5.9)%
Australia (A\$)	123	112	9.4%
Japan (¥)	10,681	8,838	20.8%
Maldives (US\$)	327	313	4.3%
United Kingdom (£) <sup>(1)</sup>	138	133	3.9%
Germany (€)	110	98	12.1%
Italy (€)	234	223	5.1%

- International tourism has continued to recover in 2024 <sup>(2)</sup>
- Respectable RevPAR performance amid macroeconomic headwinds and normalisation of demand in some markets after a period of extraordinary post-pandemic growth
- Record high full year RevPAR achieved for 5 hotels: Hotel MyStays Asakusabashi, Hotel MyStays Kamata, Hilton Cambridge City Centre, Pullman Hotel Munich and Hotel Cerretani Firenze

(2) UNWTO, "International tourism recovers pre-pandemic levels in 2024", 21 Jan 2025

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes voco Manchester – City Centre which is under a fixed-rent occupational lease and Hotel Indigo Exeter (acquired on 6 Nov 2024) for consistent comparison basis.

## FY 2024 Financial Performance and Outlook



	FY 2024	FY 2023	YoY Change
Net Property Income (S\$ '000)	135,223	138,304	(2.2)%
Total Distribution (After Retention) (S\$ '000)	66,850	70,970	(5.8)%
DPS (After Retention) (S\$ cents)	5.32	5.70	(6.7)%



- Decline in NPI largely reflected the continued normalisation of demand across some markets
- The Castings' NPI contribution was insufficient to cover its one-off pre-opening expenses and associated interest costs. This, together with lower overall NPI and higher interest cost for the rest of the portfolio, led to decline in distribution
- Interest cost to benefit from further interest rate declines as the rate cut cycle continues into 2025
- The inorganic contribution from three new high-quality assets
   Hotel Indigo Exeter, The Castings and Benson Yard will support earnings in 2025

## Portfolio Value as at 31 Dec 2024

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- Portfolio value increased by 4.6% or S\$146.3 million YoY to S\$3.3 billion
- On a same-store basis (excluding Hotel Indigo Exeter and Benson Yard which were acquired in 4Q 2024), the portfolio value would have increased by 1.3% or S\$42.2 million YoY

Portfolio Value by Geography



Singapore Europe Other Asia Oceania

# **Portfolio Update**

















# Update on Singapore Portfolio





6 Hotels 1 Retail Mall 62.4% of Portfolio Value 62.9% of FY 2024 NPI

Singapore Hotels	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
Occupancy	78.7%	76.2%	2.5pp
ADR (S\$)	246	260	(5.3)%
RevPAR (S\$)	194	198	(2.1)%
Singapore Portfolio	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
NPI (S\$ '000)	85,112	85,927	(0.9)%

#### Market Update & Outlook

- Robust event calendar and the start of visa-free travel between China and Singapore drove momentum in the early part of the year
- Performance moderated in the second half as demand normalised
- Consequently, RevPAR declined but remained 15.4% above FY 2019 levels
- Collectively, the top 3 arrival markets China, Indonesia and India have reached 83.0% <sup>(1)</sup> of 2019's levels, with opportunity for further recovery
- Committed occupancy of Claymore Connect as at 31 Dec 2024: 97.6%



- In 2024, visitor arrivals were 16.5 million, in line with STB's forecast of 15.0 to 16.5 million
- For 2025, STB forecasts that international visitor arrivals will be between 17 million and 18.5 million



(2) The Business Times, "Singapore's 2025 tourism receipts to exceed pre-Covid levels, but arrivals still playing catchup", 4 Feb 2025



International Visitor Arrivals to Singapore for FY 2024 <sup>(1)</sup>						
	FY 2024	FY 2019	% of 2019	FY 2024	FY 2023	Variance
Visitor Arrivals (million)	16.5	19.1	86.5%	16.5	13.6	+21.5%
Visitor Days (million)	58.8	64.1	91.7%	58.8	51.6	+14.0%
International Visitor Arrivals to Singapore for YTD Mar <sup>(1)</sup>						

