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# ESR-REIT Successfully Prices S\$100.0 million 4.05% Fixed Rate Notes Due 2030 as Part of Capital Management Strategy, with c.2.5x Subscription

**Singapore, 21 February 2025** – ESR-REIT Management (S) Limited, the manager of ESR-REIT (the "Manager"), is pleased to announce that Perpetual (Asia) Limited (in its capacity as trustee of ESR-REIT) has successfully launched and priced S\$100.0 million of unsecured fixed rate notes due 2030 at 4.05% per annum (the "Offer") on 20 February 2025.

The Offer will be issued under the S\$750 million Multicurrency Debt Issuance Programme with proceeds going towards the refinancing or repayment of existing borrowings, financing or refinancing acquisitions, investments, developments and/or asset enhancement works; and financing of general working capital and capital expenditure requirements. Notably, gearing of ESR-REIT will remain unchanged pre- and post-transaction. The Offer was c.2.5x subscribed and underpinned by strong demand from institutional investors, where c.75% of the Offer was placed to institutional investors.

Mr. Adrian Chui, Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director of the Manager, said, "We are appreciative of the strong investor support for this bond issuance, which underscores confidence in ESR-REIT's capital management strategy, strategic direction, and long-term vision. The oversubscription is a testament to our disciplined approach to capital management and growth. This Offer is a key part of our capital management framework to tap into alternative pools of capital when market conditions are conducive. By seizing the window of opportunity presented by stabilising interest rates, we have reinforced our balance sheet, positioning ESR-REIT for sustainable, long-term growth."

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As at 31 December 2024, ESR-REIT holds interests in a diversified portfolio of logistics properties, high-specifications industrial properties, business parks and general industrial properties with total assets of approximately S\$6.0 billion. Its portfolio comprises 72 properties (excluding 48 Pandan Road held through a joint venture) located across the developed markets of Singapore (52 assets), Australia (18 assets) and Japan (2 assets), with a total gross floor area of approximately 2.5 million sqm, as well as investments in three property funds in Australia. ESR-REIT is also a constituent of the FTSE EPRA Nareit Global Real Estate Index.

ESR-REIT is managed by ESR-REIT Management (S) Limited (the "Manager") and sponsored by ESR Group Limited ("ESR"). The Manager is owned by ESR (99.0%) and Shanghai Summit Pte. Ltd. (1.0%), respectively.

For further information on ESR-REIT, please visit www.esr-reit.com.sg.

## **About the Sponsor, ESR Group**

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