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# **Section A: Overview of EC World REIT**









## **About EC World REIT**

### A Unique Specialised and E-Commerce Logistics Platform

**Sponsor:** Forchn Holdings Group, a leading real estate, e-commerce logistics,

port operation services provider based in China

Investment Mandate:

To invest in a portfolio of income-producing real estate used primarily for e-commerce, supply-chain management and logistics purposes

Portfolio: 8 quality income-producing properties comprising specialized, e-

commerce and port logistics assets providing a good mix of stable

income and growth potential



## 7 in Hangzhou, 1 in Wuhan, PRC

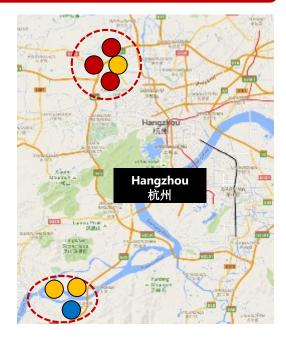
Cities with strong economic growth and rapidly expanding e-commerce sector.

Situated within integrated e-commerce cluster fulfilment clusters in the vicinity of key transportation networks.

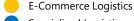
Total Assets S\$1,703 million<sup>1</sup>

Healthy WALE
of 4.3 years<sup>2</sup>
providing
predictability in
income









Specialised Logistics

Port Logistics

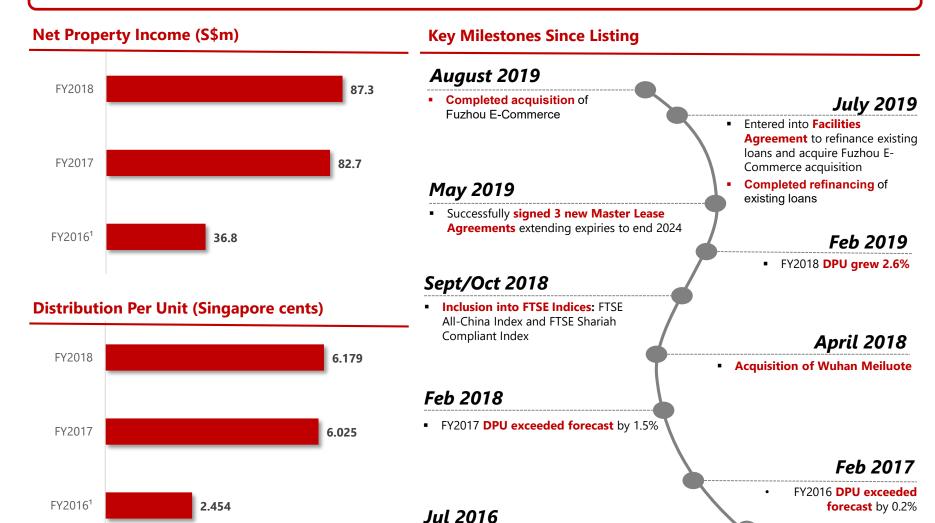
<sup>(1)</sup> As at 30 September 2019

<sup>(2)</sup> As at 30 September 2019, by gross rental income

<sup>3)</sup> Based on YTD3QFY2019 annualised DPU of 6.066cents and Unit Price of S\$0.730 per Unit as at 30 September 2019

# **Building Track Record Since IPO**

## Focus on enhancing returns, disciplined growth and prudent risk management



**Listing** on SGX Mainboard

(1) EC World REIT was listed on 28 July 2016. The relevant reporting period is from 28 July to 30 September 2016.



# **About the Sponsor: Forchn Holding Group**

#### **Overview of the Sponsor**

- Established in 1992 and headquartered in Shanghai, the Sponsor is a diversified enterprise group specializing in ecommerce logistics services, real estate, consumer goods, industrials, and health & wellness
- The Sponsor has an operating presence in Hangzhou, China, Singapore and most recently established in Hong Kong
- The Sponsor boasts ownerships of some of the leading brands in China in their respective categories Ruyicang (Ecommerce Logistics Services), Zhang Xiao Quan (Consumer Goods), Est Mall (Real Estate) and Fuchun Resort (Health & Wellness)







### **Sponsor Leadership Profile**



**Zhang Guobiao,** Chairman and Founder
Established the Sponsor in 1992, and has been at the forefront of its growth and transformation into a leading real estate, ecommerce and consumer focused business



**Zhang Xincheng,** Executive Director and CFO
Leading capital market and internationalisation efforts for the
Sponsor since November 2013. Previously worked as an
Investment Manager for Fosun Capital



**Wang Ren,** *Group Vice President and CIO*Leads investments and corporate development for the Sponsor; focus on overseas business. Previously, Asia President of Jefferies and Head of FIG at UBS

### **Corporate Timeline**

**1992:** Founded Forchn Trading for traditional building materials trading business; since diversified into production

**2004:** Acquired Hangjia, a Hangzhou based SOE to establish its venture into new building materials

2010: Invested in Fuyang Est Mall together with Fosun Group 2012: Opened Hangzhou New World Centre **2016:** Acquired Fuchun Resort to begin its foray into Health & Wellness

**2018:** Opening of HK office and formed strategic alliance with YCH Group

1993: Operated a 5,000 ton port in Shanghai Sanlin on Huangpu river 2003: Developed and owned Chongxian Hangzhou Port

**2007:** Entered consumer hardware with the acquisition of Hangzhou Zhang Xiao Quan (a well-known 390 year old cutlery brand)

2013: Founding shareholder of Cainiao and established Ruyicang, integrated logistics platform serving e-commerce market **2016:** EC World REIT IPO on the SGX



# The Sponsor is a Leading Diversified Enterprise Group in China

REAL ESTATE LOGISTICS & FULFILLMENT CONSUMER FOCUSED

#### **Building Materials**

Forchn Group started in construction materials and is a leading PHC supplier

#### **Real Estate Investments**

Invested and developed logistics assets and commercial properties; manages 4 private real estate funds with targeted AUM ~US\$1.2b and owner of the REIT manager

The Sponsor's current business interests spans across real estate related and consumer focused segments; essential know-how for a ecommerce focused supply chain logistics asset owner and operator

### **Port Logistics**

A port operators since 1993, Forchn Group currently owns and operates one of the largest inland river ports in China





