Introduction

These Terms of Business ("Terms of Business") apply to all clients of Nplus1Singer Capital Markets Limited ("N+1Singer").

These Terms of Business, together with the Schedules and accompanying policies and other documents referred to, as amended from time to time, (together this “Agreement”) set out the terms of the contract between you and us. This Agreement is legally binding and shall take effect and be deemed accepted when we receive your completed Application Form and you have been accepted by us as a Client. Should you request reclassification (for example if you have been classified as a Retail Client and have request reclassification as an Elective Professional Client on your Application Form), this will be confirmed or declined by us to you in writing once we have assessed your eligibility. In any case, you are deemed to have accepted this Agreement and your client classification should you place an order with us.

N+1 Singer provides research and executes orders for clients in a wide range of equity securities.
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These Terms of Business set out important aspects of the relationship between N+1 Singer and their clients. If there is any aspect of these terms that you do not understand or where you require further information you should contact the N+1 Singer Compliance Department at the address below:

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TERMS APPLICABLE TO ALL CLIENTS

1. General Information

1.1 Information about us: We, Nplus1 Singer Capital Markets Limited ("N+1 Singer") is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority ("FCA"), at our registered office, 5th Floor, 1 Bartholomew Lane, London, EC2N 2AX.

1.2 Our capacity: We will deal with you as principal unless we inform you that we are dealing with you as agent generally or with respect to any Transaction or class of Transactions and every order which we may take is accepted and executed on the basis that we act on our own account as principal and not as your agent.

1.3 Your capacity: You act as principal or as an agent (or trustee) on behalf of someone else. If you are acting as agent or trustee the supplemental terms set out in the Agency Schedule 1 will apply to you.

1.4 Commencement: This Agreement supersedes any previous agreement between us on the same subject matter and takes effect when you signify your acceptance of this Agreement by signing and returning the Express Consent Form or Application Form. By completing and signing the Application Form you confirm that you have read, understood and agree to be bound by these Terms of Business with us. In the absence of a signed Application Form, you are deemed to have agreed to be bound by these Terms of Business and your client classification should you place an Order with us.

1.5 Amendments: These Terms of Business may be amended from time to time as set out in clause 22.1. Any changes to these Terms of Business will not apply to transactions opened prior to the date on which the changes become effective unless specifically agreed otherwise.

1.6 Duty to you: Nothing in these Terms of Business shall exclude or restrict any duty or liability owed by us to you under the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (as amended) (the “Act”) or the rules of the Financial Conduct Authority (the “FCA Rules”) as detailed in the FCA Handbook of Rules and Guidance (the “Handbook”). If there is any conflict between these Terms of Business and the FCA Rules, the FCA Rules shall prevail.

1.7 Duties and responsibilities: We assume no greater responsibility or fiduciary duty than that imposed by the FCA Rules or the express terms of this Agreement.

1.8 Investment objectives: Your investment objectives and restrictions, if any, shall be as set out in clause 5.4 or as otherwise disclosed to us. Save as expressly disclosed by you, there are no restrictions on:

(a) the types of designated investment in which you wish to invest; or

(b) the markets on which you wish Transactions to be executed.

2. Interpretation

2.1 In this Agreement the following words and phrases have the following meanings:

Account means an account of yours opened with us;

Act has the meaning given in clause 1.6;

Affiliate of any person means any other person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by, or under direct or indirect common control with, such person. For purposes of this definition, “control” when used with respect to any person means the power to direct the management and policies of such person, directly or indirectly, whether through the ownership of voting securities or otherwise, and the terms “controlling” and “controlled” have meanings correlative to the foregoing;

Applicable Regulations means MiFID II, FCA Rules or any other rules of a relevant regulatory authority or any other Rules of a relevant Market and all other applicable
laws, rules and regulations as in force from time to time;

**Application Form** means the application form provided with these Terms of Business;

**Business Day** means a day (other than a Saturday or Sunday) on which:

(a) in relation to a date for the payment of any sum denominated in any Currency (other than Euro), banks generally are open for business in the principal financial centre of the country of such Currency; or

(b) in relation to a date for the payment of any sum denominated in Euros, settlement of payments denominated in Euros is generally possible in London or any other financial centre in Europe selected by us; or

(c) in relation to a date for the delivery of any property, property of such type is capable of being delivered in satisfaction of obligations incurred in the market in which the obligation to deliver such first property was incurred; and for all other purposes, is not a bank holiday or public holiday in London;

**Commission** means the commission, charges or other remuneration for the conduct of the business by N+1 Singer as disclosed and as notified to you from time to time;

**Conflicts of Interest Policy** N+1 Singer’s Conflicts of Interest Policy available at [www.n1singer.com](http://www.n1singer.com) as may be updated from time to time;

**Credit Support Provider** means any person who has entered into any guarantee, hypothecation, agreement, margin or security agreement in our favour in respect of your obligations under this Agreement;

**Currency** shall be construed so as to include any unit of account;

**Elective Professional Client** has the meaning given in the FCA Rules;

**Event of Default** means any of the events of default as listed in paragraphs (a) to (k) of clause 18.1;

**Express Consent Form** means the Express Consent Form provided with these Terms of Business and our Order Execution Policy;

**Financial Instrument** means a financial instrument as defined in MiFID II;

**FCA** means the Financial Conduct Authority or any successor organisation or authority for the time being responsible for the regulation of investment business in the UK;

**FCA Rules** has the meaning given in clause 1.6;

**Manifest Error** has the meaning set out in clause 19;

**Market** means any market or multilateral trading facility subject to government or state regulation with established trading rules and trading hours including without limitation a Regulated Market, a Multilateral Trading Facility (MTF) and an Organised Trading Facility (OTF) each as defined in MiFID II;

**MiFID II** means the MiFID II Directive (2014/65/EU) and Markets in Financial Regulation (Regulation 600/2014) and all relevant and applicable implementing directives;

**N+1 Singer** means Nplus1 Singer Capital Markets Limited, an entity incorporated in
England Wales with registered number 05792780 and where appropriate its affiliate Nplus1 Singer Advisory LLP an entity incorporated in England Wales with registered number OC364131;

Order means an instruction from the Client to purchase or sell a Financial Instrument;

Order Execution Policy N+1 Singer’s Order Execution Policy available at www.n1singer.com as may be updated from time to time;

Research means research papers and reports regarding Financial Instruments prepared by N+1 Singer;

Research Application Form means the application form which you must complete before receiving Research and which shall be provided to you on request;

Related Party means related party as that term is defined under FCA Rules;

Retail Client has the meaning given in the FCA Rules;

Rules means articles, rules, regulations, procedures and customs, as in force from time to time;

Security means investments within articles 76 to 80 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) Order 2001;

Stock Exchange means any exchange where a Security has its primary listing;

Transaction means a contract in an investment in a Financial Instrument or any other contractual arrangement entered into between you and us.

2.2 **General interpretation:** A reference in this Agreement to a “clause” or “Schedule” shall be construed as a reference to, respectively, a clause or Schedule of this Agreement, unless the context requires otherwise. References in this Agreement to any statute or statutory instrument or Applicable Regulations include any modification, amendment, extension or re-enactment thereof. A reference in this Agreement to “document” shall be construed to include any electronic document. References to persons include bodies corporate, unincorporated associations and partnerships/persons, firms, companies, corporations, governments, states or agencies of a state or any associations or partnerships (whether or not having separate legal personality) of two or more of the foregoing. The masculine includes the feminine and the neuter and the singular includes the plural and vice versa as the context admits or requires. Words and phrases defined in the FCA’s Rules have the same meaning in this Agreement unless expressly defined in this Agreement.

2.3 **Agreement and the Schedules:** The clauses contained in this agreement and the Schedules together constitute the Agreement. We may from time to time send to you further schedules with respect to a specific Market or Financial Instruments. In the event of any conflict between the Agreement and the amended schedules, the amended schedules will prevail.

2.4 **Applicable Regulations:** All of terms of the Agreement are subject to the Applicable Regulations and if any term set out herein could breach any Rule in any Applicable Regulations it shall be deemed modified as necessary so as to comply with such Rule.

3. **Client Classification**

3.1 We will notify you in our covering letter or email of the category of client that we have classified you as. Our policy on classification is as set out below:-

3.2 **Professional Client:** If you fall within one of the following categories below, we shall classify you as a Per se Professional Client.
(a) an entity required to be authorised or regulated to operate in the financial markets whether in the EEA or any other country

(b) a large undertaking meeting two of the following size requirements on a company basis:

(i) balance sheet total of EUR 20,000,000;

(ii) net turnover of EUR 40,000,000;

(ii) own funds of EUR 2,000,000;

(c) a national or regional government, a public body that manages public debt, a central bank, an international or supranational institution (such as the World Bank, the IMF, the ECP, the EIB) or another similar international organisation; or

(d) another institutional investor whose main activity is to invest in Financial Instruments.

3.3 **Retail Client:** If you are classified as a Retail Client, you have the right to request to be reclassified as an Elective Professional Client (as detailed below).

