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This Brochure explains the features of the Plan. Please ensure that you read this document fully, including the Terms and Conditions, prior to making an application for the Plan. Meteor does not provide financial advice. We recommend that you talk to a financial adviser, who will be able to help you assess whether the Plan is suitable for you. You should conduct such independent investigation and analysis of the tax treatment as you feel appropriate, to evaluate the merits and risks of applying for the Plan. The information on taxation contained in the Brochure is based on our understanding of rates of tax, current legislation, regulations and practice, which are likely to change in the future and which may be applied retrospectively.

All capitalised terms are defined in the Terms and Conditions on page 21.

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## Plan Summary

Term	A six year two week term							
Asset type	A fixed term structured deposit (the 'Deposit')							
Underlying assets (each the 'relevant Index', collectively 'the Indices')	Option 1 EURO STOXX 50 Index	Option 2 FTSE 100 Index						
Deposit Taker	Royal Bank of Canada (London Branch)							
Bare Trustee and Plan Manager	Meteor Asset Management Limited							
Return of deposit	At the Maturity Date, the return of the amount you performance of the Index you have chosen and, su							
Potential interest	Option 1 EURO STOXX 50 Index	Option 2 FTSE 100 Index						
payments	If the Final Level of the Index is above its Opening Level by up to 50%, the Plan will make a gross interest payment equal to 1.5 times the rise in the Index. The maximum interest payment is therefore 75%.	If the Final Level of the Index is above its Opening Level by up to 45%, the Plan will make a gross interest payment equal to 1.5 times the rise in the Index. The maximum interest payment is therefore 67.5%.						
	If the Final Level of the Index is more than 50% above its Opening Level, the Plan will make a fixed gross interest payment of 16% at the Maturity Date.	If the Final Level of the Index is more than 45% above its Opening Level, the Plan will make a fixed gross interest payment of 9% at the Maturity Date.						
	If the Final Level of the Index is equal to or below its Opening Level, no interest will be payable.	If the Final Level of the Index is equal to or below its Opening Level, no interest will be payable.						
Tax treatment	It is our understanding that any interest payable from be subject to Income Tax, except if your Plan is estable							
Available for	<ul> <li>Individual or joint applications</li> <li>Cash New ISAs (NISAs) in respect of the 2014/15 tax year</li> <li>NISA transfers</li> <li>Pension schemes</li> <li>Trustees, companies and partnerships</li> <li>Investment via Offshore Assurance Bonds</li> <li>This Plan is not available to residents of the United States or Canada</li> </ul>							
The Deposit	Your money will be deposited with Royal Bank of Ca 'RBC', through a Bare Trust. A Bare Trust is an arrang behalf of applicants in relation to their Deposit. The I will depend on the ability of RBC to pay the amount	ement which allows the Plan Manager to act on Deposit is effectively a loan to RBC and repayment						
Meteor distribution fee	We will receive a distribution fee of up to 2.5% for to cover our costs for the preparation of the Plan lit Plan. We also use this fee to offset standard admini payable. This fee may also be used to cover payme	terature and information, as well as marketing the stration charges that would otherwise have been						

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## **Key Risks**

#### **Risk to interest payments**

- Any interest payment will be dependent on the performance of the relevant Index and it is possible that you might not receive any interest at all.
- With current interest rates at their lowest historic levels, the potential interest payable from this Plan could be higher than can be achieved through a conventional deposit, but it should be remembered that a conventional deposit will almost always provide an interest payment, and it is probable that interest rates available from those arrangements will improve during the term of the Plan.

#### Access to your money

- If your circumstances change and you need to withdraw from the Plan prior to the Maturity Date, it is likely you will not receive back all of the amount you originally placed in the Plan. In this event, you will also have to pay an administration charge. Please note that there is no guarantee that you will be able to withdraw from the Deposit before maturity.
- In normal market conditions, it is expected that Plan holders who need access to their money before the Maturity Date will be able to withdraw from the Deposit. However, there is no guarantee that you will be able to withdraw before the Maturity Date, as the decision about whether market conditions are normal will be taken by the Deposit Taker (see Liquidity risks on page 17).

#### **Deposit Taker risk**

- It is possible that the Deposit Taker could collapse or fail to make the payments due from the Deposit. If this happened you could lose some, or all, of the amount you placed in the Plan, as well as any interest to which you otherwise might have become entitled. This is subject to your potential eligibility for compensation from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme ('FSCS').
- The actual and perceived ability of the Deposit Taker to meet its obligations may affect the market value of a deposit over the term. If the Deposit Taker fails to meet its obligations, you will get back less than is due to you or nothing at all (see page 5).

