

# **HCFT: Availability of LMPs firm offer RNS for SHED**

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#### RECOMMENDED ALL-SHARE ACQUISITION

of

# HIGHCROFT INVESTMENTS PLC

("Highcroft")

by

# LONDONMETRIC PROPERTY PLC

("LondonMetric")

to be effected by means of a Court-sanctioned scheme of arrangement under Part 26 of the Companies Act 2006 (the "Companies Act") (the "Acquisition")

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# LondonMetric announcement of a firm offer for Urban Logistics REIT plc ("Urban Logistics")

Highcroft refers to the information relating to a possible offer for Urban Logistics by LondonMetric disclosed at paragraph 10 of the Letter from the Chair of Highcroft set out in Part 1 of the scheme document published on 24 April 2025 (the "Scheme Document"). By way of update and to ensure that Highcroft Shareholders are appraised of progress on that transaction, Highcroft notes the announcement this morning by LondonMetric of a firm recommended cash and share offer by LondonMetric for Urban Logistics (the "Urban Logistics Offer Announcement"). A copy of the Urban Logistics Offer Announcement has been made available to Highcroft Shareholders on Highcroft's website at <a href="https://highcroftplc.com/recommended-offer/disclaimer-march-2025-files/">https://highcroftplc.com/recommended-offer/disclaimer-march-2025-files/</a> and on LondonMetric's website at <a href="https://www.londonmetric.com/investors/acquisition-highcroft">https://www.londonmetric.com/investors/acquisition-highcroft</a>.

For the avoidance of doubt and as noted in the Scheme Document, the proposed acquisition of Urban Logistics is not subject to, or interconditional with, the Acquisition (and *vice versa*).

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