3.4 **Elective Professional Client:** If you have been classified as a Retail Client, you may request a reclassification as an “Elective Professional Client” in accordance with MiFID II and the Client Classification rules as set out in the Conduct of Business Rules (“COBS”) in the Handbook. Should you wish to request this alternative classification and your request be successful, we will have determined that you have sufficient experience and understanding to be classified as an Elective Professional Client. Schedule 2 to this Agreement details a written warning of the regulatory protections you will lose should your request for reclassification be successful. Further, signing the “Request for reclassification and further declarations” section of our “Elective Professional Client Application Form” will be treated as your understanding of your loss of protections and consent to reclassification as an Elective Professional Client. Our response to your request for reclassification will be notified to you (in writing or by email) further to our assessment of your eligibility.

3.5 You have the right to request an alternative client classification. Such request should be put in writing to the Compliance Department at N+1 Singer and each application for reclassification will be considered on a case by case basis.

3.6 If you are acting on behalf of another, we reserve the right to treat you alone as our client (“Client”) for the purposes of Applicable Regulations and you will be liable as such. No other person (whether identified to us or not) shall be our Client.

3.7 We reserve the right to decline any request for client reclassification if it appears to N+1 Singer, on consideration of the request, that the reclassification would be inappropriate to the business activities or experience of you the Client.

4. **Applicable Regulations, Market And Stock Exchange Requirements**

4.1 **Subject to Applicable Regulations:** This Agreement and all Transactions are subject to Applicable Regulations so that: (i) if there is any conflict between this Agreement and any Applicable Regulations, the latter will prevail; and (ii) we may take or omit to take any action we consider necessary to ensure compliance with any Applicable Regulations and whatever we do or fail to do in order to comply with them will be binding on you.

4.2 **Market and Stock Exchange action:** If a Market or Stock Exchange (or intermediate broker or agent, acting at the direction of, or as a result of action taken by, a Market or Stock Exchange) take any action which affects a Transaction, then we may take any action which we, at our discretion, consider desirable to correspond with such action or to mitigate any loss incurred as a result of such action. Any such action shall be binding on you.
Our Services

5. Execution, Information and Research

5.1 **Execution only:** We deal on an execution-only basis and will not make personal recommendations or advise on the merits or suitability of purchasing, selling or otherwise dealing in particular Financial Instruments or executing particular Transactions, their taxation consequences or the composition of any account or any other rights or obligations attaching to such Financial Instrument or Transactions. You should bear in mind that merely explaining the terms of a Transaction or a Financial Instrument or its performance characteristics does not itself amount to advice on the merits of the investment.

5.2 **Incidental information:** Where we do provide general trading recommendations, market commentary, guidance on shareholding disclosure or other information:

(a) this is incidental to your dealing relationship with us. It is provided solely to enable you to make your own investment decisions and does not amount to a personal recommendation or to advice;

(b) we give no representation, warranty or guarantee as to the accuracy or completeness of such information or as to the legal, tax or accountancy consequences of any Transaction;

(c) where information is in the form of a document containing a restriction on the person or category of persons for whom that document is intended or to whom it is distributed, you agree that you will not pass it on contrary to that restriction;

5.3 **Research:**

The following terms apply in relation to all Research:

(a) to receive Research, you must apply in writing using the Research Application Form

(b) the Research will only be provided to you for your information purposes;

(c) no Research shall constitute any offer of or an invitation by us or on our behalf or any Affiliate to you to buy or sell any Securities;

(d) other than pursuant to Applicable Regulations, common law or other relevant Rules, we accept no liability or responsibility whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of any information contained in any Research or otherwise given to you. In all cases, you should conduct your own investigation and analysis of such information before taking or omitting to take any action either in relation to investments or markets;

(e) all estimates, projections, forecasts, expressions of opinion and other subjective judgements contained in any Research or information given to you are based on assumptions considered to be reasonable as of the date of the document in which they are contained and must not be construed as a representation that the matters referred to therein will occur;

(f) you should be aware that information contained in our Research is subject to change without notice to you and without us being able (or obliged) to inform you of that change;

(g) we do not warrant you will receive the Research at the same time as our other clients;

(h) subject to compliance with our Conflicts of Interest Policy and Applicable Regulations, we may from time to time have a long or short position in any of the securities mentioned in any Research and may buy or sell those securities;

(i) subject to compliance with our Conflicts of Interest Policy and Applicable Regulations, we may from time to time provide corporate finance, investment management or other services for or solicit or seek to obtain corporate finance, or other business from any entity referred to in any Research; and

(j) if you no longer wish to receive Research (or if you wish to change the level of Research you receive) from us you must give us notice in writing of the same, no Research Charges paid
pursuant to clause 6.2 below shall be repayable to you by N+1 Singer under any circumstances.

6. **Charges and Payments**

   6.1 **General Charges:** You will pay our charges as agreed with you from time to time or we may deduct such charges from any funds held by us on your behalf. Our charges will include any applicable tax, duty and fees and all other liabilities, charges, costs and expenses payable in connection with Transactions effected on your behalf. Subject to MiFID II and the FCA Rules, confirmations may be sent to you showing a single price for the Transaction, that combines both the unit price and our charges in respect of that Transaction. In accordance with our charges, notified to you from time to time, we will charge you interest (both before and after any judgement) on any amount you failed to pay us when it was due, calculated at the rate determined by us to be the cost of funding such overdue amount (“Default Interest”) unless you pay such charges at the time they are incurred.

   6.2 **Research Charges:** If you apply to receive Research (using the Research Application Form) you will, unless agreed otherwise in any Research Application Form, be charged for such Research on an annual basis in advance. The amount of such charges will depend on the level of Research you have applied for (as indicated on your Research Application Form), subject to such charges as may be notified to you by N+1 Singer from time to time. Any increase in N+1 Singers charges for Research shall not take effect until the following annual payment and shall be notified to you not less than 10 Business Days before such annual payment is due.

   6.3 **Currency indemnity:** If we receive or recover any amount in respect of an obligation of yours in a Currency other than that in which such amount was payable, whether pursuant to a judgement of any court or otherwise, you shall indemnify us and hold us harmless from and against any cost (including costs of conversion) and loss suffered by us as a result of receiving such amount in a Currency other than the Currency in which it was due.

   6.4 **Payments and deliveries net:** Unless we give you written notice to the contrary, all payments and deliveries between us shall be made on a net basis and we shall not be obliged to deliver or make payment to you or both (as the case may be) unless and until we have received from you the appropriate documents or cleared funds.

   6.5 **Remuneration and sharing charges:** We may receive remuneration from, or share charges with a third party in connection with Transactions carried out on your behalf. Details of such remuneration or sharing arrangements will be made available to you on written request.

   6.6 **Payment Methods:** Any charges due to N+1 Singer shall be invoiced to you from time to time. You shall pay such invoices in full and in cleared funds within 20 Business Days of the date of the invoice. Payment shall be made to the bank account notified to you in writing by N+1 Singer. If you have provided ‘Direct Debit’ details to us (in any Research Application Form or otherwise) we are authorised to debit your account for all charges invoiced to you in accordance with this clause. Time for payment is of the essence.

7. **Taxes:** You are responsible for all taxes (UK or foreign) that may arise in relation to a Transaction, whether under current or changed law or practice. We shall have no responsibility for any of your tax liabilities, or for providing information or advice in respect of such liabilities and shall not be responsible for notifying you of a change in tax law or practice. In the event that we become liable to pay any tax on your behalf arising from or incidental to Transactions executed by you with us you shall reimburse us on demand in full for the amount of such tax paid by us.

8. **Risk:** Investing in the types of securities traded on stock exchanges means that the value of the assets, and the income received from them, may go down as well as up and you may not get back all the money invested.

**Our Relationship with You**

9. **Material Interest and Conflicts of Interest**

   9.1 **Material interests:** Your attention is drawn to the fact that when we deal with you or for you, we or some other person connected with us may have an interest, relationship or arrangement that is material. Without limiting the nature of such interests, examples include where we could be:-
(a) dealing in the investment, a related investment or an asset underlying the investment, as principal for our (or its) own account or that of someone else. This could include selling to you or buying from you and also dealing with or using the services of an intermediate broker or other agent;

(b) matching (e.g. by way of a cross) your Transaction with that of another customer by acting on his behalf as well as yours;

(c) buying from you and selling immediately to another customer, or vice versa;

(d) holding a position (including a short position) in the investment concerned, a related investment or asset underlying the investment;

(e) quoting prices to the market in the investment, a related investment or asset underlying the investment; or

(f) advising and providing other services to other customers who may have interests in investments or underlying assets which conflict with your own.

You accept that we may have interests which conflict with your interests and may owe duties which conflict with duties which would otherwise be owed to you, and subject to our Conflicts of Interest Policy consent to our acting in any manner which we consider appropriate in such cases subject to Applicable Regulations.

9.2 No liability to disclose or account: We will comply with Applicable Regulations binding on us, but we shall be under no further duty to disclose any interest to you, including any benefit, profit, commission or other remuneration made or received by reason of any Transaction or any matching transaction.

9.3 Chinese Walls: As further set out in our Conflicts of Interest Policy, we maintain arrangements which restrict access by our employees to information relating to areas of our business (and that of affiliates) with which, and the affairs of clients with whom, they are not directly concerned. Accordingly:

9.3.1 we will provide services to you from time to time under these terms on the basis of information known to the particular employees who are at the time handling your affairs;

9.3.2 we will not be required to have regard to or disclose to you or make use of any information known to those employees, or to any of our other employees, agents or affiliates, which belongs to or is confidential to another client, or to us or which is not known to those employees; and

9.3.3 in exceptional circumstances, we may be unable to deal with you in relation to particular investments and be unable to disclose the reason for this.

