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BETASHARES GEARED AUSTRALIAN EQUITY FUND (HEDGE FUND) (ASX CODE: GEAR)

DECEMBER 2017 DISTRIBUTION: ESTIMATED DISTRIBUTION COMPONENT INFORMATION

In connection with the final distribution amount for the Fund previously announced for the December 2017 distribution period, having a payment date of 17 January 2018, BetaShares Capital Ltd announces the following estimated distribution component information:

Final Distribution Amount

FUND	ASX CODE	CENTS PER UNIT
BetaShares Geared Australian Equity Fund (hedge fund)	GEAR	109.609714

Estimated Distribution Breakdown

AUSTRALIAN INCOME	
Interest	1.35%
Interest - non withholding tax	0.00%
Other Income	3.06%
Dividends - Franked	80.03%
Dividends - Unfranked	2.73%
Conduit Foreign Income	7.24%
FOREIGN INCOME	
Foreign sourced income	2.33%
CFC Income	0.00%
CAPITAL GAINS TAXABLE AUSTRALIAN PROPERTY	
Capital Gains - Discounted	0.00%
Capital Gains - Indexation Method	0.00%
Capital Gains - Other Method	0.00%
CAPITAL GAINS NON TAXABLE AUSTRALIAN PROPERTY	
Capital Gains - Discounted	0.00%
Capital Gains - Indexation Method	0.00%
Capital Gains - Other Method	0.00%
NON-ASSESSABLE AMOUNTS	
CGT Concession Amount	0.00%
Tax Exempt amount	0.00%
Tax Deferred amount	3.26%
Tax Free Income	0.00%
Non-assessable capital gains	0.00%
NET CASH DISTRIBUTION	100.00%
Estimated Non Cash Items	CENTS PER UNIT
Franking Credits	49.065872
Trans-Tasman Credits	-
Foreign Income Tax Offset	0.190393
Foreign Capital Tax Offset	-

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A tax statement, providing unitholders with final component information for tax purposes, will be issued following the end of the financial year.

Fund Payment Notice

A Fund Payment Notice for the purposes of Subdivision 12-H of Schedule 1 of the Taxation Administration Act 1953 (Cth) and other information about non-resident withholding tax components of the final distribution amount will be available at the Fund's "Resources" section at www.betashares.com.au.

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