The risks associated with this Plan are not limited to those listed here, but these are the key risks. Further risks are outlined on pages 16 and 17.

## **Key Dates**

Closing date for Plan subscriptions	<ul> <li>NISA transfer applications</li> <li>Applications with cheques</li> <li>Applications with bank transfers</li> <li>December 2014</li> <li>December 2014</li> </ul>
Start Date	17 December 2014
<b>Opening Levels</b>	Closing levels of the Indices on 17 December 2014
Final Levels	Closing levels of the Indices on 17 December 2020
Maturity Date	5 January 2021



## How the Plan works

The return from the Plan is linked to the Deposit, commencing on 17 December 2014 and ending on 17 December 2020, with the Plan maturing on 5 January 2021.

Taking out a Plan constitutes a contractual arrangement with Meteor Asset Management Limited, the Plan Manager. Meteor Investment Management Limited is the Plan Administrator. We will arrange for the money you place in the Plan with the Deposit Taker through a Bare Trust. A Bare Trust is an arrangement, which allows the Plan Manager to act on behalf of Plan holders in relation to the Deposit.

Your money is placed on trust with the Deposit Taker and the Deposit is arranged to pay interest in accordance with the objectives of the Plan.

The interest payment from the Plan is linked to the performance of the Index relevant to the Option you have chosen (see pages 6 and 8), but neither the Plan nor the Deposit tracks the relevant Index directly.

The Indices are based on market capitalisation and are capital value only indices, i.e., they do not make any allowance for reinvestment of dividends. You will not be entitled to receive dividends that would normally be available from an investment in the relevant Index as you are not investing directly in the shares of any listed company.

At the Maturity Date, the Plan has been designed to provide an interest payment calculated as follows:

**Option 1** linked to EURO STOXX 50 Index – An interest payment equal to 1.5 times any rise in the Index, up to 50%, providing the potential for an interest payment up to 75%. If the Index rises by more than 50%, the interest payment will be a fixed rate of 16%.

**Option 2** linked to FTSE 100 Index – An interest payment equal to 1.5 times any rise in the Index, up to 45%, providing the potential for an interest payment up to 67.5%. If the Index rises by more than 45%, the interest payment will be a fixed rate of 9%.

Under both Options, there will be no interest payable if the Final Level of the relevant Index is equal to or less than its Opening Level.

The calculation of the interest payment relative to each Index is explained on pages 6 and 8.

At the Maturity Date, the full return of the amount you place in the Plan will not depend on the performance of the relevant Index and is protected from any fall in that Index. However, the risk to your money has not been eliminated as the repayment of the amount you place in the Plan is dependent on the Deposit Taker being able to pay the amounts due from the Deposit. This is known as Deposit Taker risk.

Meteor Asset Management Limited acts as Bare Trustee and holds the Deposit for the benefit of individual Plan holders. Plan holders are the beneficial owners of the Deposit and, as such, are entitled to the proceeds. Meteor may provide information to the Deposit Taker to confirm the identity of the individual Plan holders.

The Plan is available to single and joint applicants, as well as to individuals as a 2014/15 cash NISA or through a NISA transfer. It is also available to pension funds, companies, charities and partnerships, as well as through Offshore Life Assurance Bonds.

If the Plan is oversubscribed the Plan Manager may not be able to accept your application.

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### **Compensation arrangements**

Your money will be held in our segregated Client Account before we arrange the Deposit. In addition, at maturity, or earlier withdrawal from the Plan, the proceeds will be held in our Client Account. The table below summarises the coverage of the FSCS at the different stages of the product life cycle, in the event of the collapse or failure of one of the parties connected with your Deposit. The Plan Manager, Plan Administrator and Deposit Taker are covered by the FSCS. Accordingly, you may be entitled to compensation from the FSCS in the event that any of these parties are declared to be 'in default' and you have suffered a loss as a result of Meteor's or the Deposit Taker's actions or negligence.

In all circumstances, you should be aware that whether you are eligible to make a claim under the FSCS will depend on various factors and that there are limits to the amount of compensation the FSCS will pay. You can get further information on the FSCS from us or directly from the FSCS website: www.fscs.org.uk

See page 18 for further information on eligibility to receive compensation from the FSCS.