9.4 Deals using a connected broker: Where a material connection exists between us and a connected broker, you hereby agree that you do not require us to give you notice of that. We shall not receive any fee, commission or non-monetary benefit from using a connected broker other than as allowed under Applicable Regulations.

9.5 No fiduciary duties: The relationship between you and us is as described in this Agreement. Neither that relationship, nor the services we provide nor any other matter, will give rise to any fiduciary or equitable duties on our part which would prevent or hinder us in doing business with or for you, acting as both market maker and broker, principal and agent, or in doing business with any clients and other investors whether for our own account, your account or for the account of any connected clients and other investors, and generally acting as provided in this Agreement.

9.6 Notwithstanding clauses 9.1 to 9.5, we shall at all relevant times comply with our Conflicts of Interest Policy.

10. Account Opening

10.1 An Account must be opened prior to entering into any Transaction with N+1 Singer.
10.2 To assess your credit worthiness, manage credit risk and to prevent fraud (or other criminal activity) you acknowledge and agree that we may:

(a) make periodic searches and enquiries about you and any Related Party at credit reference agencies, and your employers, if applicable;

(b) disclose information to organisations involved in fraud prevention; and

(c) obtain information from and disclose information to other broker-dealers or investment managers which deal in or manage investments for you concerning any payment or security default

10.3 Any limits for your Account (including any credit limits) will be set and varied from time to time with regard to your credit status and, where applicable, the amount of funds deposited by you with us which may, in its sole discretion apply a limit to:

(a) the size of any Transaction or series of Transactions that you may enter into; and

(b) the amount of any loss or liability to which you may be exposed.

10.4 Account limits do not limit or represent your liability for losses to N+1 Singer, and the funds you may have from time to time on deposit with us do not represent any limit upon your financial liability to us.

Order Placement

11. Instructions and Basis of Dealing

11.1 Placing of instructions: You may give us instructions in writing (including fax), by email or other electronic means or orally (including by telephone), unless we tell you that instructions can only be given in a particular way. We shall be entitled to act for you upon instructions given or purporting to be given by you or any person authorised on your behalf without further enquiry as to the genuineness, authority or identity of the person giving or purporting to give such instructions. We shall not be obliged to accept instructions to enter a Transaction on your behalf.

11.2 Limit Orders: Execution of this Agreement will be treated as your instructions not to publish details of a limit Order where you have given us a limit Order which cannot be executed immediately under prevailing market conditions. Notwithstanding the foregoing, after execution of this Agreement you may give us instructions to publish the details of an unexecuted limit Order either for a specific limit order or for limit Orders generally.

11.3 Confirmations: Confirmations shall, in the absence of manifest error, be conclusive and binding on you, unless we receive from you objection in writing within three Business Days of dispatch to you or we notify you of an error in the confirmation within the same period.

11.4 Intermediate brokers and other agents: We may, at our entire discretion but subject always to our Order Execution Policy, arrange for any Transaction to be effected with or through the agency of an intermediate broker who may not be in the United Kingdom. Neither, we nor our respective directors, officers, employees or agents will be liable to you for any act or omission of an intermediate broker or agent. No responsibility will be accepted for intermediate brokers or agents selected by you.

11.5 Aggregation of orders: We draw your attention to the following. We may combine your Order with our own Orders and Orders of other customers. By combining your Orders with those of other customers we must reasonably believe that this is in the overall best interests of our customers. However, on occasions aggregation may result in you obtaining a less favourable price. Where we aggregate your Order with Orders of other customers, you agree that allocation of the investments concerned may be done within a period of five Business Days after the Order has been filled. Where an Order for a particular customer has been aggregated with Orders for another customer, we will take great care to ensure a fair allocation of securities available across those Orders. Where there is an insufficient quantity or Securities available to fill all Orders any allocation undertaken by us will be:

(a) completely even across all interested parties;
take account of the time of receipt of an Order such that Orders are allocated in due turn; or

take account of the size of each Order with allocation being in proportion to the relative Order sizes.

11.6 Best and timely execution: All Orders that we execute on your behalf are executed in accordance with our Order Execution Policy (as published on our website at that time). By placing an Order with us you are deemed to have consented to our Order Execution Policy.

11.7 Warehousing: On occasions you may instruct us to work Orders in certain Securities, which may take more than 24 hours to complete. We are willing to accept such Orders on the following basis, subject to our Order Execution Policy and, if applicable, Custody Terms:

(a) Orders may be worked for a period up to a maximum of five consecutive days. This period must not include a Saturday or Sunday;

(b) we will not send you contract notes in respect of each individual Transaction, which is part of a series of Transactions, executed over the period in order to achieve one investment decision or objective;

(c) we will undertake to inform you regularly, on at least a daily basis, of the progress of the Order, either orally or by email/facsimile, until the full Order is completed or a contract note is rendered for the completed portion of the full Order;

(d) Orders may be cancelled by you at any time however you will be liable for all Transactions executed up to the point at which we have acknowledged receipt of any such cancellation;

(e) you will be liable for all Transactions carried out under the arrangement set out in this agreement. If for any reason we are unable to fill the Order in its entirety you will accept any Transactions which form part of it.

12. Settlement and Ownership of Securities

12.1 Settlement Depository for Securities: Where you instruct us to effect settlement by accepting the transfer of Securities to our nominated settlement depository account you accept that payment obligations upon settlement will be dealt with through a settlement bank and that the creation of a settlement bank payment obligation will to the extent of such obligation discharge payment due from us or any company which is a member of our group.

12.2 Trust: If in any Transaction we deliver Securities or pay money to you or to your Order when you are obliged to pay money or transfer Securities to us at that time or subsequently and your obligations are not performed simultaneously with or prior to our obligations, then you shall hold on trust for us any Securities or money received from us until your own obligations to us are fully performed.

12.3 Title to Securities: Title to Securities purchased by you and held by us will (subject as stated above) pass to you upon payment by you of the amount due in respect of such purchase.

12.4 Obligation to settle conditional upon receiving necessary documents or funds: Our obligation to settle any Transaction whether we are acting as principal or as agent for you or any other person, is conditional upon receipt by us on or before the due date for settlement (or satisfactory confirmation of such receipt by our settlement agents) of all necessary documents or funds to be delivered by you or on your behalf by such due date.

In addition, where any Transaction is effected by us as your agent, delivery or payment (as the case may be) by the other party to the Transaction shall be at your entire risk and our obligations to deliver Securities to you or to account to you or any other person on your behalf for the proceeds of sale of Securities shall be conditional upon receipt by us of deliverable documents or sale proceeds (as the case may be) from the other party or parties to the Transaction. In the case of Securities which have already been assented to an offer or are the subject of any other corporate event, settlement may be delayed if delivery can only be completed with Securities issued by the offeror or, as the case may be, with Securities to which such corporate event relates. You will be responsible for the due and punctual performance of every Transaction which we enter into with or for you, whether you are dealing as principal or as agent for another person;
accordingly, if Securities or funds are not delivered to us, as and when due, under any such Transaction, you will fully indemnify us in accordance with clause 21.8.

12.5 **Payments to be free of charges:** Unless otherwise agreed, all money payable by you to us in respect of any Transaction will be paid free and clear of, and without withholding or deduction for, any taxes or duties of whatsoever nature imposed, levied, collected, withheld or assessed by any authority having power to tax, unless the withholding or deduction of such taxes or duties is required by law. In that event, unless otherwise agreed in writing prior to the execution of any Transaction, you will pay such additional amounts as will result in the net amounts receivable by us (after taking account of such withholding or deduction) being equal to such amounts as would have been received by us had no such taxes or duties been required to be withheld or deducted.

12.6 **Withholding/deduction:** You acknowledge that we are entitled without notice to you to withhold or deduct amounts from any payments, dividends, interest or any other sums whatsoever due to you if in our sole discretion determine that we are or may be required to do so under the laws, rules or regulations of any jurisdiction.

13. **On and Off-Exchange and Grey Market Investments**

13.1 **On and Off exchange dealings:** The execution of Orders on your behalf will be on execution venues in accordance with our Order Execution Policy and to which you have consented by execution of this Agreement.

13.2 **Suspected and grey market investments, etc:** We may, and by placing a relevant Order with us you expressly permit us to, enter into Transactions for or with you in:

(a) Securities whose listing on a Market is suspended, or the listing of or dealings in which have been discontinued; or

(b) a grey market investment, which is an investment for which application has been made for listing or admission to dealings on a Market where the investment's listing or admission has not yet taken place (otherwise than because the application has been rejected) and the investment is not already listed or admitted to dealings on another Market.

13.3 **Restrictions:** We may decline to accept an order for execution of a Transaction in investments identified at this clause 13 in our sole discretion. We may be unable to accept or execute such a Transaction order for reasons including but not limited to restrictions imposed by Applicable Regulations or because there may be insufficient published information on which to base a decision to buy or sell such investments.

14. **Trade and Transaction Reporting**

14.1 Where we execute a transaction on your behalf we will perform the trade reporting obligations you owe to relevant regulators and execution venues as well as our side of the relevant transaction report.

**Client Money**

15. **Client Money**

15.1 Any money received by N+1 Singer in respect of your Account with N+1 Singer shall be treated as “Client Money” in accordance with the applicable FCA’s Client Money Rules except where you transfer full ownership of money to N+1 Singer for, amongst other things, the purpose of security or otherwise covering present or future, actual or contingent or prospective obligations, in which circumstances such money will not be regarded as Client Money.