	YTD Mar 2025	YTD Mar 2019	% of 2019	YTD Mar 2025	YTD Mar 2024	Variance
Visitor Arrivals (million)	4.3	4.7	91.9%	4.3	4.3	+0.1%
Visitor Days (million)	15.0	15.7	95.9%	15.0	14.8	+1.3%

# Growth in Singapore Hotel Room Supply



- An estimated 4.6% net supply was added to Singapore's room inventory in the 18-month period from 1 Jul 2023 to 31 Dec 2024 which has increased competition in the hotel accommodation space
- Estimated 1,245 rooms opening in 2025, representing approximately 1.7% of existing room stock <sup>(1)</sup>
- Supply growth at CAGR of 1.7% from end 2024 till end 2027

### **Current and Expected Hotel Room Supply in Singapore**



(1) Based on statistics published by Hotels Licensing Board (3 Jan 2025), adjusted by CDLHT for rooms known to be taken out of and/or added to inventory. Sources: Hotels Licensing Board, Horwath HTL and CDLHT research (Jan 2025)

# Singapore's Tourism Growth Drivers



Infrastructure and Tourism Development / Attractions



- Terminal 5 (New): Construction to commence 1H 2025, increased connectivity to more than 200 cities, additional 50 million passengers per year (from 90 million currently); Expected to be operational in the mid-2030s <sup>(1)</sup>
- Marina Bay Cruise Centre: S\$40 million facelift to expand passenger capacity from 6,800 to 11,700 and allow smoother access, expected to complete this year
- Disney Cruise Line: First ship to home-port in Asia, setting sail on 15 Dec 2025 and can carry 6,700 passengers
- Porsche Experience Centre: World first regional centre, situated next to Changi Exhibition Centre and set to open by 2027
- Expansion of Resorts World Sentosa: Waterfront promenade with a mountain trail and a 88m-tall light sculpture; four-storey 228,658 square feet retail, entertainment and dining podium; and two new luxury hotels, scheduled to complete in 2030 <sup>(2)</sup>
- Wellness attraction at Marina South Coastal site by 2030: Strengthen Singapore's proposition as a leading urban wellness and lifestyle destination
- Government Funding: S\$300 million boost to the Tourism Development Fund <sup>(3)</sup> and a S\$165 million Major Sports Event Fund <sup>(4)</sup>
- Orchard Road Music Hall: Live Nation's 3,000-capacity live entertainment venue slated to open in 2026
- New Best-in-Class Indoor Arena: Plans for a new arena to replace the Singapore Indoor Stadium, to attract high-quality international events <sup>(4)</sup>
- Marina Bay Sands: New hotel, entertainment, events and retail offerings, including a state-of-the-art 15,000-seat arena and additional MICE space, scheduled to open in 2031 <sup>(5)</sup>
- New MICE Hub: STB is studying its development in the downtown area; expected to open by 2040
- Upcoming Events/Openings: Singapore Oceanarium (opening 2H 2025) which will be three times the size of its predecessor, a four-show run of the Mayhem Tour by Lady Gaga from 18 to 24 May 2025 at the National Stadium and World Aquatics Championships from 11 Jul to 3 Aug 2025

**MICE / Events** 



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- (1) The Straits Times, "Construction of Changi Airport Terminal 5 to start in first half of 2025: PM Wong", 6 Sep 2024
- (2) The Business Times, "Resorts World Sentosa's S\$6.8 billion waterfront expansion to open in 2030", 15 Nov 2024
- (3) EDB Singapore, "Singapore to pump S\$300 million into tourism as part of broader economic plan", 6 Mar 2024
- (4) CNA, "Singapore Indoor Stadium to be replaced by new 'best-in-class' arena in Kallang", 7 Mar 2024
- (5) The Business Times, "Las Vegas Sands to pump in US\$8 billion to develop MBS expansion project", 24 Oct 2024

### Update on Oceania Portfolio





### Auckland: 1 Hotel

Perth: 2 Hotels

7.4% of Portfolio Value

7.1% of FY 2024 NPI

New Zealand Hotel	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
RevPAR (NZ\$)	129	137	(5.9)%
NPI (S\$ '000)	5,220	7,251	(28.0)%
Perth Hotels	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
Perth Hotels RevPAR (A\$)	<b>FY 2024</b> 123	<b>FY 2023</b> 112	Better / (Worse) 9.4%