### **Supply Chain Logistics Services**

Initiated in 2013, as one of the founding shareholders of Cainiao Network; launched smart warehousing and logistics platforms





#### **Health & Wellness**

Integrated healthcare resorts and high-end health services brands



#### **Household Goods**

Owner of legacy Chinese time-honored scissors and knife brand, Zhang Xiao Quan



# **Portfolio Summary**

## **Resilient Portfolio Providing Organic Growth**

Valuation: RMB7.9 bn (S\$1.5 bn)

Annualised Portfolio NPI Yield: 6.3% (2)

Total NLA: 960,461 sqm (2)

Occupancy Rate: 99.2% (2)

1 Fu Heng Warehouse

2 Fuzhou E-Commerce

Stage 1 Properties of Beigang Logistics

(4)

**Wuhan Meiluote** 









5 Hengde Logistics

6 Chongxian Port Investment

7 Chongxian Port Logistics

**Fuzhuo Industrial** 









## 8 High Quality Logistics Assets in 3 Sub-Segments in the cities of Hangzhou and Wuhan



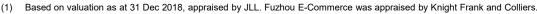
**E-Commerce Logistics** 



**Specialised Logistics** 



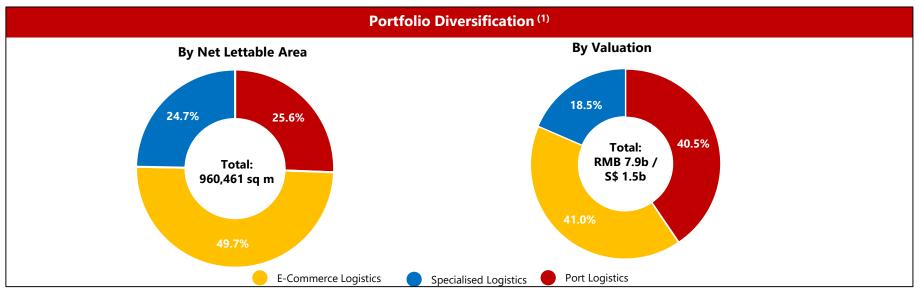
Port Logistics

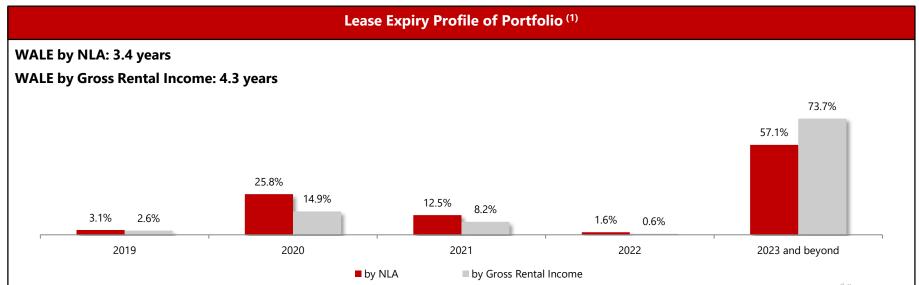






# **High Quality and Differentiated Asset Portfolio**















# **Section B: Latest Business Updates**









# **3QFY19 Key Highlights**

# Continued Resilient Operating Performance | Completion of Fuzhou E-Commerce Acquisition and Refinancing



## **Resilient Operating Metrics**

- ✓ Strong Occupancy at 99.2%
- ✓ Weighted Average Lease to Expiry of 4.3 years
- ✓ Gross Revenue and Net Property Income grew by 7.5% and 3.2% to S\$25.7 million and S\$22.9 million respectively

## **Completion of Acquisition of Quality E-Commerce Asset**

Acquisition of Fuzhou E-Commerce, a rare sizable integrated e-commerce logistics asset contributing positively to portfolio





## **Proactive capital management**

- ✓ Successfully refinanced loans due in July 2019
- Significantly extending **debt maturity**
- **☑ 69.4%** of interest rate risk of **Offshore Facility on fixed rate**

## **Proactive Investor Relations Initiatives**

## **Support from the Research Community**

#### **DBS**

■ "Buy" Initiation on 21 Feb 2019. "Proposed acquisition of Fuzhou E-commerce enhances yield". Target Price of <u>S\$0.86</u> in May 2019

#### **RHB**

"Another Stable Quarter Barring FX Impact". Maintained "Buy" rating with a target price of S\$0.82 in August 2019

#### **Soochow Securities**

✓ Maintained "Buy" with a target price of <u>S\$0.91</u> in Aug 2019

### **Philips Securities**

Maintained "Buy" with a higher target price of <u>S\$0.873</u> in Aug 2019

### Inclusion of EC World REIT in FTSE Indices

- ▼ FTSE China Index one of 20 constituents
- ✓ FTSE Singapore Shariah Index one of 48 constituents



### EC World REIT

Operationally stable

SINGAPORE | REAL ESTATE (REIT) | 2Q19 RESULTS

- 2019 NPI and DPU were in line with our forecast
- High income visibility due to portfolio occupancy of 99% and WALE of 4.6 years
- Refinanced all loans expiring in FY19. FX a possible tail risk.
- Maintain BUY with an unchanged 19 of 950 87



Market Cap:

Vijey Neterspan

85 8232 3872

Avg Daily Turnover (SGD/USD

vijey neterajan@rhbgroup.com



BUY

Keep BUY with new 89D 0.82 TP from 89D 0.85, 12% upside plus 9%

yield, 20 results met. Barnings outlook remained stable with minimal uncertainty post master lease estenaions, and loan refinancing. Its lefest

acquisition, Fushou B-Commerce's (FEC) logistic esset should contribute

positively from 3019. The potential impact from the rising US-China hade.

tensions on EC World REIT's assets are minimal, as they cater largely to the

EC World REIT

TP: SGD 0.91 EGWREIT.SP A 23.0%

#### Upcoming boost from acquisition

ECWREIT (ECW) 20 results were dragged by unfavourable FX differences. However, we expect DPU to grow in 2H19 as contributions from accretive acquisition Fuzhou E-commerce to flow in mid-30 (+1.5% DPU accretion, 2.25% pu excalation), while underlying portfulio remains resilient with master leases. X rental excalations, Mgmt is reviewing the hadging strategy mitigate fX impact moving furward. Reliberate BUY, at revised TP \$50.91mml.

