

## Notice of Annual General Meeting

**Australian United Investment Company Limited** ABN 37 004 268 679

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of Australian United Investment Company Limited ("the Company") will be held at the offices of KPMG, 147 Collins Street, Melbourne, Victoria on Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> October 2012 at 11.00 am.

### **Business:**

#### **Financial Statements and Reports:**

1. To receive the Statement and Report of the Directors, the Report of the Auditor and the Financial Statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2012. The auditor will be available at the meeting to receive questions from shareholders about the preparation of the auditor's report and the conduct of the audit.

#### **Remuneration Report:**

2. To consider, and if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

*"That the Remuneration Report that forms part of the directors report for the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2012 be adopted."*

The Remuneration Report is set out on page 11 of the Annual Report.

Please note that the vote on this resolution is advisory only and does not bind the directors or the Company.

#### **Directors:**

3. To consider, and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

*"That **Dr P J B Rose**, a Director retiring from office by rotation in accordance with clause 62 of the Constitution, being eligible, is re-elected as a Director of the Company."*

Dr Rose's qualifications and experience are set out in the Annual Report.

Directors other than Dr Rose unanimously recommend that shareholders vote in favour of Dr Rose's re-election.

4. To consider, and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

*"That **Mr J S Craig**, a Director retiring from office by rotation in accordance with clause 62 of the Constitution, being eligible, is re-elected as a Director of the Company."*

Mr Craig's qualifications and experience are set out in the Annual Report.

Directors other than Mr Craig unanimously recommend that shareholders vote in favour of Mr Craig's re-election.

## Other Business

To deal with any other business that may be brought forward in accordance with the Constitution and the Corporations Act.

## Voting entitlements

The Company has determined, in accordance with regulation 7.11.37 of the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth), that the Company's shares quoted on ASX Limited at 7.00pm Melbourne time on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2012 are taken for the purposes of the general meeting to be held by the persons who held them at that time. Accordingly, those persons are entitled to attend and vote (if not excluded) at the meeting.

## Voting exclusion statements

A vote must not be cast (in any capacity) on Resolution 2 by or on behalf of a member of Australian United Investment Company Ltd's Key Management Personnel, details of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report ("KMP"), and their closely related parties, whether as a shareholder or as a proxy. However, a vote may be cast on Resolution 2 by a KMP, or a closely related party of a KMP, if:

- the vote is cast as a proxy;
- appointed by writing that specifies how the proxy is to vote on Resolution 2; and
- the vote is not cast on behalf of a KMP or a closely related party of a KMP.

Please note that the Chairman of the meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of all resolutions.

If the Chairman of the meeting is appointed as your proxy you are expressly authorising the Chairman of the meeting to exercise your proxy even if the resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the KMP.

## Proxies

A shareholder has the right to appoint a proxy, who need not be a shareholder of the Company. If a shareholder is entitled to cast two or more votes they may appoint two proxies and may specify the percentage of votes each proxy is appointed to exercise. The Proxy Form must be deposited at the share registry of the Company, Link Market Services Pty Limited, Locked Bag A14, Sydney South NSW 1235 or by facsimile to Link Market Services on) or 61 2 9287 0309 by 11.00am Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2012.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 2012

By order of the Board



Andrew J Hancock  
Company Secretary

# Australian United Investment Company Limited

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## LODGE YOUR VOTE



ONLINE

[www.linkmarketservices.com.au](http://www.linkmarketservices.com.au)



By mail:  
Australian United Investment Company  
C/- Link Market Services Limited  
Locked Bag A14  
Sydney South NSW 1235 Australia



By fax: +61 2 9287 0309



All enquiries to: Telephone: (02) 8280 7636



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## SHAREHOLDER VOTING FORM

I/We being a member(s) of Australian United Investment Company Limited and entitled to attend and vote hereby appoint:

### STEP 1

### APPOINT A PROXY

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the Chairman  
of the Meeting  
(mark box)

OR if you are **NOT** appointing the Chairman of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name of the person or body corporate (excluding the registered shareholder) you are appointing as your proxy. I/we appoint the Chairman of the Meeting as an alternate proxy to the person named.

If no person/body corporate is named, the Chairman of the Meeting, is appointed as my/our proxy and to vote for me/us on my/our behalf at the Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held at **11:00am on Thursday, 11 October 2012, at the offices of KPMG, 147 Collins Street, Melbourne, Victoria** and at any adjournment or postponement of the meeting. I/we expressly authorise the Chairman of the Meeting to exercise my/our proxy even if the resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the key management personnel. **The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of all items of business.**

Proxies will only be valid and accepted by the Company if they are signed and received no later than 48 hours before the meeting.