#### Market Update & Outlook

- Grand Millennium Auckland: Recorded lower RevPAR YoY, due to ongoing refurbishment works from April to November 2024
- Auckland hotel market remains challenged, but demand is expected to benefit from the opening of the New Zealand International Convention Centre in early 2026
- **Perth Hotels:** RevPAR improved driven by occupancy growth from a robust event calendar, which mitigated the impact of rooms renovation at Ibis Perth
- Ibis Perth has recently completed its extensive renovation in end Feb 2025 and is wellplaced to attract higher-rated business and fully capitalize on its excellent central location going forward

### Update on Japan Portfolio





### Tokyo: 2 Hotels

2.4% of Portfolio Value

### 3.3% of FY 2024 NPI

Japan Hotels	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
RevPAR (¥)	10,681	8,838	20.8%
NPI (S\$ '000)	4,486	3,862	16.2%

#### Market Update & Outlook

- Significant growth supported by substantial inbound travel demand
- Visitor arrivals reached 36.9 million in 2024, an increase of 47.1% YoY and surpassed 2019 arrivals by 15.6% <sup>(1)</sup>
- The Japan Hotels individually achieved their highest full-year ADR and RevPAR since acquisition
- Inbound travel to Japan is expected to be buoyant and visitor numbers will thrive as the Japanese government aims to attract 60 million visitors annually by 2030 <sup>(2)</sup>
- · CDLHT's Tokyo hotels are well-positioned to capitalise on the rising demand

(1) Japan National Tourism Organisation

(2) AFP, "Record 36.8 million tourists visited Japan in 2024 in return to pre-Covid-19 boom", 15 January 2025

### **Update on Maldives Portfolio**



#### 2 Resorts

5.0% of Portfolio Value

4.4% of FY 2024 NPI

Maldives Resorts	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
RevPAR (US\$)	327	313	4.3%
NPI (S\$ '000)	5,892	7,140	(17.5)%

### Market Update & Outlook

- Angsana Velavaru posted a 9.4% YoY RevPAR growth, driven largely by higher occupancy supported by increased tourist arrivals
- Raffles Maldives Meradhoo achieved a solid start to the year, but performance was tempered by tepid luxury demand, even during the traditionally stronger last quarter, amidst intense competition from new entrants in the luxury segment
- NPI was further affected by lower rent top ups by Angsana Velavaru's lessee and higher operating costs at Raffles Maldives Meradhoo, particularly in payroll and seaplane operations
- Trading environment will continue to face some headwinds due to the rising resort supply and competition, coupled with the increase in visitor taxes



## Update on United Kingdom Portfolio: Hotels





Cambridge: 1 Hotel Manchester: 2 Hotels

Exeter: 1 Hotel

9.6% of Portfolio Value

11.0% of FY 2024 NPI

UK Hotels	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
RevPAR (£) <sup>(1)</sup>	138	133	3.9%
NPI (S\$ '000)	14,940	15,153	(1.4)%

### Market Update & Outlook

- Stronger corporate demand at Hilton Cambridge City Centre helped offset the shortfall at The Lowry Hotel, which faced a weaker event calendar and the absence of several large one-off groups
- Fixed rent for voco Manchester City Centre increased by 4.5% (annual inflation adjusted fixed rent) to £2.65 million (S\$4.5 million) for the period of 7 May 2024 to 6 May 2025
- High-profile events, such as the Women's Rugby World Cup, which will have games in Exeter and Manchester over Aug and Sep 2025, may benefit the hotels amidst a sluggish UK economy
- Hotel Indigo Exeter, acquired on 6 November 2024, will make its first full year NPI contribution in 2025

# Update on United Kingdom Portfolio: Living Assets





### Manchester: 1 Resi Build-to-Rent

Liverpool: 1 PBSA

6.7% of Portfolio Value

0.3% <sup>(1)</sup> of FY 2024 NPI

UK Living Assets	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
BTR NPI (S\$ '000)	257	-	N.M.
PBSA NPI (S\$ '000)	144	-	N.M.