7 August 2019

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StocksBnB.com

BUY (Maintained)
LAST CLOSE PRICE
PORTCAST DIV

SGD 0.735 SGD 0.064











# **Section C: Key Investment Highlights**

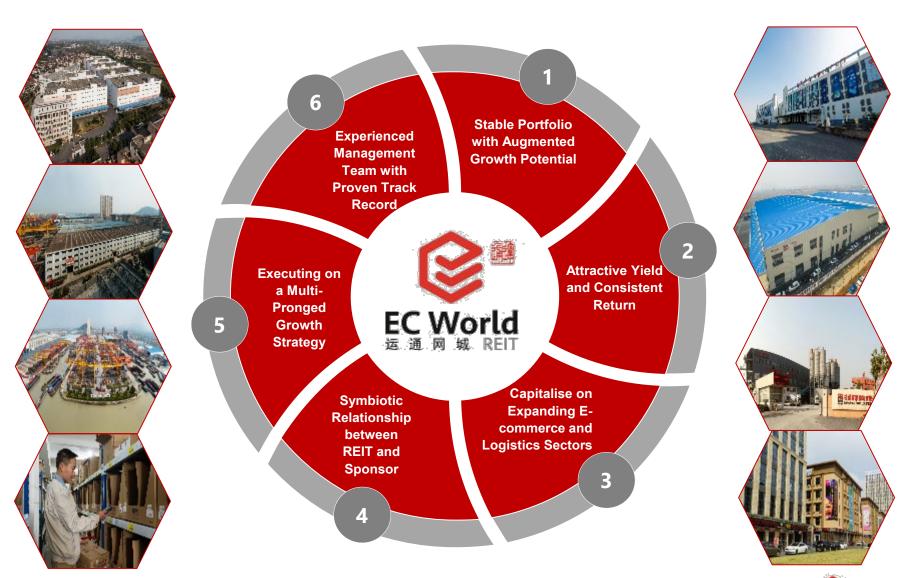








# **EC World REIT's Competitive Advantages**





# **Stable Portfolio with Augmented Growth Potential**

## **High Income Visibility | Built-in Escalations | Exposure to E-Commerce Logistics Sector**

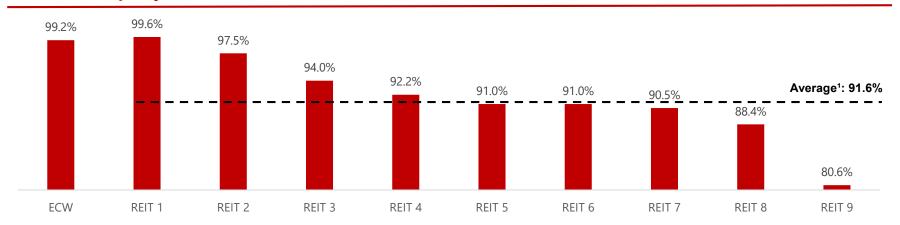
E-Commerce Logistics Assets						
Asset	Lease Structure	Occupancy	Key Highlight			
Fu Heng	Master Lease: 1 Jan 2016 to 31 Oct 2024 Rental escalation of 4.0% and 3.0% on 1st Jan 2019 and 2020 respectively, 2.0% annually from 1st Jan 2021.	100%	Coveted property; entire suite of facilities supporting ecommerce fulfilment			
Fuzhou E-Commerce	Master Lease: 8 Aug 2019 to 8 Aug 2024 Rental escalation of 2.25% per annum	100%	Situated next to Fu Heng. A rare sizable integrated e-commerce logistics asset			
Stage 1 Prop. of Bei Gang	Master lease: 1 Nov 2015 to 31 Oct 2024 Rental escalation of 1% on 1 <sup>st</sup> Jan 2019 and 2020. 1% from Nov 2020 to Oct 2024	100%	One of the <b>largest e-commerce developments</b> in the region			
Wuhan Meiluote	Multi Tenanted	85.1%	First acquisition in 2018; <b>marquee tenants -</b> JD.com and Dang Dang			
Specialized Logistics Asset						
Asset	Lease Structure	Occupancy	Key Highlight			
Hengde Logistics	Multi Tenanted	100%	Customised environment control warehouse space for major SOE tenant <b>China Tobacco</b>			
Port Logistics Assets						
Asset	Lease Structure	Occupancy	Key Highlight			
Chongxian Port Investment	Master lease: 1 Jan 2016 to 31 Dec 2024 Rental escalation of 4.0% and 3.0% on 1st Jan 2019 and 2020 respectively. 2.0% annually from 1st Jan 2021	100%	Leading river port with <b>60% market share</b> for steel products in Hangzhou			
Chongxian Port Logistics	Multi Tenanted	100%	<b>Integrated operations</b> , storage processing and logistics distribution for steel products			
Fu Zhuo Industrial	Two main tenancies: (1) 10% annually in first 3 years, 15% from Year 4 from Oct 2015 to Oct 2020 and (2) 7.5% every 3 years from May 2016 to May 2021	100%	Adjacent to port; for cement related products			

**EC World** 

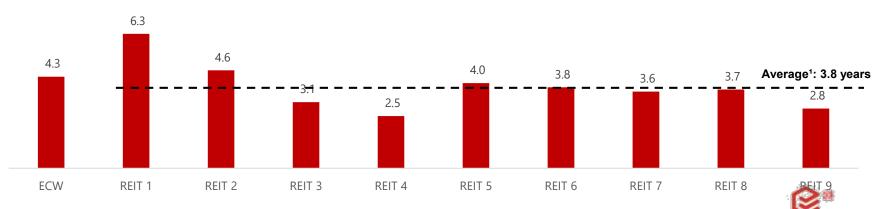
# 1 Resilient Asset Portfolio and Defensive Lease Structure

- ✓ Market leading occupancy rate and WALE
- ☑ Asset portfolio handles only domestic businesses with no international trade exposure
- ✓ Defensive lease structure provides stability and visibility of future cash flows

