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2 Investment Principles

2.2 The trustee company seeks to be an active and responsible long-term investor believing that this will protect and enhance the value of the fund's investments in the long-term. Further information on responsible investment is given in section 6 below.

当受託会社は、活動的で責任のある長期的投資家であることを追求する。これは 長期的にはファンド投資の価値を保護し強めると考えているからである。詳細は、 セクション6の責任投資を参照。

6 Responsible investment

6.1 As an institutional investor that takes its fiduciary obligations to its members seriously, the trustee company aims to be an active and responsible long-term investor in the assets and markets in which it invests. By encouraging responsible corporate behaviour, the trustee company expects to protect and enhance the value of the fund's investments in the long-term.

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責任のある企業行動を促進することによって、ファンド投資の長期にわたる価値 の確保と強化を期待する。

6.2 The trustee company therefore requires its fund managers to pay appropriate regard to relevant extra-financial factors including corporate governance, social, ethical and environmental considerations in the selection, retention and realisation of all fund investments. The trustee company expects this to be done in a manner which is consistent with the trustee company's investment objectives and legal duties.

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全てのファンドへの投資の選択、保有、売却において、ファンドマネージャーに 財務的な要素だけではなく、コーポレートガバナンスや社会的・倫理的・環境に 関する要素にも適切に配慮させる。 6.3 Specifically, the trustee company has instructed its internal fund managers and called on its external managers to use influence as major institutional investors to promote good practice by investee companies and by markets to which the fund is particularly exposed.

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主要な機関投資家としての影響力を用いて、投資対象会社やそのファンドと特に 関わりの強いマーケットが優良な実践をするように促す。

6.5 The aim of such monitoring should be to identify problems at an early stage, and enable engagement with management to see appropriate resolution of such problems. The trustee company uses voting rights as part of its engagement work to ensure that voting is undertaken in a prioritised, value-adding and informed manner. Where collaboration is likely to be the most effective mechanism for encouraging company management to address these issues appropriately, the trustee company expects its fund managers to participate in joint action with other institutional investors.

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