	When	Details
Meteor	At all times throughout the duration of your relationship with Meteor	Your assets are kept separate from the assets of Meteor. Meteor Asset Management Limited and Meteor Investment Management Limited are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS) and you may be entitled to compensation from the FSCS in the event that we are declared to be 'in default' and you have suffered a loss as a result of Meteor's actions or negligence. The compensation limit is currently £50,000 per person. If the level of your claim against us is greater than £50,000 you would not be covered for the excess. If you hold deposits in joint names, the compensation limit would apply to each Plan holder.
Deposit Taker	During the Deposit term and until Meteor receives the maturity or redemption value of the Plan from the Deposit Taker	It is our understanding that in the event of a UK deposit taker failing to meet its obligations in relation to the fixed term Deposit, you may be entitled to compensation from the FSCS. The compensation limit is currently £85,000 per person and this applies to all deposits you hold with a deposit taker and/or any other deposit takers included under the same registration on the Financial Services Register. You would not be covered for any excess amount over the compensation limit. If you take out any deposit in joint names the compensation limit would apply to each joint holder. Many banking groups use several brands, which mean the total deposits within an authorisation group will count towards one compensation limit. You can look up details of banking and savings groups on the FCA website: http://www.fca.org.uk/consumers/complaints-and-compensation/how-to-claim-compensation/banking-and-saving/banking-and-savings-brands
Meteor's Client Account	During the times that your account holds cash, in the periods before the start of a plan and after the maturity or earlier redemption of a plan	We currently use a number of UK banks to hold Client Money. You may be eligible for compensation from the FSCS if one of these banks becomes insolvent whilst holding your money prior to being invested in the Deposit or pending payment to you the amounts received at the maturity or earlier redemption of the Deposit. The compensation limit is currently £85,000 per person and this applies to all deposits you hold with the insolvent bank and any other member of its group included in the same FCA registration. Please refer to the comments with regard to banking groups in the panel above as this also applies to money held on our Client Account.



## About Royal Bank of Canada

Royal Bank of Canada (listed on the Toronto and New York Stock Exchanges) and its subsidiaries operate under the master brand name RBC. It is ranked by Bloomberg as the third strongest bank in North America (as at 15 June 2014) based on various financial ratios.

It is Canada's largest bank, as measured by assets and market capitalisation, and is among the largest banks in the world, based on market capitalisation. It is one of North America's leading diversified financial services companies, and provides personal and commercial banking, wealth management services, insurance, corporate and investment banking and transaction processing services on a global basis.

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> Source: Royal Bank of Canada, Bloomberg Markets & Bloomberg Rankings, 31 October 2014

#### Long term credit rating and outlook for Royal Bank of Canada

Agency	Rating	Date rating effective	Outlook	Date outlook effective
Fitch	AA	18/07/2005	Stable	19/05/2009
Moody's	Aa3	21/06/2012	Negative	11/06/2014
Standard & Poor's	AA-	15/11/1994	Negative	08/08/2014

#### Selection of a deposit taker

One of the factors you may wish to take into account when selecting a deposit taker is its long term credit ratings. These are the opinions of a range of credit rating agencies regarding the long term security of the Deposit Taker.

A high rating from one or more of the credit rating agencies is not however a guarantee that the Deposit Taker will meet its obligation to pay the amount due from the Deposit.

Fitch, Moody's and Standard & Poor's are independent ratings agencies that research and grade the ability of financial and other institutions to make the payments due from any deposit made with them.

By way of example, Standard & Poor's highest possible rating is AAA, followed by AA and A. These three ratings, along with their BBB rating, are generally regarded as investment grade (i.e. of higher quality). All of these ratings, except the AAA rating, can also be modified by a plus or a minus to give a deposit taker's relative status within the grade; for example, A+, A, A- for the A rating. Ratings from BB downwards are provided in respect of other deposit takers.

A rating outlook assesses the potential direction of a long-term credit rating. The term considered varies between credit rating agencies; Fitch looks at a 12 to 24 month period, Standard & Poor's a 6 to 24 month period, while Moody's says its outlooks are 'over the medium term'. In determining a rating outlook, consideration is given to any changes in the economic and fundamental business conditions. An outlook is not necessarily a precursor of a rating change or future creditwatch action.