### **Portfolio Occupancy (Industrial S-REITs)**



### Portfolio WALE<sup>2</sup> (Years) (Industrial S-REITs)

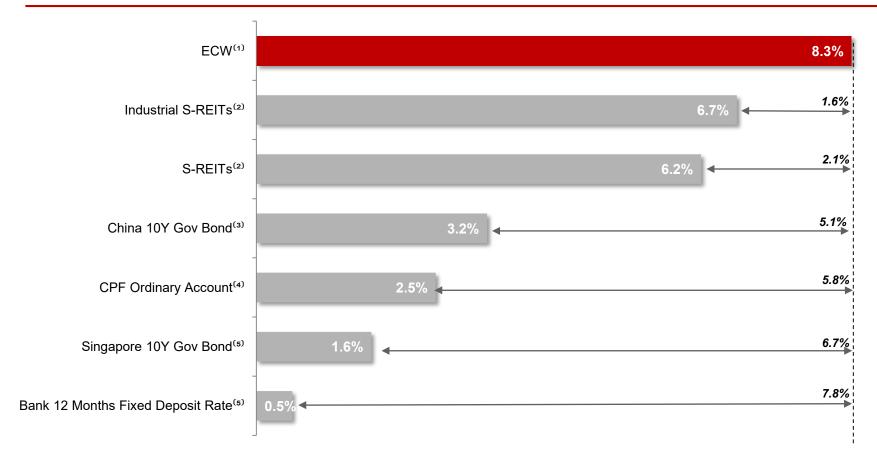




## **Attractive Yield with Consistent Return**

## **Attractive Yield Compared to Peers**

### **Trading Yield (%)**



<sup>(1)</sup> Based on YTD3QFY2019 annualised DPU of 6.066 cents and Unit Price of S\$0.73 per Unit as at 30 September 2019



<sup>(2)</sup> Based on Broker Research

<sup>(3)</sup> Source: Bloomberg

<sup>(4)</sup> Source: CPF Board

<sup>(5)</sup> Source: Monetary Authority of Singapore



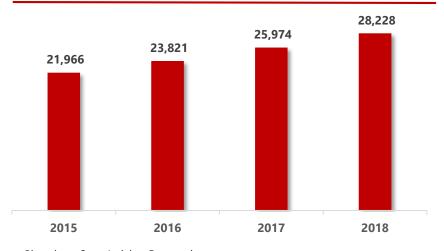
# **Capitalise on Fast Growing E-Commerce Logistics Market**

### Riding the Wave of the Fast and Rapidly Expanding PRC E-commerce Sector

### **China Online Retail Sales (RMB Billion)**



### **China Disposable Household Income (RMB)**

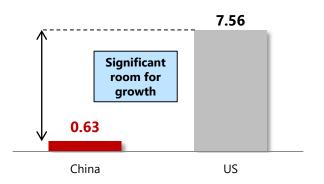


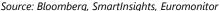
### **Global E-commerce – China driving growth**



### **Favorable Supply-demand Dynamics**

Per-Capita Warehouse Area (Sqm)

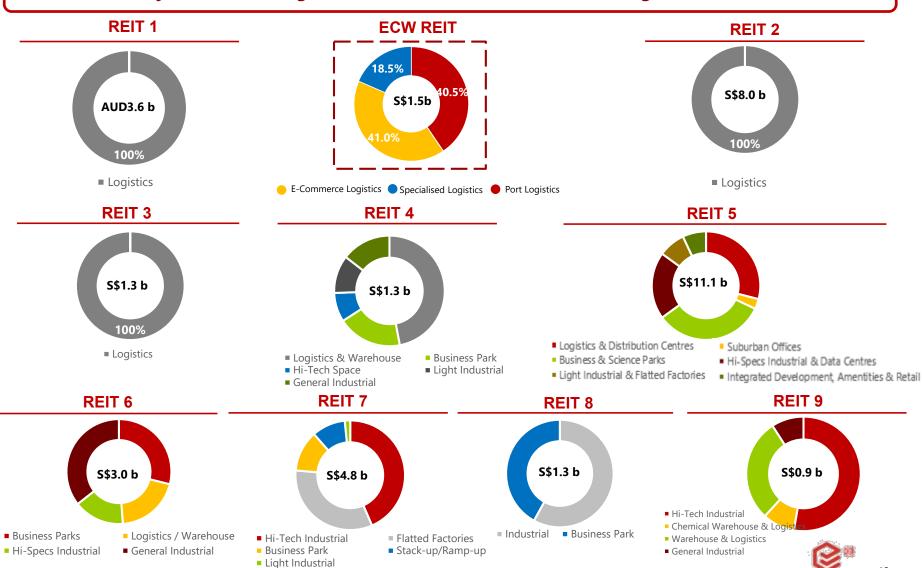






# **Unique Exposure to the Booming China E-Commerce Sector**

## **Only S-REIT Offering Substantial Access to E-Commerce Logistics Business**



EC World



# Symbiotic Relationship between REIT and Sponsor

# Complete Ecosystem of Asset Acquisition and Management, Operating expertise and Securitization

#### **Fund Management for Pipeline Assets**

The Sponsor manages four private funds with targeted AUM of c. US\$1.2 billion with blue chip partners including Cinda Asset Management and YCH Group







Sponsor's funds and logistics operations shall provide the backbone for growth for the REIT





### **Asset Operations**

Owns omni-channel logistics services platform providing the operations and management of the e-commerce eco-system

Shareholder of Cainiao Network, along with Alibaba Group, Fosun Group - credible support factor for the long term sustainability of their assets





### Capitalising on Sponsor's capabilities and network, EC World REIT benefits from:

- ☑ Stable revenue streams and visible cash flows
- ☑ Robust pipeline of acquisition assets
- ☑ Assured occupancy for further acquisitions





# Symbiotic Relationship between REIT and Sponsor

### **Unique Asset Owner + Operator Synergies**

- Ruyicang, a wholly owned subsidy of Sponsor, provides intelligent supply chain logistics services for domestic and foreign enterprises in China by integrating warehousing, logistics and information systems
- Full integration of physical warehousing and logistics facilities, advanced IT management system and data analytics



### **Asset Owner**

- Provides the **hardware** of the business
- Lease out warehouse space and collect rental





### **Asset Operator**

- **Software** of the logistics business
- Manage the fulfillment portion of e-commerce through interpretation of big data
- Earns operating revenue for handing, processing and packing
- Pays rental for space rented to asset owner
- Ruyicang clients include ecommerce players, other logistics service provider and/or directly to e-commerce vendors/brands, such as the following:

E-Commerce Players	Logistics Services	Brands
Alibaba.com	SF) EXPRESS 順主速运	Meters bonwe P&G
海宝网 等 Taobao.com 能能能当当	ZFO 中遊快速	MARCO POLO 馬可波羅磁隙 PEPSICO

As of Dec 2018, Ruyicang operates in **over 30 warehouses** in **25 cities** occupying over warehouse space of over 1 million sqm. Ruiyicang counts Cainiao as one of its clients.