15.2 In relation to Client Money unless you notify us in writing or otherwise, we may hold Client Money in a Client bank account opened with either an approved bank in the United Kingdom or in any other country. Your Client Money may therefore be held outside the United Kingdom and in such circumstances the legal and regulatory regime applying to the approved bank with which you bank account is opened will be different from that of the United Kingdom.

15.3 In respect of clause 15.2 we will request that the applicable bank provide the acknowledgement required by FCA’s Rules provided that in the case of a Client bank account in the United Kingdom,
if the bank does not provide such acknowledgement within 20 business days after we have dispatched the notice, we will (a) notify you of such fact and (b) withdraw all money standing to the credit of the account and deposit it in a Client bank account with another bank as soon as possible.

15.4 Unless specifically agreed to the contrary we will not pay you interest on Client Money or any other unencumbered funds.

15.5 Unless you notify us in writing or otherwise, we may allow another person, such as an exchange, a clearing house or an intermediate broker, to hold or control Client Money where we transfer the Client Money (a) for the purposes of a transaction for you through or with that person; or (b) to meet your obligations to provide collateral for a Transaction.

15.6 In the event that Client Money is transferred to a third-party, we must obtain your consent at the time of the transfer (which may be taken as standing consent for future orders). We will not transfer Client Money to third-parties unless such firms which are the recipients of the transferred Client Money hold those sums under the Client Money rules (specifically, the FCA’s CASS rules), or such recipients in our reasonable opinion, as determined by our due skill, care and diligence in assessing such third party will apply adequate measures to protect the sums being transferred. We will provide you, within (7) seven days of transfer, certain post transfer notifications, including how the funds will be held by the transferee firm; the relevant applicable compensation scheme, if any, and the option to have such funds returned to you. No explicit consent is required for transfers of de-minimum amounts (£25 for retail and £100 for professional), however, you will still receive the post transfer notification.

15.7 We do not currently enter into ‘Title Transfer Collateral Arrangements’ (TTCA) with you. To the extent we were to enter into such arrangement with you in the future, we would require you to enter into a written TTCA with us.

15.8 We do not currently enter into ‘Right to Use’ arrangements with any of our clients. In the event that we were to enter into such arrangement in the future, we would consider whether such arrangement was in the client’s best interests, this consideration is uniform for both retail and professional clients.

15.9 To the extent applicable, and with regard to delivery versus payment transactions through a commercial settlement system, you will agree with us in writing to our holding of your assets/monies within the 24 hour DVP window. With respect to Client’s Purchase - the DVP window starts from the date of the client’s fulfillment of its payment obligation to the firm and closes at the earlier of the settlement date or the third business day following the date the client fulfills its payment obligation. Where delivery of the asset to the client does not occur because the transaction has not yet settled, the firm will need to treat the money as client money until such time as delivery to the client occurs. With respect to Client’s sale- the DVP window starts from the date the client fulfills its delivery obligation to the firm and closes at the earlier of the settlement date or the third business day following the date the client fulfills its delivery obligation. Where payment to the client has not occurred because the transaction has not yet settled, the firm will need to treat the custody asset in accordance with the custody rules until such time as the payment to the client occurs. If the firm is still holding client money / assets after the DVP window closes, it must segregate the money / assets promptly in comply with CASS rules.

15.10 You consent to us releasing any Client Money balances, for or on your behalf, from client bank accounts and for us to treat as Client Money any unclaimed Client Money balance where:

(a) we have determined that there has been no movement on your balance for a period of six years (withstanding any payments or receipts of charges, interest or similar items); and

(b) we have attempted to communicate to you on at least three occasions after reasonably determining contact information, and we have written to you at your last known address informing you of our intention of no longer treating that balance as Client Money, giving you 28 days to make a claim, provided we:

(i) shall make and retain records of all balances released from your Client bank accounts; and

(ii) undertake to make good any valid claims against any released balances.
The above is subject to a de Minimis threshold of £25 for retail clients and £100 for other clients in relation to client money. There is no de Minimis threshold for client assets for unclaimed money or assets that are paid away to charity. We unconditionally undertake to make good any valid claim for unclaimed money or assets paid away to charity, and will maintain all records of such divestments to charity of such money or assets.

16. **Net Payment**

16.1 We may at any time set off any liabilities to make payment owed by us to you against any liability of yours to make payment to us.

**Representations and Undertakings**

17. **Representations, Warranties and Covenants**

17.1 **Representations and warranties:** You represent and warrant to us on the date this Agreement comes into effect and as of the date of each Transaction that:

(a) you have all necessary authority, powers, consents, licences and authorisations and have taken all necessary action to enable you lawfully to enter into and perform this Agreement and such Transaction and to grant the Security interests and powers referred to in this Agreement;

(b) any change to the details supplied on your Application Form must be immediately notified to us in writing.

(c) the persons entering into this Agreement and each Transaction on your behalf have been duly authorised to do so;

(d) this Agreement, each Transaction and the obligations created under them both are binding upon you and enforceable against you in accordance with their terms (subject to applicable principles of equity) and do not and will not violate the terms of any regulation, Order, charge or agreement by which you are bound;

(e) no Event of Default or any event which may become (with the passage of time, the giving of notice, the making of any determination or any combination of the above) an Event of Default (a “Potential Event of Default”) has occurred and is continuing with respect to you or any Credit Support Provider;

(f) unless you have informed us otherwise you act as principal and sole beneficial owner (but not as trustee) in entering into this Agreement and each Transaction;

(g) any information which you provide or have provided to us in respect of your financial position or other matters is accurate and not misleading in any material respect;

(h) you are willing and financially able to sustain a total loss of funds resulting from Transactions;

(i) if you are not resident in the UK, you are solely responsible for ascertaining whether any Transaction entered into under this Agreement is lawful under applicable laws of the jurisdiction of your residence.

17.2 **Covenants:** You covenant to us that:

(a) you will at all times obtain and comply, and do all that is necessary to maintain in full force and effect, all authority, powers, consents, licences and authorisations referred to in this clause;

(b) you will promptly notify us of the occurrence of any Event of Default or Potential Event of Default with respect to yourself or any Credit Support Provider;

(c) you will use all reasonable steps to comply with all Applicable Regulations in relation to this Agreement and any Transaction, so far as they are applicable to you or us;
(d) upon demand, you will provide us with such information as we may reasonably require to evidence the matters referred to in this clause or to comply with any Applicable Regulations.

18. **Events of Default**

18.1 If at any time:

(a) you fail to make any payment when due under this Agreement or to make or take delivery of any property when due under, or to observe or perform any other provision of this Agreement and such failure continues for one Business Day after we give you notice of non-performance;

(b) you commence a voluntary case or other procedure seeking or proposing liquidation, reorganisation, an arrangement or composition, a freeze or moratorium, or other similar relief with respect to you or your debts under any bankruptcy, insolvency, regulatory, supervisory or similar law (including any corporate or other law with potential application to you, if insolvent), or seeking the appointment of a trustee, receiver, liquidator, conservator, administrator, custodian or other similar official (each a “Custodian”) of you or any substantial part of your assets; or if you take any corporate action to authorise any of the foregoing;

(c) an involuntary case or other procedure is commenced against you seeking or proposing liquidation, reorganisation, an arrangement or composition, a freeze or moratorium, or other similar relief with respect to you or your debts under any bankruptcy, insolvency, regulatory, supervisory or similar law (including any corporate or other law with potential application to you, if insolvent) or seeking the appointment of a Custodian of you or any substantial part of your assets;

(d) you are unable to pay your debts as they fall due or are bankrupt or insolvent, as defined under any bankruptcy or insolvency law applicable to you; or any indebtedness of yours is not paid on the due date therefore or becomes, or becomes capable at any time of being declared, due and payable under agreements or instruments evidencing such indebtedness before it would otherwise have been due and payable, or any suit, action or other proceedings relating to this Agreement (“Proceedings”) are commenced for any execution, any attachment or garnishment, or distress against, or an encumbrancer takes possession of, the whole or any part of your property, undertaking or assets (tangible and intangible);

(e) you or any Credit Support Provider (or any Custodian acting on behalf of either of you) (“Credit Support Provider”) disaffirm, disclaim or repudiate any obligation under this Agreement or any guarantee, hypothecation agreement, margin or security agreement or document, or any other document containing an obligation of a third party, or of you, in favour of us supporting any of your obligations under this Agreement (individually a “Credit Support Document”);

(f) any representation or warranty made or given or deemed made or given by you under this Agreement or any Credit Support Document proves to have been false or misleading in any material respect as at the time it was made or given or deemed made or given;

(i) any Credit Support Provider fails to comply with or perform any agreement or obligation to be complied with or performed by you or it in accordance with the applicable Credit Support Document;

(ii) the Credit Support Document expires or ceases to be in full force and effect prior to the satisfaction of all your obligations under this Agreement, unless otherwise agreed in writing by us;

(iii) any representation or warranty made or given or deemed made or given by any Credit Support Provider pursuant to any Credit Support Document proves to have been false or misleading in any material respect as at the time it was made or given or deemed made or given;

(iv) any event referred to in paragraphs (b) to (d) or (h) of sub-clause 1 of this clause occurs in respect of any Credit Support Provider;
you are dissolved, or, if your capacity or existence is dependent upon a record in a formal register, the registration is removed or ends, or any procedures are commenced seeking or proposing your dissolution, removal from such a register, or the ending of such a registration;

where you or your Credit Support Provider is a partnership, any of the events referred to in paragraphs (b) to (d) or (h) of sub-clause 1 of this clause occurs in respect of one or more of your or its partners;

we consider it necessary or desirable to prevent what we consider is or might be a violation of any Applicable Regulation or good standard of market practice;

we consider it necessary or desirable for our own protection/any action is taken or event occurs which we consider might have a material adverse effect upon your ability to perform any of your obligations under this Agreement;

an Event of Default (however described) occurs in relation to you under any other agreement between us;

then we may exercise our rights under clause 20.2 of this Agreement.