- Positive means that a rating may be raised.
- Negative means that a rating may be lowered.
- Stable means that a rating is not likely to change.
- Developing means a rating may be raised or lowered.

#### Source: Bloomberg, 31 October 2014

All references to the credit rating are correct as at the source date.

Credit ratings are subject to change during the offer period and during the term of the Plan.

Ongoing information about the ratings of the Deposit Taker is available on the Meteor website. We will, where appropriate, include information relating to credit ratings in your periodic valuation statements.

Please refer to your financial adviser if you have any queries regarding credit ratings.

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## **Option 1 - EURO STOXX 50 Index**

## **Interest payment**

#### How the interest payment is calculated

The interest from this Option is linked to the performance of the EURO STOXX 50 Index.

We will compare the Opening Level with the Final Level of the Index.

If the Final Level of the Index is above its Opening Level by up to 50%, the Plan will make an interest payment equal to 1.5 times the rise in the Index. The maximum interest payment is therefore 75%. If the Final Level of the Index is more than 50% above its Opening Level, the Plan will make a fixed interest payment of 16% at the Maturity Date.

If the Final Level of the Index is equal to or below its Opening Level, no interest will be payable.

The table below provides examples of possible interest payments based on on a range of Index movements.

The table demonstrates that if the Index performance is positive by up to and including 50%, an interest payment of 1.5 times the Index performance applies.

If the Final Level is more than 50% above its Opening Level, the interest payment at the Maturity Date will be fixed at 16%.

Final Level of the Index relative to its Opening Level	0% or less	+5%	+10%	+20%	+30%	+50%	+50.01%	+60%	+80% or more
Example interest %	0%	7.5%	15%	30%	45%	75%	16%	16%	16%

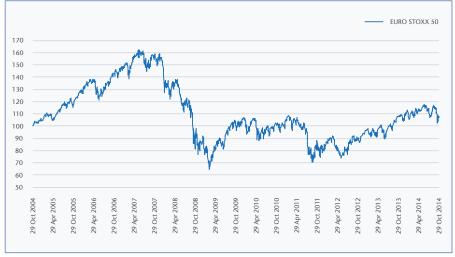
The table is for illustration purposes only and does not represent how we believe the Index will perform

## The Index

There are now many indices established by different organisations, all of which are designed to convey to the world how different markets are performing.

The EURO STOXX 50 Index is an index of 50 leading blue chip companies in the Eurozone of Europe. It currently includes such well known companies as AXA, Daimler and Philips.

It is important to remember that the value of stock market investments, such as shares, can and do fall, as well as rise. The graph below shows the movements in the Index over a ten year period ending 29 October 2014.



Source: Meteor Research Department/Bloomberg, 31 October 2014 For the purposes of the graph the Index has been rebased at 100 on 29 October 2004

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and should not be used to assess the future returns or risks associated with this Plan.



## Simulated historical performance

We have simulated the past performance of the Plan, based on the actual performance of the Index over every completed six year period since the formation of the Index on 31 December 1986.

The table below shows the performance results of 5,520 completed six year cycles.

This research shows that there were 3,479 instances (63.03% of all occasions) where the Final Level was above the Opening Level and therefore the Plan would have made an interest payment.

However, there were 2,041 instances (36.97% of all occasions) where the Final Level was below the Opening Level and therefore the Plan would have returned the money placed in the Deposit only.

There were 2,234 instances (40.47% of all occasions) where the Plan would have paid interest of between 10% and 20%. However, in 1,943 of those instances (35.20% of all occasions), the Final Level was more than 50% above the Opening Level and would have led to the fixed 16% interest payment.

It should be remembered that simulated historical performance is not an indicator of future performance and that this may not be replicated over the term of this Plan.

The table below uses the historical performance of the Index and shows how the Plan would have performed, had it been available, over every completed six year period from 31 December 1986 to 5 November 2014.

	No. of cycles	Percentage
No.of 6 year cycles tested	5,520	
No. of times the Plan would have provided interest of up to 75%	3,479	63.03%
No. of times amount deposited returned only	2,041	36.97%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 0% but less than or equal to 10%	425	7.70%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 10% but less than or equal to 20%	2,234	40.47%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 20% but less than or equal to 30%	124	2.25%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 30% but less than or equal to 40%	79	1.43%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 40% but less than or equal to 50%	159	2.88%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 50% but less than or equal to 60%	143	2.59%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 60% but less than or equal to 70%	206	3.73%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 70% but less than 75%	109	1.97%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest of 75%	0	0.00%

#### Source: Meteor Research Department/Bloomberg, 5 November 2014

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Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and should not be used to assess the future returns or risks associated with this Plan.