Ruyicang not only offers
EC World a sticky and
ready made master
tenant for their ecommerce logistics assets,
but also offers a potential
pipeline of acquisition
assets from their
relationships with other
landlords





# Strategic Collaboration with Cainiao Network and Alibaba's Ling Shou Tong ("LST")

## **Tenanted by Leading Omni-Channel Logistic Service Provider**

- Fuzhou E-Commerce & Fu Heng Warehouse are operated by Ruyicang (wholly owned subsidiary of the sponsor), a leading E-Commerce logistic services provider in China
- One of the earliest key partners and service providers of Cainiao network (Alibaba's logistic arm), Ruyicang has warehouse network and sophisticated operational expertise which enables itself to provide topnotch logistics service for not only E-Commerce platforms like Alibaba, JD and VIP.com, but also brands like Coca-Cola, MARS and Unilever.
- Ruyicang operates more than 30 warehouses in 25 cities<sup>1</sup>. It currently manages more than 1 million sqm warehouses and processes more than 1.5 million orders every day

## **Partnership**





## **Capabilities**

Ruyicang LST business operates 132,000 sqm warehouses, annually processes 7.83 million orders, 30 million parcels and 370 million pcs.



Ruyicang is 1 of 12 designated logistics service providers of the Cainiao Network and one of the top Cainiao Partners





# **Multi Channels for Growth and Value Creation**

## **Multi-Pronged Strategy Focused on Unitholders Value Creation**



# Active Asset Management



## Yield Accretive Investments



# Prudent Capital Management

## **Action**

**Strategy** 

- Deliver positive rental reversion
- Actively manage lease expiries
- Proactively conduct asset enhancements
- Focus on logistics assets driven by e-commerce
- Core China, opportunistic Southeast Asia
- Leverage Sponsor business network and PE funds
- Prudently manage FX and interest exposure
- Diversify capital base
- Build long term relationships within capital markets

# Results

- Signed 3 new Master Leases all with built-in rental escalations
- ✓ Industry (industrial S-REITs) leading WALE and occupancy
- Two yield accretive acquisitions of ecommerce logistics assets
- ✓ Portfolio size grew ~30% from listing
- Successfully refinance IPO loans
- Proactively hedging FX and floating rate exposures





# **Sponsor's Fund Management Capabilities**

### **Leveraging Sponsor's Network and Pipeline**

✓ **网营物联 (Hangzhou Unilogix)** – a collaboration with 浙商产融基金 (Zheshang Industrial Integration Fund) with registered capital of RMB 5 billion to invest in logistics assets across key gateway cities in China

## Hangzhou Unilogix's 5 Year Expansion Plan Forms Potential Pipeline in China for the REIT













- Aims to establish supply chain network to enhance efficiency
- Promote social and economic development within Zhejiang
- Enhance efficiency through development of strategically located logistics assets covering major consumers cities to serve the logistics nodes
- ▼ Target to support 40 to 50 industrial clusters through usage of big data analysis





# Distinguished and Highly Credible Board of Directors

## Majority independent Board comprising accomplished members from public and private sectors



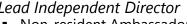
**Mr Zhang Guobiao** Non-Executive Chairman

Chamber of Commerce

Pudong, Shanghai



Mr Chan Heng Wing Lead Independent Director



- Non-resident Ambassador to the Republic of Austria
- Independent Director of Fraser and Neave, Banyan Tree
- Former chief China rep for Temasek



**Dr David Wong See Hong** *Independent Director* 

Chairman and Founder of Sponsor

Executive Vice Chairman of Zhejiang



- Former Deputy CEO of Bank of China (Hong Kong)
- Former Country Executive for ABN AMRO Southeast Asia
- Former Board member of Energy Market Authority and Civil Service College



Mr Chia Yew Boon Independent Director



- Independent Director at Technovator International Limited
- Previously worked at Boustead and GIC



Mr Li Guosheng Independent Director

- Managing Director of Horizonline Pte Ltd
- Formerly a technical manager with China Enersave Limited



Mr Goh Toh Sim **Executive Director and CEO** 

Refer to Management Bio

Audit and Risk Committee (ARC): David Wang See Hong, Chia Yew Boon and Li Guosheng Nominating and Remuneration Committee (NRC): Li Guosheng, Zhang Goubiao, Chan Heng Wing, Chia Yew Boon





# **Experienced Management Team with Proven Track Record**

- ▼ The management of EC World REIT has collectively over 80 years of experience in the real estate and financial services sectors
- Well-diversified and deep functional expertise in cross border trust management, real estate management and development, capital markets and M&A as well as reporting / compliance



**Goh Toh Sim** *Executive Director and CEO* 

- Extensive C-Level experience in China and Singapore
- Former Chief China Rep for Keppel Corp
- Former CEO of Ascendas China
- Former CEO of Evergro Properties



Johnnie Tng

- 25 year of financial experience in cross border trust management and financial management
- Former CFO of Keppel REIT, Ascendas India Trust and Ying Li International



**Jinbo Li** *Chief Investment Officer* 

- Wide-ranging track record in executing capital markets and M&A transactions (US\$8bn+ worth of deals)
- Previously worked in Deutsche Bank, Standard Chartered and Citi



**Wang Feng** *Head, Compliance and Risk Management* 

- Over 10 years experience in real estate development and 5 years in audit, compliance and risk management
- Former audit manager with KPMG