### Market Update & Outlook

- The Castings (Residential BTR asset): Opened on 16 July 2024
  - Achieved physical occupancy of 67.9% as at 31 March 2025, up from 59.1% as at 31 Dec 2024
  - Expected to stabilise by third quarter of 2025
- Benson Yard (PBSA): Acquired on 19 December 2024
  - Achieved committed occupancy of 95.5% for AY <sup>(2)</sup> 2024/2025 as at 31 December 2024
  - Leasing for AY 2025/2026 is currently ahead of previous academic year's pacing

(2) AY refers to Academic Year, which runs from 1 September to 31 August of the following year.

<sup>(1)</sup> The Castings only opened on 16 July 2024 and is still undergoing gestation, whereas Benson Yard was only acquired on 19 December 2024.

## Update on EU Portfolio





Munich: 1 Hotel

Florence: 1 Hotel

6.5% of Portfolio Value<sup>(1)</sup>

11.0% of FY 2024 NPI

Germany Hotel	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
RevPAR (€)	110	98	12.1%
NPI (S\$ '000)	9,706	9,459	2.6%
Italy Hotel	FY 2024	FY 2023	Better / (Worse)
Italy Hotel RevPAR (€)	<b>FY 2024</b> 234	FY 2023 223	Better / (Worse) 5.1%

### Market Update & Outlook

- Pullman Hotel Munich: Increase was mainly led by corporate travel demand recovery and a healthier sporting and concert calendar. Hotel delivered a record RevPAR for the year
- Hotel demand in Munich will be supported by some aircrew business
- Hotel Cerretani Firenze: Registered highest RevPAR since acquisition fuelled by strong demand in the first half of the year
- From a very high base, demand in Florence is expected to stabilise at a more normalised level

(1) On the basis of a 100% interest before adjustment of non-controlling interests.

# **Acquisition Growth**

















### Moxy Singapore Clarke Quay (Under Development - Forward Purchase of Turnkey Hotel)





### **Upcoming Hotel Pipeline in Singapore**

- Forward purchase of a turnkey hotel, Moxy Singapore Clarke Quay (under a development and sale agreement), will add 475 keys to the portfolio when completed
- Development is expected to achieve TOP in 2026 (date subject to change)
- Moxy Singapore Clarke Quay is designed to appeal to the new generation travellers and those that are young at heart
- Rare opportunity to secure a lifestyle hotel in the perfect location
- Hotel has prominent dual frontage of Singapore River and historically rich Fort Canning Park, and spectacular skyline views of Singapore (including that of Marina Bay)

# Acquisition of Benson Yard, PBSA in Liverpool, UK



### Maiden Acquisition of a Best-in-Class PBSA in an Excellent Location in a Russell Group Student Market



- Stable Long-term Growth and Income Resilience
- Favourable UK Demographic Dynamics for Higher Education: Growing 18year-old population and rising pursuit for higher education <sup>(1)</sup>
- Russell Group Student Market: Deep and growing market underpinned by strong brand-name universities
- Best-in-Class PBSA: Newer than most PBSAs in Liverpool with a market leading amenity provision
- **Excellent Location:** Centrally located in the city centre, within walking distance to major universities, leisure destinations and key transportation hubs
- Attractive purchase price: At £37.3 million (~S\$63.9 million) <sup>(2)</sup>, representing a 5.4% discount below valuation and significantly below replacement cost
- Accretive: Opened in February 2023, expected to be accretive based on AY24/25 signed leases. Potential upside in future academic years when PBSA has solidified its reputation & garnered more brand awareness

(2) For this slide, all conversions between £ and S\$ are based on an assumed exchange rate of £1.00 = S\$1.7128.

Aerial view

<sup>(1)</sup> Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS), "What is the journey to a million?

