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## **GMT Undertaking Further Asset Sales**

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Release Immediate

Goodman (NZ) Limited, the Manager of Goodman Property Trust ("GMT" or "Trust"), is pleased to announce that GMT has entered into a conditional contract to sell three Auckland office properties for \$206 million<sup>1</sup>.

The sale to local investor and property funds manager, Oyster Management Ltd, includes the two Millennium office estates and the Yellow HQ building. The adjoining properties are located at 600-604 Great South Road in Greenlane.

John Dakin, Chief Executive Officer of Goodman (NZ) Limited, said "This sale is a continuation of an investment strategy that is focused on organic growth. With asset disposals funding the Trust's award-winning development programme we're rebalancing the portfolio with greater investment in the Auckland industrial sector."

The transaction will have a positive impact on debt levels, reducing the Trust's loan to value ratio by around 5%.

Still conditional on the purchaser's due diligence, the sale is contracted to settle on 15 December 2016.

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## **About Goodman Property Trust:**

GMT is an externally managed unit trust, listed on the NZX with a market capitalisation of around \$1.7 billion. The Manager of the Trust is a subsidiary of the ASX listed Goodman Group, Goodman Group are also the Trust's largest investor with a cornerstone unitholding of 20.7%.

GMT is New Zealand's leading industrial and business space provider. It has a substantial property portfolio, with a value in excess of \$2.3 billion, that accommodates more than 280 customers. The Trust holds an investment grade credit rating of BBB from Standard & Poor's.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The sale price of \$206 million is determined on a passing yield of 7.25%. Additional new leasing, secured before 30 September 2016, may increase the sale price.