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### 20 December 2022

Dear Shareholder,

# Schroder International Selection Fund (the "Company") – changes to the distribution policy of certain share classes (the "Share Classes") of Sustainable Multi-Asset Income and Global Multi-Asset Income

We are writing to inform you that following a recent review, we have decided to change the distribution policy for the Share Classes of the following sub-funds: Sustainable Multi-Asset Income and Global Multi-Asset Income (each a "**Fund**", together, the "**Funds**"). The changes to the distribution policy for each of the affected Share Classes are listed in the appendix of this letter. The distribution frequency of the Share Classes will not change.

These changes will come into effect for the monthly distributions due to be paid on **6 February 2023** in accordance with the number of shares held by the shareholders in the relevant Share Classes on the record date **25 January 2023** 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 a higher amount to be distributed. Equally, we may deem it is appropriate to declare a dividend lower than the target distribution.

The Share Classes 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<sup>1</sup>).

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

The Hong Kong offering documents of the Company will be revised to reflect the relevant changes and will be available free of charge at <u>www.schroders.com.hk</u><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 Funds

We hope that you will choose to remain invested in the Funds following these changes, but if you do wish to redeem your holding in the Funds or to switch into another of the Company's subfunds authorized by the Securities and Futures Commission ("**SFC**")<sup>3</sup> or other share classes of the Funds 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 **20 January 2023**. 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 intermediaries 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 **20 January 2023**.

We recommend that shareholders read the Funds' latest product key facts statements for the relevant Share Classes and the Company's offering documents, which are available at www.schroders.com.hk<sup>4</sup>.

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.

Yours faithfully,

**The Board of Directors** 

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### Appendix

List of Share Classes with changing distribution policies in the Funds

### Sustainable Multi-Asset Income

Share class	Share class currency	Current distribution rate per annum	Future distribution rate per annum
A EUR Dis MF	EUR	3.50% paid monthly	4.00% paid monthly
A AUD Hedged Dis MF	AUD Hedged	4.00% paid monthly	6.00% paid monthly
A GBP Hedged Dis MF	GBP Hedged	3.50% paid monthly	4.50% paid monthly
A HKD Hedged Dis MF	HKD Hedged	4.00% paid monthly	6.00% paid monthly
A USD Hedged Dis MF	USD Hedged	4.00% paid monthly	6.00% paid monthly

### **Global Multi-Asset Income**

Share class	Share class currency	Current distribution rate per annum	Future distribution rate per annum
A USD Dis MF	USD	4.50% paid monthly	5.00% paid monthly
A1 USD Dis MF	USD	4.50% paid monthly	5.00% paid monthly
A AUD Hedged Dis MFC	AUD Hedged	4.50% paid monthly with currency carry*	5.00% paid monthly with currency carry*
A GBP Hedged Dis MF	GBP Hedged	4.00% paid monthly	4.50% paid monthly
A HKD Dis MF	НКD	4.50% paid monthly	5.00% paid monthly
A RMB Hedged Dis MF	RMB Hedged	4.50% paid monthly	5.00% paid monthly

\* 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.