18.2 Upon occurrence of an Event of Default we may by notice specify a date for the termination of any outstanding Transactions entered into between us except that the occurrence of an Event of Default under subparagraphs (b) to (d) or (h) of clause 20.1 shall result in the automatic termination of any outstanding Transaction. Neither of us shall be obliged to make any further payments or deliveries under any Transactions which would but for this clause, have fallen due for performance on or after the termination of any outstanding Transaction and such obligations shall be satisfied by the net settlement (whether by payment, set-off or otherwise) of the amounts due between us with respect to all the outstanding terminated Transactions. With respect to each outstanding terminated Transaction we shall determine its total cost, loss or gain (including, if appropriate, any loss of bargain, cost of funding or other loss or gain as a result of the termination) and any net amount for all the outstanding terminated Transactions determined by us in accordance with the foregoing due either from you to us or from us to you shall be immediately payable upon its calculation. We shall not be obliged to make any payment or delivery scheduled to be made by us under a Transaction or this Agreement for as long as an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing.

19. Manifest Errors

19.1 A “Manifest Error” means a manifest or obvious misquote by us having regard to the current market conditions at the time an Order is placed. When determining whether a situation amounts to a Manifest Error, we may take into account all information in our possession including, without limitation, information concerning all relevant market conditions and any error in, or lack of clarity of, any information source.

19.2 We will, when making a determination as to whether a situation amounts to a Manifest Error, act fairly towards you but the fact that you may have entered into, or refrained from entering into, a corresponding financial commitment, contract or Transaction in reliance on an Order placed with us (or that you have suffered or may suffer any loss of profit, consequential or indirect loss) shall not be taken into account by us in determining whether there has been a Manifest Error. We reserve the right to either

(a) amend the details of such a Transaction to reflect what we consider in our discretion, acting in good faith, to be the correct or fair terms of such Transaction absent such Manifest Error/s or

(b) if you do not promptly agree to any amendment made under (a) herein we may void from its inception any Transaction resulting from or deriving from a Manifest Error.

19.3 We shall not be liable to you for any loss, cost, claim, demand or expense you suffer (including loss of profits or any indirect or consequential losses) resulting from a Manifest Error except to the extent caused by our wilful default or negligence.

20. Termination
20.1 Unless required by Applicable Regulations either party may terminate this Agreement (and the relationship between us) with immediate effect by written notice of termination on the other without prejudice to accrued rights and remedies and the existence and enforceability of any open Transaction, which shall continue until close in accordance with this agreement. We may terminate this Agreement immediately if you fail to observe or perform any provision of this Agreement or upon an Event of Default.

20.2 Upon terminating this Agreement, all amounts payable by you to us will become immediately due and payable including (but without limitation):

(a) all outstanding fees, charges and commissions; and

(b) any dealing expenses incurred by terminating this Agreement; and

(c) any losses and expenses realised in closing out any Transactions or settling or concluding outstanding obligations incurred by us on your behalf.

20.3 Termination shall not affect then outstanding rights and obligations (in particular those in clause 21 (Exclusions and Indemnity), clause 22 (Miscellaneous) and clause 24 (Governing Law and Jurisdiction) to these Terms of Business) and Transactions which shall continue to be governed by this Agreement and the particular clauses agreed between us in relation to such Transactions until all obligations have been fully performed.

**Indemnities and Limitation of Liability**

21. **Exclusions, Limitations and Indemnity**

21.1 In this clause, reference to "we" or "us" shall mean N+1 Singer and each clause shall be interpreted accordingly.

21.2 Nothing in this Agreement shall exclude or restrict any duty or liability owed by us to you under the Act or the FCA Rules (as may be amended or replaced from time to time).

21.3 **General exclusion:** Except as set out in 21.2 above neither we nor our directors, officers, employees, or agents shall be liable for any losses, damages, costs or expenses, whether arising out of negligence, breach of contract, misrepresentation or otherwise, incurred or suffered by you under this Agreement (including any Transaction or where we have declined to enter into a proposed Transaction) unless such loss is a reasonably foreseeable consequence or arises directly from our or their respective negligence, wilful default or fraud. In no circumstance shall our liability include losses suffered by you or any third party for any special damage, or loss of profits or loss of goodwill or reputation or loss of business opportunity arising under or in connection with this Agreement, whether arising out of negligence, breach of contract, misrepresentation or otherwise. Nothing in this Agreement will limit our liability for death or personal injury resulting from our negligence.

21.4 **Tax implications:** Without limitation, we do not accept liability for any adverse tax implications of any Transaction whatsoever.

21.5 **Changes in the market:** Without limitation, we do not accept any liability by reason of any delay or change in market conditions before any particular Transaction is effected.

21.6 **Force majeure:** We may in our reasonable opinion determine that an emergency or exceptional market condition exists (a "Force Majeure Event").

21.7 In this Agreement "Force Majeure" shall mean any cause preventing either party from performing any or all of its obligations which arise from or are attributable to acts, events or omissions or accidents beyond the reasonable control of the party so prevented. Force Majeure shall include but without limitation:

(a) any breakdown, malfunction or failure of transmission, act of God, war, terrorism, malicious damage, civil commotion, communication or computer facilities, industrial action, acts and regulations of any governmental or supra national bodies or authorities which in our opinion prevents an orderly Market in one or more of the Financial Instruments in respect of which we ordinarily accept Orders;
22. Miscellaneous

22.1 Amendments: We may amend this agreement by not less than 10 Business Days written notice to you, except where it is impracticable in the circumstances. Such amendment will become effective on the date specified in the notice. Any other amendment must be agreed in writing between us. Unless otherwise agreed, an amendment will not affect any outstanding Order or Transaction or any legal rights or obligations which may already have arisen. If you do not wish to accept any amendment made by us to these Terms of Business you may by notice to us close your Account in accordance with this Agreement.

22.2 Notices: Unless otherwise agreed, all notices, instructions and other communications to be given by us to you under this Agreement may be verbal or in writing and shall be given to your last known home address, place of work, telephone number (including a telephone answering machine), fax number, e-mail address or other contact details. All notices, instructions and other communications to be given to Singer Capital Markets Limited by you under this Agreement should be sent to the Compliance Department.

22.3 Any notice, instruction or other communication shall be deemed to have been duly given when received or given as follows, whichever is the earlier:

(a) when left at your last known home or work address;

(b) if given by leaving a telephone answering machine message or voice mail message, one hour after the message being left on the relevant medium;

(c) if sent by first class post, in the ordinary course of the post and in any event on the next day (or third in the case of air mail) after posting (excluding Sundays and public holidays);

(d) if sent by e-mail, one hour after sending, provided no “not sent” or “not received” message is received from the relevant e-mail provider/s.

21.8 If we are prevented from performing any of our obligations under this Agreement by a Force Majeure Event, we shall serve notice in writing on the other party specifying the nature and extent of the circumstances. There will be no obligation to perform any of our obligations under this Agreement on the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event or while a Force Majeure Event is continuing. We shall use all reasonable endeavours to bring the Force Majeure Event to a close or to find a solution by which the Agreement may be performed despite the continuance of a Force Majeure circumstance and/or we shall take all reasonable steps to resume performance as soon as is reasonably possible following the cessation of a Force Majeure Event. In any event we shall not be liable to you for any delayed, partial or non-performance of our obligations hereunder by reason of a Force Majeure Event.

21.9 Indemnity: You shall pay to us such sums as we may from time to time require in or towards satisfaction of any debit balance on any of your Accounts with us and, on a full indemnity basis, any losses, liabilities, costs or expenses (including legal fees), taxes, impost, and levies which we may incur or be subjected to with respect to any of your Accounts or any Transaction or any matching Transaction on a Market or with an intermediate broker or as a result of any misrepresentation by you or any material violation by you of your obligations under this Agreement (including any Transaction) or by the enforcement of our rights.

21.10 Claims from your customers: To the extent you have entered Orders for the account of your customers, you shall on demand indemnify, protect and hold us harmless from and against all losses, liabilities, judgements, suits, actions, proceedings, claims, damages and costs resulting from or arising out of claims raised by your customers. This clause shall not be affected by the termination of this Agreement.
(e) Each notice, instruction or other communication to you (except confirmations of trade, statements of account, and margin calls) shall be conclusive unless written notice of objection is received by us within five Business Days of the date on which such document was deemed to have been received.

22.4 You will notify us in writing of any change of your address or other contact details in accordance with this clause.