Please read the voting instructions overleaf before marking any boxes with an **X**

### STEP 2

### VOTING DIRECTIONS

#### Resolution 2

Adoption of Remuneration Report

For	Against	Abstain*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

#### Resolution 3

Re-election of Dr P J B Rose as a Director

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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#### Resolution 4

Re-election of Mr J S Craig as a Director

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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\* If you mark the Abstain box for a particular Item, you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf on a show of hands or on a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority on a poll.

### STEP 3

### SIGNATURE OF SHAREHOLDERS - THIS MUST BE COMPLETED

Shareholder 1 (Individual)

Sole Director and Sole Company Secretary

Joint Shareholder 2 (Individual)

Director/Company Secretary (Delete one)

Joint Shareholder 3 (Individual)

Director

This form should be signed by the shareholder. If a joint holding, either shareholder may sign. If signed by the shareholder's attorney, the power of attorney must have been previously noted by the registry or a certified copy attached to this form. If executed by a company, the form must be executed in accordance with the company's constitution and the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

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## HOW TO COMPLETE THIS PROXY FORM

### Your Name and Address

This is your name and address as it appears on the company's share register. If this information is incorrect, please make the correction on the form. Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes. **Please note: you cannot change ownership of your shares using this form.**

### Appointment of a Proxy

If you wish to appoint the Chairman of the Meeting as your proxy, mark the box in Step 1. If the person you wish to appoint as your proxy is someone other than the Chairman of the Meeting please write the name of that person in Step 1. If you appoint someone other than the Chairman of the Meeting as your proxy, you will also be appointing the Chairman of the Meeting as your alternate proxy to act as your proxy in the event the named proxy does not attend the meeting.

### Votes on Items of Business - Proxy Appointment

You may direct your proxy how to vote by placing a mark in one of the boxes opposite each item of business. All your shares will be voted in accordance with such a direction unless you indicate only a portion of voting rights are to be voted on any item by inserting the percentage or number of shares you wish to vote in the appropriate box or boxes. If you do not mark any of the boxes on the items of business, your proxy may vote as he or she chooses. If you mark more than one box on an item your vote on that item will be invalid.

### Appointment of a Second Proxy

You are entitled to appoint up to two persons as proxies to attend the meeting and vote on a poll. If you wish to appoint a second proxy, an additional Proxy Form may be obtained by telephoning the company's share registry or you may copy this form and return them both together. The appointment of the Chairman of the Meeting as your alternate proxy also applies to the appointment of the second proxy.

To appoint a second proxy you must:

- (a) on each of the first Proxy Form and the second Proxy Form state the percentage of your voting rights or number of shares applicable to that form. If the appointments do not specify the percentage or number of votes that each proxy may exercise, each proxy may exercise half your votes. Fractions of votes will be disregarded.
- (b) return both forms together.

### Signing Instructions

You must sign this form as follows in the spaces provided:

**Individual:** where the holding is in one name, the holder must sign.

**Joint Holding:** where the holding is in more than one name, either shareholder may sign.

**Power of Attorney:** to sign under Power of Attorney, you must lodge the Power of Attorney with the registry. If you have not previously lodged this document for notation, please attach a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

**Companies:** where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the *Corporations Act 2001*) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can also sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please indicate the office held by signing in the appropriate place.

### Corporate Representatives

If a representative of the corporation is to attend the meeting the appropriate "Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative" should be produced prior to admission in accordance with the Notice of Meeting. A form of the certificate may be obtained from the company's share registry.

## Lodgement of a Proxy Form

This Proxy Form (and any Power of Attorney under which it is signed) must be received at an address given below by **11:00am on Tuesday, 9 October 2012**, being not later than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting. Any Proxy Form received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled meeting.

Proxy Forms may be lodged using the reply paid envelope or:



**ONLINE** > [www.linkmarketservices.com.au](http://www.linkmarketservices.com.au)

Login to the Link website using the holding details as shown on the proxy form. Select 'Voting' and follow the prompts to lodge your vote. To use the online lodgement facility, shareholders will need their "Holder Identifier" (Securityholder Reference Number (SRN) or Holder Identification Number (HIN) as shown on the front of the proxy form).



**by mail:**

Australian United Investment Company Limited  
C/- Link Market Services Limited  
Locked Bag A14  
Sydney South NSW 1235  
Australia



**by fax:**

(02) 9287 0309



**by hand:**

delivering it to Link Market Services Limited, 1A Homebush Bay Drive, Rhodes NSW 2138 or Level 12, 680 George Street, Sydney NSW 2000.

**If you would like to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, please bring this form with you.  
This will assist in registering your attendance.**