# **Section D: Appendices**









# **Portfolio Overview**

## Balanced and well-structured portfolio offering both income stability and growth potential

	Property	Туре	NLA (sq m)	Remaining Land Lease Tenure (years) <sup>(1)</sup>	Independent Valuation (RMB m) <sup>(2)</sup>
1	Fu Heng	E-commerce Logistics	94,287	40	580
2	Fuzhou E-Commerce	E-commerce Logistics	214,284	40	1,203
3	Stage 1 Properties of Bei Gang Logistics	E-commerce Logistics	120,449	32	1,297
4	Wuhan Mei Luo Te	E-commerce Logistics	48,695	46	171
5	Hengde Logistics	Specialised Logistics	237,066	Complex 1 & 2: 34 & 40	1,470
6	Chongxian Port Investment	Port Logistics	112,726	36	2,235
7	Chongxian Port Logistics	Port Logistics	125,826	Complex 1 & 2: 36 & 41	862
8	Fu Zhuo Industrial	Port Logistics	7,128	36	114
	Total / Average	960,461		38	7,932



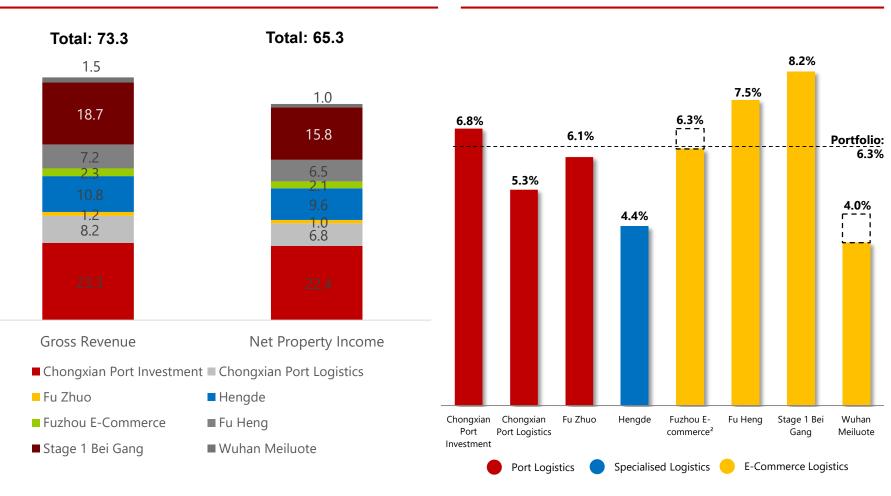


<sup>(1)</sup> Based on land leases as at 30 September 2019

<sup>(2)</sup> As at 31 Dec 2018 as appraised by JLL. Fuzhou E-Commerce was acquired on 08 August 2019 and appraised by Colliers & Knight Frank

# **Summary Assets Performance**

### YTD3QFY19 Breakdown by Gross Revenue and NPI (SGD m) YTD3QFY19 NPI Yield (1)



In RMB terms

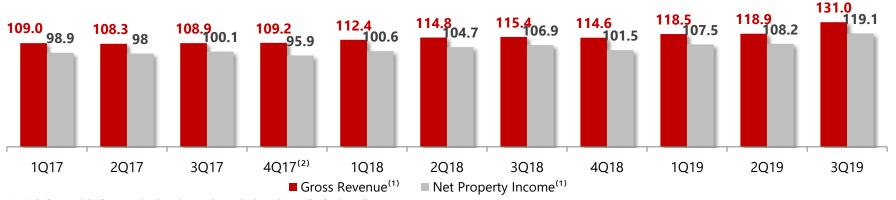
Using acquisition price of RMB1,112.5 million, annualised NPI yield would be 6.8%

<sup>(3)</sup> Using acquisition price of RMB145 million, YTDNPI yield will be 4.7%

## **Attractive Yield with Consistent Return**

### Stable Portfolio Performance with Consistent Returns to Unitholders

### **Operating Performance (RMB'm)**



- (1) Excluding straight-line, security deposit accretion and other relevant distribution adjustments
- (2) Including a provision of impairment (RMB5.2m) of receivables at Fu Zhuo in 4QFY17. There was no impact to DPU for FY2017

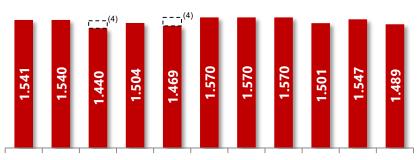
### **Distribution to Unitholders (S\$'000)**

### 12,024 12,010 11,281 11,802 12,384 12,384 12,314 12,314

# (3) There is a 5% withholding tax expenses incurred during the cash repatriation process for Distribution to Unitholders. Adjusted distributable income gross of withholding tax expenses would be about S\$12.0 million and S\$12.4 million for 3Q17 and 1Q18 respectively.

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### **DPU (Singapore Cents)**



1Q17 2Q17 3Q17 4Q17 1Q18 2Q18 3Q18 4Q18 1Q19 2Q19 3Q19

(4) Adjusted DPU gross of withholding tax expenses for 3Q17 and 1Q18 would be 1.530 and 1.570 Singapore cents respectively

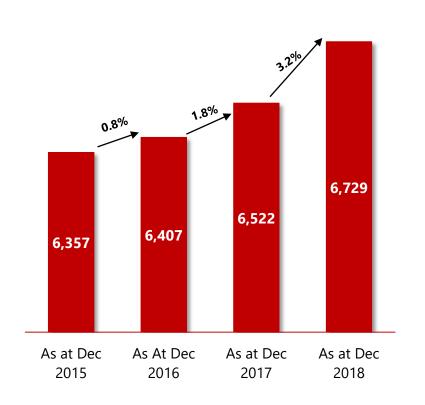


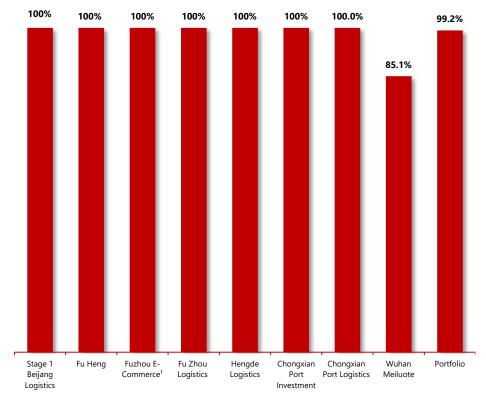
## **Resilient and Balanced Portfolio with Growth Potential**