22.5 Assignment: This Agreement shall be for the benefit of and binding upon us both and our respective successors and assigns. No assignment of this Agreement or any rights hereunder shall relieve you of any of your obligations or liabilities hereunder. Neither of us shall assign, charge or otherwise transfer or purport to assign, charge or otherwise transfer rights or obligations under this Agreement or any interest in this Agreement, without the other party’s prior written consent, and any purported assignment, charge or transfer in violation of this clause shall be void. You hereby instruct us as the case may be that upon any such assignment any monies held as Client Money be transferred to the Assignee to be held as Client Money on your behalf.

22.6 Disclosures: In order to comply with its obligations under the Companies Act 1985 & 2006, the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000, the FCA Handbook, the United Kingdom Listing Authority’s Listing Rules, the City Code on Takeovers and Mergers, and any other Applicable Regulations (together the “Legislation”) we may be required to make certain disclosures relating to your Transactions, which may or may not include disclosing your identity. In addition to complying with its obligations under the Legislation, we may comply with any request for information regarding any Transaction from the Takeover Panel, the FCA or any other relevant regulatory or governmental authority. You agree that such compliance does not cause us to breach any obligation of confidentiality which we owe to you pursuant to this Agreement.

22.7 Time of essence: Time shall be of the essence in respect of all obligations of yours under this Agreement (including any Transaction).

22.8 Rights and remedies: The rights and remedies provided under this Agreement are cumulative and not exclusive of those provided by law. We shall be under no obligation to exercise any right or remedy either at all or in a manner or at a time beneficial to you. No failure by us to exercise or delay by us in exercising any of our rights under this Agreement (including any Transaction) or otherwise shall operate as a waiver of those or any other rights or remedies. No single or partial exercise of a right or remedy shall prevent further exercise of that right or remedy or the exercise of another right or remedy.

22.9 Set-off: Without prejudice to any other rights to which we may be entitled we may at any time and without notice to you set off any amount (whether actual or contingent, present or future) at any time owing between you and us.

22.10 Partial invalidity: If, at any time, any provision of this Agreement is or becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any respect under the law of any jurisdiction, neither the legality, validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Agreement nor the legality, validity or enforceability of such provision under the law of any other jurisdiction shall in any way be affected or impaired.

22.11 Waiver: We are entitled to waive or relax any of this Agreement from time to time without notice to you:

(a) no failure or delay in exercising or relaxation by us of this Agreement shall operate as a general waiver of the relevant term, condition, right or power and no partial or single exercise of any term, condition, right or power shall preclude any other or further exercise of some or any of our other rights and remedies against you. In particular, and without limitation, where this Agreement specifies certain limits or parameters to your trading activities, we shall be entitled from time to time and with or without notice to you to allow you to breach such limits or parameters.

(b) the Terms of Business set out herein (and in any other document incorporated by reference) shall constitute the entire Agreement in relation to the subject matter hereof between the parties save as otherwise expressly agreed in writing.

22.12 Disclosure and Recording of calls: As required by Applicable Regulations we shall record all telephone conversations with you regarding Transaction, Order or otherwise (and in some cases
without use of a warning tone). Such records will be our sole property and accepted by you as conclusive evidence of the Orders, instructions given. You agree that we may deliver copies of transcripts of such recordings to any court or regulatory authority.

22.13 **Electronic communications:** Subject to Applicable Regulations, any communications between us using electronic signatures shall be binding as if it were in writing. By execution of this Agreement you give your consent to the receipt of communications by electronic means which but for your consent must be made using a durable medium under Applicable Regulations. Orders or instructions given to you by electronic means will constitute evidence of the Orders or instructions given.

22.14 **Our records:** Our records, unless shown to be wrong, will be evidence of your dealings with us in connection with our services. You will not object to the admission of our records as evidence in any legal proceedings because such records are not originals, are not in writing or are documents produced by a computer. You will not rely on us to comply with your record keeping obligations, although records may be made available to you on request at our absolute discretion.

22.15 **Your records:** You agree to keep adequate records in accordance with Applicable Regulations to demonstrate the nature of Orders submitted and the time at which such Orders are submitted.

22.16 **Third party rights:** Save in respect of N+1 Singer, who may enforce the terms of this Agreement the parties to this Agreement do not intend that any provision of this Agreement should be enforceable by virtue of the Contract (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 by any person who is not a party to this Agreement.

22.17 **Co-operation for proceedings:** If any action or proceeding is brought by or against us in relation to this Agreement or arising out of any act or omission by us required or permitted under this Agreement, you agree to co-operate with us to the fullest extent possible in the defence or prosecution of such action or proceeding.

22.18 **Investor protection schemes:** We are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme. You may be entitled to compensation from the scheme if we cannot meet our obligations. This depends on the type of business and the circumstances of the claim. Most types of investment business are covered for 100% of the first £30,000 and 90% of the next £20,000, so the maximum compensation is £48,000. Further information about compensation arrangements is available from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme.

22.19 **Complaints procedure:** You must notify us of any dispute or complaint with all relevant details as soon as reasonably practicable. We have internal procedures for handling customer complaints fairly and promptly. You may submit a complaint to us, for example by letter, telephone, e-mail (tocompliance@n1singer.com), or in person. We will send you a written acknowledgement of your complaint within five days of receipt enclosing details of our complaints procedure. Please contact us if you would like further details regarding our complaints procedures.

22.20 **Information and Intellectual Property:** You acknowledge and agree:

(a) all copyrights, trademarks and all other intellectual property or other rights thereto in any information distributed to or received by you whether sent by or on behalf of us by any means whatsoever (including but not limited to internet or pager), together with any advertising media, website or other material connected to our services hereunder and in any databases that contain or constitute the information, shall remain our sole and exclusive property;

(b) you shall not permit or facilitate, and shall take steps to prevent any sale, re-distribution, dissemination, re-publication or re-display of the information referred to in sub-clause (a) above however received to any third party.

23. **Data Protection and Disclosure of Information**

23.1 By opening an account, you acknowledge that you will be providing N+1 Singer and the Settlement Agent ("we/us" for the purposes of this clause only) with personal data, possibly including sensitive data, (as those terms are defined in the General Data Protection Regulation (EU 2016/679), the "GDPR") in relation to you. Terms defined in the GDPR shall have the same meaning in this clause.

23.2 We confirm that we will comply with all applicable requirements of the GDPR and any successor
legislation to the GDPR, in particular the Data Protection Act 2018 (collectively, the “Data Protection Legislation”).

23.3 This clause is in addition to, and does not relieve, remove or replace, our obligations under the Data Protection Legislation.

23.4 You consent to the processing of your personal data by us for the purposes of performing our obligations under this Agreement and administering the relationship between you and us (the “Permitted Purpose”).

23.5 We shall be entitled to disclose information concerning you or your account (including without limitation information concerning late payment) to, the FCA or any other regulator of our respective businesses, any regulator of your business or, (if applicable) to your employer (including the employer’s Compliance Officer) if it is authorised or exempt under the Data Protection Legislation, or to any other person we accept as seeking a reference or credit reference in good faith. Aside from the forgoing no personal data you provide to us will be disclosed to, or accessed by, persons other than our employees and third party advisors.

23.6 When handling any personal data provided by you we shall comply with all the obligations imposed on a data controller under the Data Protection Legislation to the extent applicable. If you are a data controller then you shall ensure that, with regards to any personal data you provide to us, you have all necessary consents and notices in place to enable the lawful transfer of that personal data to us for the Permitted Purpose.

23.7 Any personal data you provide may be used, pursuant to the Permitted Purpose, from time to time by us to provide you with invitations to events, relevant research or marketing information and other information relating to services provided pursuant to this Agreement.

23.8 We shall not transfer any personal data outside of the European Economic Area unless the transferee:

(a) complies with the provisions of Article 26 of the GDPR (in the event the third party is a joint controller); and

(b) ensures that (i) the transfer is to a country approved by the European Commission as providing adequate protection pursuant to Article 45 of the GDPR; (ii) there are appropriate safeguards in place pursuant to Article 46 of the GDPR; or (iii) one of the derogations for specific situations in Article 49 of the GDPR applies to the transfer.

24. Governing Law and Jurisdiction

24.1 Governing law: A Transaction which is subject to the Rules of a Market shall be governed by the law applicable to it under those Rules. Subject thereto, this Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law.

24.2 Jurisdiction: Each of the parties irrevocably:

(a) agrees for our benefit that the courts of England shall have jurisdiction to settle any suit, action or other proceedings relating to this Agreement (“Proceedings”) and irrevocably submits to the jurisdiction of such courts (provided that this shall not prevent us from bringing an action in the courts of any other jurisdiction); and

(b) waives any objection which it may have at any time to the laying of venue of any Proceedings brought in any such court and agrees not to claim that such Proceedings have been brought in an inconvenient forum or that such court does not have jurisdiction over it.

24.3 Waiver of immunity: Each of the parties irrevocably waives to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, with respect to itself and its revenues and assets (irrespective of their use or intended use) all immunity on the grounds of sovereignty or other similar grounds from:

(a) suit;

(b) jurisdiction of any court;
(c) relief by way of injunction, order for specific performance or for recovery of property;

(d) attachment of its assets (whether before or after judgement);

(e) execution or enforcement of any judgement to which it or its revenues or assets might otherwise be entitled in any Proceedings in the courts of any jurisdiction;

and irrevocably agrees, to the extent permitted by applicable law, that it will not claim any such immunity in any Proceedings.
SCHEDULE 1 - AGENCY SCHEDULE

1. Application and Scope

1.1 Scope of these terms: These terms set out the basis on which we will provide the services referred to in the Agreement to you where you are acting as agent for a third party ("Counterparty") which is a Counterparty agreed to in writing by us from time to time on behalf of which you are to enter as agent into Transactions with us; and where a Counterparty does not constitute a single legal person, means the trustees, individuals or other persons who are the primary representatives of the organisation, trust or fund on whose behalf they are dealing. Where you are acting for your own account the supplemental terms set out in this Schedule shall not apply.