## **Option 2 - FTSE 100 Index**

### Interest payment

#### How the interest payment is calculated

The interest from this Option is linked to the performance of the FTSE 100 Index.

We will compare the Opening Level with the Final Level of the Index.

If the Final Level of the Index is above its Opening Level by up to 45%, the Plan will make an interest payment equal to 1.5 times the rise in the Index. The maximum interest payment is therefore 67.5%. If the Final Level of the Index is more than 45% above its Opening Level, the Plan will make a fixed interest payment of 9% at the Maturity Date.

If the Final Level of the Index is equal to or below its Opening Level, no interest will be payable.

The table below provides examples of possible interest payments based on a range of Index movements.

The table demonstrates that if the Index performance is positive by up to and including 45%, an interest payment of 1.5 times the Index performance applies. If the Final Level is more than 45% above its Opening Level, the interest payment at the Maturity Date will be fixed at 9%.

Final Level of the Index relative to its Opening Level	0% or less	+5%	+15%	+30%	+40%	+45%	+45.01%	50%	60%	+80% or more
Example interest %	0%	7.5%	22.5%	45%	60%	67.5%	9%	9%	9%	9%

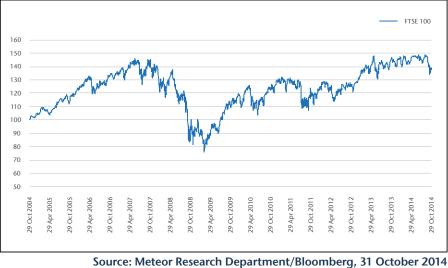
The table is for illustration purposes only and does not represent how we believe the Index will perform

## The Index

There are now many indices established by different organisations, all of which are designed to convey to the world how different markets are performing. The most well known of these in the UK is the FTSE 100 Index.

The FTSE 100 Index is made up of the top 100 UK listed companies by market capitalisation which operate across the whole marketplace including banking, oils, pharmaceuticals, mining, and retail and include companies such as BP, GlaxoSmithKline and Marks & Spencer.

It is important to remember that the value of stock market investments, such as shares, can and do fall, as well as rise. The graph below shows the movements in the Index over a ten year period ending 29 October 2014.



For the purposes of the graph the Index has been rebased at 100 on 29 October 2004

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and should not be used to assess the future returns or risks associated with this Plan. PAGE 8



## Simulated historical performance

We have simulated the past performance of the Plan, based on the actual performance of the Index over every completed six year period since 31 December 1986.

The table below shows the performance results of 5,520 completed six year cycles.

This research shows that there were 4,092 instances (74.13% of all occasions) where the Final Level was above the Opening Level and therefore the Plan would have made an interest payment. However, there were 1,428 instances (25.87% of all occasions) where the Final Level was below the Opening Level and therefore the Plan that would have returned the money placed in the Deposit only.

There were 2,498 instances (45.25% of all occasions) where the Plan would have paid interest of between 0% and 10%. However, in 2,094 of those instances (37.93% of all occasions), the Final Level was more than 45% above the Opening Level and would have lead

to the fixed 9% interest rate being paid.

It should be remembered that simulated historical performance is not an indicator of future performance and that this may not be replicated over the term of this Plan.

The table below uses the historical performance of the Index and shows how the Plan would have performed, had it been available, over every completed six year period from 31 December 1986 to 5 November 2014.

	No. of cycles	Percentage
No.of 6 year cycles tested	5,520	
No. of times the Plan would have provided an interest payment of up to 45%	4,092	74.13%
No. of times amount deposited returned only	1,428	25.87%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 0% but less than or equal to 10%	2,498	45.25%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 10% but less than or equal to 20%	328	5.94%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 20% but less than or equal to 30%	412	7.46%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 30% but less than or equal to 40%	428	7.75%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 40% but less than or equal to 50%	178	3.22%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 50% but less than or equal to 60%	148	2.68%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest greater than 60% but less than or equal to 67.5%	100	1.81%
No. of times Plan would have accrued interest of 67.5%	0	0.00%

#### Source: Meteor Research Department/Bloomberg, 31 October 2014

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Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and should not be used to assess the future returns or risks associated with this Plan.