**Valuation has Increased for 3 Consecutive Years with Strong Occupancy** 

**Asset under Management (RMB m)** 

**Occupancy Rate (as at 30 September 2019)** 







# **FY3Q19 Summary Results**

### **Financial Performance**

Year on Year Comparison	3QFY19	3QFY18	Variance (%)	Quarter on Quarter Comparison	3QFY19	2QFY19	Variance (%)
Gross revenue (RMB'000) <sup>1</sup>	130,955	115,387	13.5	Gross revenue (RMB'000) <sup>1</sup>	130,955	118,891	10.1
Net property income (RMB'000) <sup>1</sup>	119,094	106,923	11.4	Net property income (RMB'000) <sup>1</sup>	119,094	108,230	10.0
Gross revenue (S\$'000)	25,675	23,891	7.5	Gross revenue (S\$'000)	25,675	23,734	8.2
Net property income (S\$'000)	22,920	22,199	3.2	Net property income (S\$'000)	22,920	21,157	8.3
Distribution to Unitholders (S\$'000)	11,873	12,414	(4.4)	Distribution to Unitholders (S\$'000)	11,873	12,314	(3.6)
Distribution per unit (Singapore cents)	1.489	1.570	(5.2)	Distribution per unit (Singapore cents)	1.489	1.547	(3.7)



# **Healthy Balance Sheet**

S\$'000	As at 30 September 2019	As at 31 Dec 2018
Cash and cash equivalents <sup>(1)</sup>	128,241	142,127
Investment Properties	1,536,846	1,335,034
Total Assets	1,702,852	1,515,824
Borrowings	659,780	474,705
Total Liabilities	1,036,833	827,272
Net Assets attributable to Unitholders	666,019	688,552
NAV per unit (S\$)	0.84	0.87

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes RMB194.7 million (S\$37.8 million) cash security deposits received from the master leases and cash deposits of RMB371.3 million (S\$72.0 million) placed as collateral for standby letter of credit ("SBLC") issuance.



# **Prudent Capital Management**

## **Proactive Capital Management**

### **3QFY19 Summary**

- YTD3QFY2019 blended all-in running interest rate of 4.6%<sup>1</sup>
- Successfully refinance IPO loans
- Majority of offshore facilities has been swapped into fixed rate<sup>2</sup>
- Aggregate leverage of 39.6%
- Entered into FX option contract to lock in SGDRMB for our RMB income source for 1QFY20 distribution
- Continues to maintain a rolling 6 month FX hedging strategy

## **Key Debt Figures**

Total Debt Drawdown as at 30 Sept 2019	<ul> <li>RMB 1,000 million onshore</li> <li>S\$295.5 million and US\$86.8 million offshore</li> <li>S\$65.2 million RCF <sup>(3)</sup></li> </ul>
YTD3QFY19 Blended Interest Rate	<ul> <li>Onshore – 5.4% p.a.</li> <li>Offshore – 4.1% p.a.</li> <li>RCF – 1.9% to 2.6% p.a.</li> </ul>
Hedging Profile Forex (SGD/RMB) 1QFY20	Hedged through put spread  • Buy CNH put at 5.160  • Sell CNH put at 5.190

- (1) Including amortized upfront fee, the all-in interest rate is 5.4%
- (2) Excluding RCF
- (3) S\$65.2 million drawn down from the S\$120.0 million revolving credit facility



# **Investors' Friendly Management Fee Structure**

100% of Management Fees tied to Distributable Income | Fully aligned with Unitholders' Interest

### **EC World REIT**

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### **Traditional Structure**

**Base Fee** 

Tied to Distributable Income

10% per annum of
Distributable Income
(calculated before accounting
for Base Fee and Performance
Fee in each Financial Year)

- Tied to Deposited Property / Asset Under Asset Under Management
- Ranges from 0.25%- 0.5% of Deposited Property / Asset Under Management

Performance Fee

- ✓ Tied to DPU Growth
  - 25% of DPU growth year-onyear multiplied by weighted average number of Units in issue for each financial year
- Tied to Gross Income / Net Property Income
- Ranges from 2.85% of Gross Income / 3% to 3.6% of Net Property Income

**Impact** 

- Manager only gets paid when Unitholders' get paid
  - Any increase in fees has to be accompanied by increased distributions to Unitholders
- Manager gets paid based on size of portfolio irregardless of distribution to unitholders
- Possibility of getting higher fees even if distributions to Unitholders do not grow

# **Differentiated E-Commerce Logistics Assets**

## **Suite of Physical Facilities Supporting E-Commerce Logistics and Fulfilment**

Fu Heng (富恒仓储)



Commencement of Operations	Feb 2015
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	94,287
Type of Lease	Master lease
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	100.0%
WALE <sup>(2)</sup> (years)	5.5
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (3)	580

Fuzhou E-Commerce (富洲电商)



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Commencement of Operations	July 2017
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	214,284
Type of Lease	Master Lease
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	100.0%
WALE <sup>(2)</sup> (years)	4.9
Independent Valuation (RMR'm) (4)	1 203

- ✓ Fu Heng and Fuzhou E-Commerce are situated side-by-side → Rare sizable quality 308,571 sq m logistics hub catering to the fulfilment of the rapidly expanding e-commerce demand in Hangzhou and China
- ✓ Well-positioned to benefit from the local government's efforts to attract renowned e-commerce companies to the Fuyang District
- ☑ Convenient access and transportation: located within Dongzhou Industrial Zone which is connected to downtown Hangzhou via Highway G25 and enjoys convenient water transportation provided by Fuchun rivers
- ✓ **Quality tenant** with strong **100% occupancy**

- (1) As 30 September 2019
- 2) By gross rental income as at 30 September 2019
- 3) As at 31 Dec 2018 appraised by JLL
- (4) Based on average valuation of RMB1,203 million



# **Differentiated E-Commerce Logistics Assets**

## **Suite of Physical Facilities Supporting E-Commerce Logistics and Fulfilment**



Commencement of Operations	Jun 2015
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	120,449
Type of Lease	Master lease
Occupancy <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	100%
WALE <sup>(3)</sup> (years)	5.2
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (4)	1,297