1.2 Notification: You will notify us before placing any Order on behalf of a Counterparty that you are acting as agent for that Counterparty and inform us of the identity, address and any other details which we require in respect of each Counterparty to enable us to form a credit and counterparty risk assessment in respect of any Transaction.

1.3 Instructions: You may give us oral and written instructions and Orders. We shall not accept nor act upon any instructions received by anyone other than persons whom we reasonably believe to be duly authorised by you ("Authorised Persons"). If we refuse to act on any instruction or Order, we shall notify you as soon as practicable of our refusal. You agree not to give us instructions on behalf of Counterparties which are on the US Department of Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) list of specially designated nationals and blocked persons and that instructions that you give to us will not, when executed, cause us to breach the OFAC sanctions programme.

1.4 Capacity: Whenever you place business with us on behalf of your Clients, you do so as agent on their behalf. You represent to us that you have the authority to bind such Clients when you give us instructions. In addition, you will be jointly and severely liable with the relevant Client until you inform us of their identity. When you have informed us of their identity, you will act reasonably to co-operate with us if we need to take any steps to enforce our rights against them. However, we will treat only you, and not any of your Clients, as our client for regulatory purposes.

1.5 Nature of Counterparties: You represent, warrant and undertake on your own behalf and as agent for the Counterparties that no Counterparty will be a state or a separate entity within the meaning of the State Immunity Act 1978 and that a Counterparty shall, at the time an instruction is given in respect of it, have the characteristics and conform to any criteria agreed between us from time to time.

1.6 Counterparty accounts: We shall, in respect of each Counterparty, establish and maintain one or more separate sub-accounts (each a "Counterparty Account"). You undertake, as agent for the relevant Counterparty and on your own behalf, in respect of each instruction given, to specify within two hours of giving an instruction (or such other time as we may reasonably specify) the Counterparty Account to which the relevant instruction relates. Until you specify a specific Counterparty Account you shall be personally liable, as principal, in respect of the relevant Transaction. You further undertake, as agent for each Counterparty and on your own behalf, to notify us immediately if any two or more Counterparty Accounts relate to the same Counterparty. For the avoidance of doubt the assets of a Counterparty Account belong exclusively to that Counterparty Account and shall not be used to discharge directly or indirectly the liabilities of, or claims against, any other person or body, including you, or any other Counterparty Account, and shall not be available for any such purpose.
1.7 **Separate administration:** We shall, subject to these terms, administer Counterparty Accounts which we reasonably believe relate to different Counterparties separately. We shall not exercise any power to consolidate accounts or set off amounts owing between Counterparty Accounts relating to different Counterparties.

1.8 **Documentation:** You agree to forward to a Counterparty any documentation in relation to such Counterparty that we are required to provide under the FCA Rules and which we make available to you for that purpose.

2. **Advice**

2.1 **Limitations:** You, as agent for the Counterparties and on your own behalf, retain full responsibility for making all investment decisions with respect to any Counterparty. We will not be responsible for judging the merits or suitability of any Transaction to be entered into on behalf of a Counterparty. Unless otherwise required under Applicable Regulations, we shall have no responsibility for your or any Counterparty’s compliance with any laws or Rules governing or affecting your conduct or that of any Counterparty, or for your or any Counterparty’s compliance with any laws or rules governing or affecting Transactions.

3. **Representations, Warranties and Covenants**

3.1 **Representations and warranties:** As agent for each Counterparty and on your own behalf, you represent and warrant to us as of the date these terms come into effect and as of the date of each Transaction that:-

(a) you and the Counterparty each have all necessary authority, powers, consents, licences and authorisations and have taken all necessary action to enable you lawfully to enter into and perform these terms, the Agreement and each Transaction;

(b) the person(s) entering into these terms, the Agreement and each Transaction have been duly authorised to do so;

(c) these terms, the Agreement, each Transaction and the obligations created under each of them are binding upon, and are enforceable against, you and/or the Counterparty (as applicable) in accordance with their terms (subject to applicable principles of equity) and do not and will not violate the terms of any regulation, order, charge or agreement by which you or the Counterparty is bound;

(d) no Event of Default or Potential Event of Default has occurred and is continuing with respect to you or the Counterparty;

(e) each of you and the Counterparty is permitted under its constitution and any applicable law or regulation and is financially able to sustain any loss which may result from Transactions, and that entering into Transactions is a suitable investment vehicle for the Counterparty;

(f) the relevant Counterparty owns, with full title guarantee, all investments, or collateral deposited with, transferred to us or charged in our favour, by you acting as agent for the Counterparty and such investments, or collateral are free from any prior mortgage, charge, lien or other encumbrance whatsoever and neither you acting as agent for the relevant Counterparty, nor the Counterparty itself, will further pledge or charge such investments, or collateral or grant any lien over them while it is pledged or charged to us except with our prior written consent; and
4. Anti-Money Laundering

4.1 Anti-money laundering: You represent, warrant and undertake that you are now and will be at all material times in the future in compliance with all Applicable Regulations concerning money-laundering. We are required to follow the Applicable Regulations concerning money-laundering relating to the identification of the Counterparty unless either of the following sub-terms apply, and if satisfactory evidence of identity has not been obtained by us within a reasonable time period, we reserve the right to cease to deal with you.

4.2 If you are a regulated credit or financial institution in the UK or EU, we shall deal with you on the understanding that you are complying with EU regulations concerning money-laundering and that evidence of the identification of any Counterparty will have been obtained and recorded under procedures maintained by you.

4.3 If you are a regulated credit or financial institution based or incorporated in Jersey, Guernsey, the Isle of Man or a non-EU country which is a member of the Financial Action Task Force, and you are or will be dealing as agent on behalf of any Counterparty, we require your written assurance that evidence of the identification of any Counterparty for whom you act as agent will have been obtained and recorded under procedures maintained by you in accordance with local regulations concerning money-laundering. If you are unable to provide us with such written assurance, we reserve the right to cease to deal with you.

4.4 In other circumstances, we are required to follow the Money Laundering requirements relating to the identification of our customers, or the underlying principal(s) where a customer acts as agent. If satisfactory evidence of identity has

(g) any information which you provide or have provided to us in respect of your or the Counterparty’s financial position, domicile, or other matters is accurate and not misleading in any material respect.

3.2 Covenants: You, as agent for each Counterparty and on your own behalf, covenant to us that you will:

(a) ensure at all times that you and the Counterparty obtain and comply with the terms of and do all that is necessary to maintain in full force and effect all authority, powers, consents, licences and authorisations referred to above;

(b) promptly notify us of the occurrence of any Event of Default or Potential Event of Default with respect to yourself or the Counterparty.

(c) provide to us on request such information regarding your and the Counterparty’s financial or business affairs as we may reasonably require to evidence the authority, powers, consents, licenses and authorisations referred to above or to comply with any Applicable Regulations;

(d) provide to us on request copies of the relevant sections of the Counterparty’s constitutive documents relating to its capacity to enter into Transactions and appoint an agent to act on its behalf and that any such extract will, to the best of your knowledge, be true and accurate in all material respects and you will not omit or withhold any information which would render the information so supplied to be false or inaccurate in any material respect; and

3.3 either: (i) execute as agent for the Counterparty where you are duly authorised to do so, or, in each other case: (ii) procure that the Counterparty executes, as applicable, on our request all such transfers, powers of attorney and other documents as we may require to vest any assets or otherwise grant any security interest.
not been obtained by us within a reasonable time period, we reserve the right to cease to deal with you.

5. **Discharge**

5.1 *Discharge*: Where under any term any payment or other performance (including the delivery of Securities or any other property) is due from us, it shall be a discharge of our obligation to make such payment or performance to you notwithstanding that any Counterparty shall be interested (whether beneficially or otherwise) in such payment or performance.

6. **Netting**

6.1 *Events of Default*: References to “Party” in the netting provisions of the Agreement shall be deemed to be references to you acting on your own behalf and to each Counterparty. If any Event of Default occurs in respect of you or a Counterparty we shall be entitled to exercise our rights under the netting provisions of this Agreement in accordance with the following sentences of this term and the expression “Defaulting Party” shall be construed accordingly. In respect of an Event of Default which occurs in respect of you (as opposed to any Counterparty), our rights under the netting provisions of the Agreement shall apply separately in respect of each Counterparty Account. If an Event of Default occurs in respect of a Counterparty, our rights under the netting provisions of the Agreement shall be limited to the relevant Counterparty Account(s).