# Acquisition of Hotel Indigo Exeter, UK



### Attractive Acquisition of an Upscale Lifestyle Hotel in Heart of Exeter City Centre with Brand New Interiors





- Freehold property, consisting Hotel Indigo Exeter and two retail units, for £19.4 million (~S\$33.2 million) <sup>(1), (2)</sup>
- Lifestyle Hotel: 104-key, upscale lifestyle boutique hotel with luxurious spa, gym, rooftop bar, restaurant and a sports bar
- Brand New Interiors: Newly converted and boasts modern design elements and high-quality finishes, positioning it as a more contemporary alternative to its competitors
- Prime Location: In the heart of Exeter city centre, located right on the main retail high street
- Attractive Price: Significantly below replacement cost
- Growth: Potential to drive better performance befitting of the quality of the product and its excellent location
- Accretive: Acquisition is expected to be accretive when stabilised
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# Asset Management Plans

















### Asset Enhancement Plans – W Singapore – Sentosa Cove



#### Singapore

#### W Singapore – Sentosa Cove:

- Phased renovation of all rooms has commenced, with estimated completion around end 2025
- Complement existing enhancements made to the hotel lobby, ballroom and restaurant in 2023





### Asset Enhancement Plans – Ibis Perth





### Asset Enhancement Plans – Ibis Perth (con't)



#### Perth, Australia

#### **Ibis Perth:**

- Completed the transformation of the hotel's lobby, public areas, bar and restaurant in Feb 2025 to showcase a more contemporary and refreshed look
- Introduced a gym as part of upgraded guest amenities





### Asset Enhancement Plans – Grand Millennium Auckland



#### Auckland, New Zealand

#### **Grand Millennium Auckland:**

- First phase of rooms renovation completed, while the atrium bar renovation is substantially finished
- Renovation of the remainder of the public areas and the second phase of rooms refurbishment are scheduled from Apr to Nov 2025





### Commitment to ESG



Name of Award	Our Portfolio	Name of Award	Our Portfolio
BCA Green Mark Award	Platinum         • Copthorne King's Hotel         • Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel         Gold Plus         • Orchard Hotel         • M Hotel	EPC Rating	<ul> <li><u>"B" Rating</u></li> <li>The Lowry Hotel</li> <li>Hilton Cambridge City Centre</li> <li>voco Manchester - City Centre</li> <li>Hotel Indigo Exeter</li> <li>Benson Yard</li> </ul>
BREEAM	<ul> <li><u>"Very Good" Rating</u></li> <li>voco Manchester - City Centre</li> <li><u>"Good" Rating</u></li> <li>Hotel Cerretani Firenze – MGallery</li> <li>Pullman Hotel Munich</li> </ul>	Global Sustainable Tourism Council	<ul> <li>Orchard Hotel</li> <li>Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel</li> <li>M Hotel</li> <li>Copthorne King's Hotel</li> <li>Studio M Hotel</li> </ul>
EarthCheck Gold Certificate	Angsana Velavaru	Green Globe	Raffles Maldives Meradhoo
EARTHCHECK OOLD CRIMINIO		Green Key	<ul><li>Hotel Cerretani Firenze – MGallery</li><li>Pullman Hotel Munich</li></ul>
		NABERS - National Australian Built Environment Rating System	<ul> <li>Ibis Perth</li> <li>Energy – 4 stars</li> </ul>
Ecotourism Australia - Sustainable Tourism ECCO TOURISM australia	Mercure Perth	N A B E R S	• Water – 3.5 stars

# Commitment to ESG (Con't)

**Green Financing** 

As at 31 December 2024, CDLHT has sustainability-linked facilities amounting

which is expected to generate 500 MWh annually

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to S\$666.0 million



#### (FR) **Green Initiatives Targets** Net Zero Target: By 2050 M&C Hotels On track to achieve 5-7% reduction in energy by FY 2026: FY 2024 electricity Singapore Hotel Sustainability Award 2024: GCW, MHS and OHS intensity is 11.1% lower than FY 2019 baseline Maldives Resorts On track to achieve 2-7% reduction in water by FY 2026: FY 2024 water intensity is Angsana Velavaru won the "Leading Eco-Friendly Resort" title at the South Asian 16.9% lower than FY 2019 baseline Travel Awards 2024 **UK/Europe Hotels** Governance **T** Other properties are pursuing BREEAM certification Hilton Cambridge City Centre was awarded "Highly Commended" at the Cambridge Independent Green Award 2024 Index Ranking & Accolades Majority of Portfolio Hotels: Improved 22 places to place second in the Singapore Governance and Transparency Index 2024 – REIT and Business Trust Category All single use bathroom amenities replaced with recyclable pump amenities Option to skip daily housekeeping, reducing carbon footprint Joint winner of the prestigious Shareholder Communications Excellence Award (REITs & Business Trusts Category) at the Securities Investors Association **Renewable Energy** (Singapore) Investors' Choice Awards 2024 The Lowry Hotel and Pullman Hotel Munich use 100% renewable energy sources Maldives Resorts – Phase 2 of solar panels installation substantially completed at Reporting both Resorts, boosting combined renewable energy generation to 731 MWh in 2024 W Hotel has commenced solar panel installation, slated for completion by 1H 2025.

#### Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD):

Adoption of TCFD Framework in climate risk reporting

#### Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions:

Commenced process to establish Science Based Targets (SBTi) by 2025

#### Scope 3 emissions:

Disclosed seven categories in Sustainability Report for FY 2024

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# **Capital Management**

















### Debt Maturity Profile as at 31 Dec 2024



- In FY 2024, 82% or S\$310.8 million of the maturing loans were re-financed as 5-year sustainability-linked loans, increasing such facilities to S\$666.0 million as at 31 December 2024
- Refinancing for loans maturing in 1H 2025 (~S\$142.0 million) has been completed, and discussions for 2H 2025 refinancing have commenced



(1) Based on exchange rates of US\$1 = S\$1.3587, €1 = S\$1.4125, £1 = S\$1.7024 and S\$1 = ¥115.8749.

# **Healthy Financial Metrics**





Comprises S\$231.2 million of cash and undrawn revolving credit facilities and S\$294.8 million in uncommitted bridge loan facilities.

### Debt Profile as at 31 Dec 2024

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- Four interest rate swaps were executed in FY 2024 to hedge some of the SGD and JPY borrowings
- Capitalising on the recent decline in borrowing costs, CDLHT entered into five interest rate swaps totaling S\$148.0 million since 31 Dec 2024 to
  progressively hedge its SGD floating-rate debt
- On a pro forma basis, this will lift CDLHT's fixed rate borrowings from 32.1% to 43.1% as of 31 Dec 2024
- Low fixed to floating borrowings profile positions us well to benefit from prospective interest rate declines in the near to medium term



Interest Rate Profile <sup>(1)</sup>				
	Fixed Rate Borrowings	Floating Rate Borrowings		
SGD	13.4%	86.6%		
USD	0.0%	100.0%		
GBP	40.2%	59.8%		
JPY	100.0%	0.0%		
EUR <sup>(2)</sup>	55.6%	44.4%		
Blended Total	32.1%	67.9%		

- (1) Based on exchange rates of US\$1 = S\$1.3587,  $\in 1 = S$ \$1.4125, £1 = S\$1.7024 and S\$1 = ¥115.8749.
- (2) Includes term loan fixed via EUR/SGD cross currency swap, effective exposure is in EUR.

# **Concluding Remarks**

















## **Concluding Remarks**



### **Contributors to Earnings in 2025**



### Acquisition of Hotel Indigo Exeter

 Operational value-add opportunity

### **Value-Creation Focused**

- Portfolio value up by 4.6% YoY to S\$3.3 billion. On a same store basis, portfolio value up by 1.3% YoY
- Continue to invest in and optimise portfolio via asset enhancements with ongoing renovations at Grand Millennium Auckland and W Singapore – Sentosa Cove

### Near to Medium Term Tailwinds and Headwinds

- Core Singapore market:
  - 2024 arrivals was at 86.5% of pre-pandemic levels <sup>(1)</sup>.
     Opportunity for eventual recovery from key source markets such as China, Indonesia and India
  - Contracted further reduction in energy tariffs for SG Hotels in 2025
- CDLHT will benefit from further interest rate declines
- Rising recession risks due to unstable operating environment emanating from macroeconomic uncertainties and geopolitical tensions





#### Acquisition of Benson Yard & Stabilisation of The Castings

- Stable long-stay rental to augment income streams
- Diversified income stream to enhance portfolio stability



# **Thank You**