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Dear (Salutation)

UBS Asian Smaller Companies – fund closure

Account number: XXXXXX
Your financial adviser: XXXXXX

The UBS Asian Smaller Companies fund that you invest in as part of a model portfolio set up by your financial adviser is due to be closed from **22 April 2025**.

We will be unable to accept new investments into the fund from 24 March 2025.

Your financial adviser will take any action that needs to be taken and, if necessary, help to address any questions you may have.

How the fund closing will affect your account

• Phasing and Rebalancing – Any phased investment or rebalancing instructions using the fund will automatically continue. These will either buy units in your other assets proportionally, or go into cash, depending on how your adviser set up the model portfolio. Alternatively, we will update the instruction if your financial adviser provides a revised asset choice.

Cash may not be suitable for your long-term investment needs. If you're happy for the amount to stay in cash, you don't need to do anything. Your financial adviser will take any action that needs to be taken and help to answer any questions you may have.

A note about cash in your account

We don't take any product or service charges on your cash balance (although the value is still included in the total value calculation for the charge). Instead, we pay you a rate of interest on cash in your account and we are paid by retaining a proportion of the interest we receive from our banking partners.

You can find more information, including the current interest rate payable and how much interest we retain, on our website at **quilter.com/interest-on-cash**.

Capital gains tax - Collective Investment Account only

If you choose to sell or switch your holdings, this is a disposal for capital gains tax purposes. Please speak to your financial adviser to understand how this may affect you.

Closure subject to FCA approval

The closure is subject to FCA approval. If it isn't approved, we'll write to let you know.

Why the fund manager is closing the fund

The fund has failed to gain significant traction with investors and UBS Asset Management Funds Ltd does not consider that there is a reasonable prospect that the fund will attract significant levels of new investor capital. Given the fund is operating at a level which is sub-scale, UBS has concluded that, subject to receiving the necessary confirmation from the FCA that it is in the best interests of shareholders to close the fund.

If you have any questions about this letter, please speak to your financial adviser who will be able to help you. Alternatively, you can call or email us using the details shown and we will be happy to help. Our Customer Service Centre is open 8:30am – 5:30pm, Monday to Friday.

Yours sincerely

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Head of Client Services