7. **Indemnity**

7.1 *Indemnification*: Notwithstanding that you may act as agent you undertake as principal to indemnify us in respect of any liabilities, costs, damages and losses incurred in relation to any Transaction effected by you as agent on behalf of any Counterparty.
SCHEDULE 2 - ELECTIVE PROFESSIONAL CLIENT – WARNING ON LOSS OF PROTECTIONS

[ONLY APPLICABLE TO THOSE CLIENTS WHO FALL WITHIN CLAUSE 3.4 OF THE TERMS OF BUSINESS]

1. This notification is given to you in accordance with FCA rules in particular the Conduct of Business Rules.

2. You have been classified by us as a Retail Client. However, you have the right to request a reclassification as an Elective Professional Client in accordance with COBS 3.3.1 R (2).

3. If you wish to request for reclassification, in order to be eligible you must satisfy both the "quantitative test" and the "qualitative test".

4. The “quantitative test” requires that you meet at least two of the following criteria:

   (a) You have carried out Transactions, in significant size, on the relevant Market at an average frequency of 10 per quarter over the previous four quarters;

   (b) The size of your financial instrument portfolio, defined as including cash deposits and financial instruments, exceeds EUR 500,000;

   (c) You work or have worked in the financial sector for at least one year in a professional position, which requires knowledge of the Transactions or services envisaged.

5. The “qualitative test” requires N+1 Singer to undertake adequate assessment of the expertise, experience and knowledge of you our Client that gives us reasonable assurance, in the light of the nature of the transactions or services envisaged, that you are capable of making investment decisions and understanding the risks involved.

Loss of Protections

6. As a consequence of reclassification as an Elective Professional Client, you will lose the following protections afforded to Retail Clients (apart from those which are also provided to Elective Professional Clients) under FCA rules:

   (a) Direct offer financial promotions - we will not be obliged to comply with COBS Rules relating to restrictions on and the required contents of direct offer financial promotions. We do not need to provide you in a direct offer financial promotion, with sufficient information for you to make an informed assessment of the investment to which it relates.

   (b) Understanding of risk - we will not be required to provide you with the written risk warnings and notice required for Retail Clients in relation to Transactions in complex financial instruments, in particular derivatives and warrants, and stock lending. Furthermore, N+1 Singer will not be required to provide to you suitability reports in respect of the investments, products, transactions and services which it would normally have to have done to you as a Retail Client.

   (c) Disclosure of charges, remuneration and commission - we will not be required to disclose in writing before conducting any designated business on your behalf the basis or amount of their charges for conducting that business, or the amount of remuneration or commission or other income payable to N+1 Singer for conducting the regulated business.

   (d) Financial Ombudsman Service - Access to the Financial Ombudsman will not be extended to you as an Elective Professional Client.

7. Your attention is also drawn to the following rules, which are limited in their application to Elective Professional Clients with the following possible consequences for Clients:

   (a) Financial promotion - Certain COBS Rules relating to the form, content and checking and otherwise concerning financial promotions generally will not apply.
(b) Appropriateness - we may have regard to your expertise as an Elective Professional Client when complying with the requirements that Transactions are appropriate.

(c) Confirmation of transactions to customers - The COBS Rules relating to the confirmation of Transactions will apply in a modified form. Provisions regarding extra reporting requirements for dealings with Retail customers and provision of hard copies of confirmations not accessed electronically will not apply.

(d) Communication - we may have regard to your expertise as an Elective Professional customer when complying with the requirements under the regulatory system that communications be clear, fair and not misleading. Additionally, we may have regard to your expertise as an Elective Professional Client when complying with the requirements to provide you with a general description of the nature and risks of particular Transactions. If you have any queries on this warning or require any further information, you should contact our Compliance Officer.
SCHEDULE 3 – Custody Terms

These terms supplement and form part of the N+1 Singer’s Terms of Business and contain information about the terms and conditions that apply where we hold a custody account for you with N+1 Singer (the “Custody Terms”).

Definitions
Capitalised terms used in these Custody Terms shall have the same meaning as set out in the N+1 Singer Terms of Business unless otherwise specified.

Authority
You hereby provide N+1 Singer with authority to hold your investments in safe custody and to transfer securities from your account when you have sold them.

Administration
All instructions regarding the administration of your account(s) held with N+1 Singer, or concerning your personal details such as change of name, address or any other material changes should be made in writing to N+1 Singer. N+1 Singer does not accept instructions from third parties unless a valid power of attorney has been established for this purpose. We shall communicate with you regarding your account and your investments held with us (including communications regarding corporate events where applicable) by email to the email address provided to us on your account application form. Should you wish for us to communicate with you in another format, please send your request in writing to Nplus1 Singer Capital Markets Limited, One Bartholomew Lane, London EC2N 2AX marked for the attention of the Head of Operations. Where we ask you to respond to a communication within a certain time frame we shall not be responsible for the consequences of our acts or omissions that result from your failure to respond in a timely manner.

Safekeeping and registration
Legal title to safe custody investments in registered form will normally be registered or recorded in your name or that of an appropriate nominee in accordance with the rules of the Financial Conduct Authority (“FCA”). Should you instruct us to register title to your safe custody assets in the name of a person nominated by you, this will be at your own risk.

We may register legal title to your safe custody investments in the name of a custodian where due to the nature of the applicable law or market practice in certain jurisdictions outside the United Kingdom, we believe that either:

• it is in your best interests for your safe custody investments to be registered or recorded in the name of a custodian; or
• it is not feasible to do otherwise because of the nature of the applicable law or market practice.

In such cases, your investments may be registered in the name of the custodian and the safe custody investments may not be segregated and separately identifiable from the designated investments of the custodian.

We may hold physical possession of safe custody investments in accordance with your specific written instructions. Please note that the consequences of so holding will, unless we have otherwise agreed, be at your own risk.

Pooling
N+1 Singer may pool your safe custody investments with those of one or more of its other customers. This means that:

• individual entitlements may not be identifiable by separate certificates, either physical documents or equivalent electronic records; and
• in the event of N+1 Singer’s default and any irreconcilable shortfall, you may not receive your full entitlement and may be required to share in that shortfall pro-rata.

Use of overseas custodians
The Custodian may, where it considers it appropriate, arrange for your safe custody investments to be held overseas, which may also be outside the EEA. There may be different settlement, legal and regulatory requirements in overseas jurisdictions from those applying in the UK together with different practices for the separate identification of your investments.

Corporate events
N+1 Singer will use reasonable efforts to claim dividends and interest payments on your safe custody investments but will not have any duty to take steps to recover any amounts due in respect of defaults of the issuer or its registrar, paying agent or other agent.
In the event that your investments are subject to any corporate actions including but not limited to rights issues, conversion or subscription rights, takeovers or other offers or capital changes and the exercise of voting rights, we shall notify you promptly by email (if the deadline permits) to your specified email address. We shall act in accordance with your instructions if you have made these known to us in writing (by email to ops@n1singer.com and within the specified time period). Under no circumstances shall we advise you on what action to take.

Where corporate events (such as partial redemptions) affect some but not all of safe custody investments held in a pooled account, we shall allocate the investments so affected to particular customers in such fair and equitable manner as it considers appropriate.

**Shareholders’ annual general meeting**

N+1 Singer shall not notify you of annual or extraordinary general meetings or special announcements, nor send you copies of annual or interim reports and accounts. Unless otherwise specifically agreed you will not be entitled to vote at the Shareholders’ annual general meeting.

**Statements and Valuations**

N+1 Singer will send you quarterly statements detailing the investments and any cash balances held by us for your account.

We will provide you with an annual valuation statement detailing the value and composition of the portfolio at the start of the period to which it relates, as well as the value at the end of the period it covers. This will detail the number, description and value of each designated investment held; the amount of cash held; and the total value of the portfolio. Valuations will be prepared on the basis of the middle market prices prevailing at the relevant dates. If any designated investments are shown in a currency other than the usual one used for valuation of the portfolio, the relevant currency exchange rates must be shown.

Where you are ordinarily resident outside the United Kingdom, we may, at your request, arrange for custody statements to be retained by us.

**General lien and set-off**

We are entitled to hold a general lien or right of set off over your safe custody investments, in so far as there remains any outstanding amounts due from you to us or where this is otherwise required to facilitate the settlement of your trades or is required as a condition for accessing an overseas jurisdiction. We will exercise this right in such manner as we may determine.

**Warranty**

You jointly and severally warrant to us that all cash, securities or other assets of any nature transferred to or held by N+1 Singer or its nominee(s) as custodian for your account are your sole and beneficial property or are transferred to or held by N+1 Singer or its nominee(s) with the legal and beneficial owner's unconditional consent and free of such owner’s interest and, in any event, will be transferred to or held by N+1 Singer or its nominee(s) free and clear of any lien, charge or other encumbrance and undertake that you will not charge, assign or otherwise dispose of or create any interest in them.

You confirm that in the event of N+1 Singer not receiving either cash or securities when due, in respect of any transaction which is due to be settled or executed, or in the event of you or us not taking all such steps as may be necessary to secure the due and prompt execution and settlement of any such transaction, we may cancel, close out, terminate or reverse all or any contracts and sell, charge or otherwise dispose of any investment held for you, at whatever price and in whatever manner we see fit in our absolute discretion (without being responsible for any loss or diminution in price or any resultant tax consequences) and may enter into any other transaction or do, or not do, anything (including the application of client money held by us) which would or could have the effect of reducing or eliminating any liability under any transaction, position or commitment undertaken for you.

**Services not provided**

For the avoidance of doubt where N+1 Singer holds a custody account for you we will not provide the following services:
- Tax advice (including advice around any ISA or SIPP accounts)
- Proxy voting