Wuhan Mei Luo Te (梅洛特)



Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (4)	1,297
Commencement of Operations	May 2017
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	48.695
Type of Lease	Multi-tenanted
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	85.1%
WALE <sup>(3)</sup> (years)	1.4
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (4)	171

- ✓ Stage 1 Bei Gang Logistics is a **integrated**, **one stop e-commerce platform** comprising office and retail space
- ✓ Property offers new and high quality facilities to fulfil the demands of the ecommerce tenants
- ✓ Wuhan Meiluote is strategically located in the vicinity of major transport networks with top tier ecommerce tenants.
- Exposure to favourable macroeconomic fundamentals as Wuhan is a critical transport and logistics hub in Central China

- (1) As 30 September 2019
- 2) End tenant occupancy as at 30 September 2019 is 85.6%
- (3) By gross rental income as at 30 September 2019
- (4) As at 31 Dec 2018 appraised by JLL



# **Specialised Logistics Asset with Limited Competition in the Region**

## **Hi-Specs Catering To High Value Consumer Goods**

Hengde Logistics (恒德物派)

Commencement of Operations	1 <sup>st</sup> complex – Nov 2010 2 <sup>nd</sup> complex – Apr 2013
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	237,066
Type of Lease	Multi-tenanted
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	100.0%
WALE <sup>(2)</sup> (years)	1.2
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (3)	1,470

- ☑ Built to meet specific requirement of high value consumer goods such as tobacco, wine and cosmetics
- ✓ 100% leased to major tenant China Tobacco Zhejiang Industrial Co., Ltd. for storing tobacco, accounting for a significant portion of total tobacco leaves storage area in the Zhejiang Province
- Equipped with advanced and comprehensive facilities including temperature and humidity control systems, dust-free configurations, and automatic sprinkler and fire alarm systems etc.

- ☑ High standard of quality and safety control with strict internal policies and procedures
- ☑ Enjoys limited competition in the region due to its specialised equipment and facilities, well-suited to cater to fast-growing imported consumer goods in Hangzhou and the Zhejiang Province

- (1) As 30 September 2019
- (2) By gross rental income as at 30 September 2019.
- (3) As at 31 Dec 2018 appraised by JLL



# **Strategic River Port and Ancillary Port Logistics Assets**

## **Comprehensive Logistics Complex With Dominant Market Share**

Chongxian Port Investment (崇贤港投资)

Commencement of Operations	Aug 2008
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	112,726
Type of Lease	Master lease
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	100.0%
WALE <sup>(2)</sup> (years)	5.6
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (3)	2,235
Commencement of Operations	Jan 2010

Chongxian Port -ogistics (崇贤港物流



Net Lettable Area (sqm)	125,826	
Type of Lease	Multi-tenanted	
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	100.0%	
WALE <sup>(2)</sup> (years)	1.1	
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (3)	862	



Commencement of Operations	Oct 2014		
Net Lettable Area (sqm)	7,128		
Type of Lease	Multi-tenanted		
Occupancy <sup>(1)</sup>	100.0%		
WALE <sup>(2)</sup> (years)	8.4		
Independent Valuation (RMB'm) (3)	114		

- One of the key inland ports in PRC and largest in Hangzhou serving domestic trade
- Comprehensive logistics complex integrating port operations, storage processing and logistics distribution for steel products with a dominant market share (over 50%)
- ✓ Strategic location next to Beijing-Hangzhou Canal offering easy access to waterway and road network
- Significant growth in throughput and continued growth momentum in throughput and rental
  - Closure of local steel mills to increase demand for port operations
  - Increasing government restrictions on land supply for port use post



<sup>(1)</sup> As 30 September 2019

<sup>(2)</sup> By gross rental income as at 30 September 2019.

<sup>(3)</sup> As at 31 Dec 2018 appraised by JLL

# **Connectivity in the Product Fulfilment Cycle**

EC World REIT's asset portfolio caters to a critical portion of the product fulfillment cycle and supply chain

- Key inland port with comprehensive logistics complex
- Strategically located next to Beijing-Hangzhou Canal offering easy access to waterway and road network

EC World REIT's port logistics assets has the capability to handle products from shipping to the warehouse, storage, handling and processing before handing it to the delivery agent





Warehousing

Specialised logistics assets are high-specification warehouse built to meet specific requirements of the tenant to store high value consumer goods EC World REIT's e-commerce logistics asset serves as a full capability e-commerce distribution centre with multiple functions including warehousing, third party logistics, parcel producing and sorting, e-commerce business showrooms and exhibition

### **Handling and Processing**



- UnloadingStorage
- Pickina
- Packaging & Labelling
- Sorting

**Delivery to End Consumers** 

### **Merchants**

### **Typical Product Fulfillment Cycle**

Port Logistics		Specialised Logistics	E-commerce Logistics			
Chongxian Port Investment	Chongxian Port Logistics	Fu Zhou Industrial	Hengde Logistics	Fu Heng	Stage 1 Bei Gang	Wuhan Meiluote

# Strategic Importance of Physical Support Infrastructure to the E-Commerce Ecosystem

### E-Commerce logistics assets play a crucial role in connecting the industry ecosystem

### **Traditional retailing & logistics**

### Physical retail / shopping spaces

- Constrained by location and capacity
- Capital intensive to build and maintain



### Storage and transportation

 Traditional warehouses and transportation network



#### **Customers**

 Physically shop at individual brands / stores in the shopping malls



### **E-commerce ecosphere**

#### 天网<sup>(1)</sup> (Sky Net)

- Online platforms where buyers and sellers connect and transact
- "Big data" aggregation and analysis of consumer data
- Dominated by Alibaba and JD.Com

## 地网<sup>(1)</sup> (Earth Net)

- Physical infrastructure (specialized warehouses etc.)
- On-the-ground delivery network
- Key connecting point between online and offline activities
- EC World is a leading operator
   Excellent location in high ecommerce activity areas
   Comprehensive service capability

### 人网 (1) (People Net)

- Online shoppers
- Individual e-shops on the online platforms that sells to customers directly
- Neighborhood collection points, service stations and shops















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