

## **NZX Announcement**

24 March 2020

## Cleansing notice for underwritten shares to be issued in connection with Freightways Dividend Reinvestment Plan

Freightways Limited (NZX: FRE) advised on 24 February 2020 that it expected to have an underwriter for any shortfall in take up under its dividend reinvestment plan (**DRP**) for its FY20 interim dividend (**interim dividend**) and provided a further update to the market on 23 March 2020.

Freightways has now entered into an agreement with Craigs Investment Partners Limited (**underwriter**), under which the underwriter will subscribe or procure subscriptions for shares not taken up under the DRP at the same price as shares issued under the DRP (being \$5.37 per share). Settlement of the shortfall will occur on a T+2 basis for allotment on 27 March 2020 to minimise underwriting risk. All other shares subscribed for under the DRP will be allotted on the dividend payment date of 1 April 2020.

Pursuant to clause 20(1)(a) of Schedule 8 to the Financial Markets Conduct Regulations 2014 (**FMC Regulations**) and clause 19 of Schedule 1 of the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 (**FMCA**), Freightways states that:

- 1. Shares issued pursuant to the underwriting agreement are offered in reliance upon the exclusion in clause 19 of Schedule 1 to the FMCA, and Freightways is giving this notice under clause 20(1)(a) of Schedule 8 to the FMC Regulations.
- 2. As at the date of this notice, Freightways is in compliance with the continuous disclosure obligations, and there is no "excluded information" (being information that has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the NZX Main Board Listing Rules).
- 3. As at the date of this notice, Freightways is in compliance with its financial reporting obligations.
- 4. The issue of shares pursuant to the underwriting agreement is not expected to have any effect on the control of Freightways.

## **ENDS**

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