

**PERPETUAL
EQUITY
INVESTMENT
COMPANY
LIMITED**

ACN 601 406 419



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The Manager
ASX Market Announcements
Australian Securities Exchange
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Level 4, 20 Bridge St
Sydney NSW 2000

Net Tangible Assets (NTA) backing per share for the Perpetual Equity Investment Company Limited as at 16 March 2016 were:

NET TANGIBLE ASSET BACKING PER ORDINARY SHARE ^{1, 3}	
NTA before tax ²	\$1.005
NTA after tax	\$1.009

Yours sincerely

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¹ All figures are unaudited and approximate.

² The before and after tax numbers relate to provisions for deferred tax on set-up costs and on unrealised gains and losses in the Company's investment portfolio.

³ All figures include an accounting provision for the interim dividend that was declared on 19 February 2016 and will continue to be recognised until payment date of the dividend.