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**15 October 2021**

Dear Shareholder,

## **Schroder International Selection Fund (the "Company") – Global High Yield (the "Fund")**

### **Changes to the distribution policy of certain share classes (the "Share Classes")**

We are writing to inform you that following a recent review, we have decided to change the distribution policy for some of the Share Classes of the Fund. The affected Share Classes are listed in the appendix of this letter. The distribution frequency of the Share Classes will not change.

This change will come into effect for the distribution due to be paid on 30 November 2021 (the "Effective Date") in accordance with the number of shares held by shareholders on the record date for November 2021 distributions (i.e. 17 November 2021), and will apply to all distributions going forward.

### **Background and rationale**

We periodically review the distribution Share Classes and reserve the right to make changes. For example if the investment income after expenses is higher than the target distribution, we may declare the higher amount to be distributed. Equally, we may deem it is appropriate to declare a dividend lower than the target distribution.

To allow for a higher distribution payment to investors, we will increase the distribution rate of the Share Classes, as listed in the appendix of this letter, with effect from the Effective Date.

If the returns generated by the Fund are not sufficient to cover the distribution payment, the distribution may be made from the capital of the Fund. Payment of distribution out of capital amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of your original investment or from any capital gains attributable to your original investment. This would mean that the value of your investment would decrease and may result in an immediate reduction of the net asset value per share of the Share Classes. This is known as 'distribution risk' and this risk is higher for share classes that have a higher distribution rate. Please refer to the "Risks relating to distribution" and the section "Distributions" in the Hong Kong Covering Document for the relevant risks.

Meeting the distribution payments for higher paying share classes may result in a substantial amount of your capital being returned to you. This may cause the net asset value of the Share Classes to drop below the minimum share class size. In this scenario, the Company can decide to close the Share Classes.

The Share Class fees will remain unchanged and the costs of making these changes including regulatory and shareholder communication costs will be borne by Schroder Investment Management (Europe) S.A. which is the Company's management company.

The information on the dividend compositions of the Share Classes will continue to be available from Schroder Investment Management (Hong Kong) Limited, i.e. the Hong Kong Representative of the Company, on request and on the Schroders' Internet site ([www.schroders.com.hk](http://www.schroders.com.hk)<sup>1</sup>).

The Hong Kong offering documents of the Company will be revised to reflect the relevant changes and will be available free of charge at [www.schroders.com.hk](http://www.schroders.com.hk)<sup>2</sup> or upon request from the Hong Kong Representative.

### **Redeeming or switching your shares to another Schroders fund or share classes of the Fund**

We hope that you will choose to remain invested in the Fund following these changes, but if you do wish to redeem your holding in the Fund or to switch into another of the Company's sub-funds authorized by the Securities and Futures Commission ("SFC")<sup>3</sup> or other share classes of the Fund before the changes become effective, you may do so at any time up to and including the dealing cut-off at 5:00 p.m. Hong Kong time on **17 November 2021**. Please ensure that your redemption or switch instruction reaches the Hong Kong Representative before this deadline. We will execute your redemption or switch instructions in accordance with the provisions of the Company's Hong Kong offering documents, free of charge, although in some countries local paying agents, correspondent banks or similar agents might charge transaction fees. Local agents might also have a local dealing cut-off which is earlier than that described above, so please check with them to ensure that your instructions reach the Hong Kong Representative before the dealing cut-off at 5:00 p.m. Hong Kong time on **17 November 2021**.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact your usual professional advisor or the Hong Kong Representative at Level 33, Two Pacific Place, 88 Queensway, Hong Kong or calling the Schroders Investor Hotline on (+852) 2869 6968.

The Board of Directors

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<sup>1</sup> This website has not been reviewed by the SFC.

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<sup>3</sup> SFC authorization is not a recommendation or endorsement of a scheme nor does it guarantee the commercial merits of a scheme or its performance. It does not mean the scheme is suitable for all investors nor is it an endorsement of its suitability for any particular investor or class of investors.

**Appendix**

Distribution Share Classes with changing distribution policy in Schroder International Selection Fund – Global High Yield

<b>Fund</b>	<b>Distribution Share class</b>	<b>Share class currency</b>	<b>Current distribution rate per annum</b>	<b>Future distribution rate per annum</b>	<b>ISIN</b>
Schroder ISF Global High Yield	A USD Dis MF	USD	6.00% paid monthly	9.00% paid monthly	LU1884791622
Schroder ISF Global High Yield	A AUD Hedged Dis MFC	AUD	6.00% paid monthly with currency carry*	9.00% paid monthly with currency carry*	LU1884791978

\* This refers to the premium or discount that may apply to the distribution. Distributions may include a premium when the interest rate of a currency hedged share class is higher than the Fund's base currency interest rate. Consequently, when the interest rate of a currency hedged share class is lower than the Fund's base currency interest rate, the dividend may be discounted. The level of premium or discount is determined by differences in interest rates and is not part of the Fund's investment objective or investment policy.