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## Perpetual Credit Income Trust (ASX: PCI) announces successful completion of Unit Purchase Plan raising approximately \$26.8 million

Further to the announcements to the ASX on 9 July 2024 and 17 July 2024, Perpetual Trust Services Limited ACN 000 142 049 (**Responsible Entity**), the responsible entity of the Perpetual Credit Income Trust ARSN 626 053 496 (ASX: PCI) (**Trust** or **PCI**), is pleased to announce that it has received valid and binding applications (**Applications**) for 24.4 million new fully paid ordinary units in the Trust (**UPP Units**). The UPP Units will be issued at an issue price of A\$1.10 per UPP Unit, resulting in the Trust raising approximately \$26.8 million. The UPP Units will be issued pursuant to a non-underwritten unit purchase plan to eligible unitholders of the Trust (**Unit Purchase Plan**).

UPP Units will be issued on Friday, 9 August 2024. The UPP Units are expected to commence trading on the ASX on Monday, 12 August 2024 and holding statements for the Unit Purchase Plan will be dispatched to successful applicants on or around Monday, 12 August 2024.<sup>1</sup>

The UPP Units in the Trust will rank equally with existing ordinary fully paid units on issue in the Trust with effect from their date of issue, including in respect of voting rights and entitlement to future distributions.<sup>2</sup>

Portfolio Manager Michael Korber said, "We are pleased to provide all our eligible unitholders with the opportunity to participate in the Unit Purchase Plan and are delighted with the support we received. The amount raised from the Unit Purchase Plan will contribute to the growth of the Trust and provide potential for greater liquidity which we believe will benefit unitholders. We look forward to deploying the additional capital into the attractive pipeline of corporate loan and securitised asset deals we are seeing, as well as finding relative value opportunities in investment grade and high yield credit and fixed income assets. Thank you to our unitholders for their ongoing support and we look forward to updating you on the Trust in the future."

The proceeds from the Unit Purchase Plan will be invested by Perpetual Investment Management Limited (as manager of the Trust) (**Manager**) in accordance with the Trust's investment strategy. Details of the Trust's

<sup>1</sup> These dates are indicative only and are subject to change by the Responsible Entity, acting reasonably and in accordance with the duties of a responsible entity.

<sup>2</sup> Where the distribution is declared and paid at the discretion of the Responsible Entity. Neither the Responsible Entity or the Manager provides any representation or warranty in relation to the payment of any future distributions.

investment strategy are provided in the "About the Perpetual Credit Income Trust" section of this announcement.

Following completion of the Unit Purchase Plan, the Trust will have 485,889,315 units on issue excluding any new units to be issued under the Trust's distribution reinvestment plan during August 2024.

The Unit Purchase Plan was conducted pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 5). Accordingly, no unitholder approval is required for the issue of the UPP Units under the Unit Purchase Plan.

### **About the Perpetual Credit Income Trust**

The investment objective of the Trust is to provide investors with monthly income by investing in a diversified pool of credit and fixed income assets. The Trust targets a total return of RBA Cash Rate + 3.25% p.a. (net of fees) through the economic cycle. This is a target only and may not be achieved.

#### Investment strategy

The Trust will typically hold 50 to 100 assets. Typical investments will include corporate bonds, floating rate notes, securitised assets and private debt (for example, corporate loans).

30% - 100%	Investment grade assets <sup>3</sup> Maximum issuer limit 15%
0% - 70%	Unrated or sub-investment grade assets <sup>4</sup> Maximum issuer limit 10%
70% - 100%	Assets denominated in AUD
0% - 30%	Assets denominated in foreign currencies <sup>5</sup>
0% - 70%	Perpetual Loan Fund
<5%	Perpetual Securitised Credit Fund

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<sup>3</sup> An investment grade asset has a higher probability of payment of interest and repayment of principal.

<sup>4</sup> A sub-investment grade asset has a higher risk that the issuer may not be able to meet interest payments or the repayment of principal if difficult conditions arise.

<sup>5</sup> Foreign currencies are typically hedged back to the Australia dollar.

This announcement has been prepared by Perpetual Investment Management Limited ABN 18 000 866 535 AFSL 234426 (PIML) and is issued and authorised for release by Perpetual Trust Services Limited ABN 48 000 142 049 AFSL 236648 (PTSL). PTSL is the responsible entity and issuer of the Perpetual Credit Income Trust ARSN 626 053 496 (Trust). PTSL has appointed PIML to act as the manager of the Trust.

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Before making any investment you should consider the Product Disclosure Statement (**PDS**) for the Trust issued by PTSL and lodged with the ASX on 13 March 2019 and the Trust's other periodic and continuous disclosure announcements lodged with the ASX, which are available at [www.perpetualincome.com.au](http://www.perpetualincome.com.au) or can be obtained by calling 1300 778 468 (within Australia) or +61(2) 9299 9621 (from overseas). A Target Market Determination in relation to the units in the Trust is also available from [www.perpetualincome.com.au/capital-raising](http://www.perpetualincome.com.au/capital-raising).

No company in the Perpetual Group (Perpetual Limited ABN 86 000 431 827 and its subsidiaries) guarantees the future performance of the Trust or the return of an investor's capital.