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NETLINK NBN TRUST NAMED MOST TRANSPARENT COMPANY (REITS & BUSINESS TRUST CATEGORY) AT SIAS 20th INVESTORS' CHOICE AWARDS

SINGAPORE, 26 September 2019 – NetLink NBN Management Pte. Ltd., Trustee-Manager of NetLink NBN Trust (“**NetLink NBN Trust**”, 网联宽频信托, and together with its subsidiaries, the “**NetLink Group**”) is pleased to announce that it has been named the winner of the Most Transparent Company, REITs & Business Trust Category, at the SIAS 20th Investors' Choice Awards.

NetLink NBN Trust was selected amongst all listed REITs and Business Trusts by a selection committee comprising industry leaders to be crowned the winner of this award category. This award recognises NetLink NBN Trust's steadfast commitment and strong emphasis on transparency and accountability in its corporate governance.

Mr Tong Yew Heng (唐耀兴), Chief Executive Officer of NetLink NBN Trust, said, “We are delighted and encouraged to be conferred this prestigious award, which is a testament of our efforts in upholding the highest level of corporate governance. We recognise the long-term merits of having a robust corporate governance framework as well as maintaining transparency and proactive communication with the investment community that will serve to protect and enhance value for our Unitholders. Corporate governance and transparency is a key pillar of our operating ethos as we continue to pursue growth as the backbone of Singapore's Next Generation Nationwide Broadband Network to deliver sustainable, regular and predictable distributions for our Unitholders.”

Organised by Asia's largest organised investor group – Securities Investors Association of Singapore (SIAS) – the Investors' Choice Awards recognises excellence in companies and individuals adopting good corporate governance practices.

The Most Transparent Company Award category evaluates and shortlists companies using the scorecard developed for SIAS by the Centre for Governance, Institutions and Organisations (CGIO) of NUS Business School. The selection process takes into consideration the “Disclosure and Transparency” aspect based on publicly available information and the company’s performance. For more information on the award, please visit: <https://sias.org.sg/cgweek2019/Investorchoiceawards.php#mtca>

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ABOUT NETLINK NBN TRUST

The NetLink Group’s nationwide network is the foundation of Singapore’s Next Generation Nationwide Broadband Network (“**Next Gen NBN**”), over which ultra-high-speed internet access is delivered throughout mainland Singapore and its connected islands.

The NetLink Group designs, builds, owns and operates the passive fibre network infrastructure (comprising ducts, manholes, fibre cables and Central Offices) of Singapore’s Next Gen NBN. The NetLink Group’s extensive network provides nationwide coverage to residential homes and non-residential premises in mainland Singapore and its connected islands.

NetLink NBN Trust was listed on the Main Board of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (SGX-ST) on 19 July 2017, and is a constituent of the FTSE ST Large & Mid Cap Index, FTSE ST Singapore Shariah Index and the MSCI Global Small Cap – Singapore Index.

For more information about NetLink NBN Trust, please visit: www.netlinknbn.com.



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