## **Return of your deposit**

The calculation of the capital return applies to each Option.

The Plan is designed to provide a full return of the amount deposited at the Maturity Date, irrespective of the performance of the relevant Index.

You should note that the return of your money is still dependent on the Deposit Taker being able to meet its obligations to us to pay the amounts due.

The full return of your money will only apply at maturity.

Should you withdraw from the Plan or transfer to another NISA manager during the term, you will receive the price offered by the Deposit Taker in the secondary market. In this case, it is likely that you will receive less than you originally placed in the Plan. Please note that there is no guarantee that you will be able to withdraw the Deposit before the Maturity Date. An administration charge for early withdrawal or transfer will increase any potential loss.

If your Plan is held as a NISA and you subsequently decide to withdraw after the 14 day cancellation period has expired, it may not be possible to subscribe to another cash NISA for the same tax year.

If the amount you place in the Plan is the full £15,000 allowance and you decide to withdraw after the cancellation period you may not be able to subscribe to any other NISA in the same tax year.

If you subscribe to the Plan via a NISA transfer and decide to cancel after we have received the transfer value from the other NISA manager(s), it may not be possible to transfer the money back to the same manager(s) and you would need either to find a new NISA manager to transfer to or apply for a subsequent Meteor NISA eligible product in order to maintain the NISA status of your Plan.

#### Business Disruption, Market Disruption and Adjustment Events

A number of events relating to the relevant Index, such as market disruption events, disruption, modification or cancellation of the relevant Index, or change in laws or regulations, give the Deposit Taker, at its sole and absolute discretion and in good faith, the right to determine whether any adjustment to the terms and conditions of the Deposit is required. Any such adjustment may affect the amount of Interest payable from the Deposit. These adjustments may include, but are not limited to: adjustments to the Opening Level and/or Final Level, postponing the dates on which the Opening Level and Final Level are observed, substitution of the relevant Index, and early termination of the Deposit.

As soon as practical, the Plan Manager will advise you of any adjustment to be made to the terms and conditions of the Deposit.

## Taxation

The information contained in this Brochure is based on our understanding of rates of tax, current legislation, tax regulations and practice, which are likely to change in the future and may be applied retrospectively. This is a general guide only. The information relates solely to United Kingdom taxation and is expected to apply to you if you are a UK tax resident who is the beneficial owner of the Deposit held in this Plan. The statements are not exhaustive and do not constitute tax advice. It is important that you consult your tax advisers concerning possible taxation and other consequences of making an application for the Plan.

If you apply through a NISA, SIPP, SSAS or another pension arrangement, any interest from this Plan is not subject to tax and will be paid gross.

If you apply directly for the Plan, either individually, jointly or via a trust, any interest will be paid net of basic rate Income Tax. If you are a higher or additional higher rate tax payer, a further liability will arise. You will be responsible for ensuring that you declare the receipt of any such interest to your tax office and for the payment on any Income Tax that is due. The rate of tax payable will depend on your own circumstances and tax rates and practice at that time. If you are a nontax payer, you will need to claim back the tax on the interest.

The values of any tax reliefs will depend on your individual circumstances and could change at any time and be applied retrospectively. Based on current rates, basic rate tax payers would pay 20% Income Tax, higher rate tax payers 40% and additional rate taxpayers 45%.

A lower 10% rate applies for lower earners. Qualification for the 10% rate is dependent on any other income, from employment or, for example, pension income arrangements.

From April 2015, the 10% rate will cease to apply and will be replaced with a nil rate. At the same time the maximum amount of savings income that the new 0% rate could apply to will rise from £2,880 to £5,000.

If you are eligible to receive interest payments without tax deducted, you can complete a R40 form to reclaim the tax that has been deducted at source (available at www.hmrc.gov.uk/forms/ r40.pdf). We are unable to accept R85 forms and therefore cannot make payments to you without deducting tax.

If you are making a deposit on behalf of a company or charity, they may be able to receive any interest payment without the deduction of Income Tax.

The taxation of any interest from this Plan received by companies, partnerships or other businesses will depend on the tax position of the organisation.

Further information about tax in the UK is available from HMRC website www. hmrc.gov.uk.

## **Anti-money laundering regulations**

Your financial adviser has to verify your identity, for the purpose of anti-money laundering regulations and will probably have asked you for documentary evidence in order to fulfil this requirement. We are able to accept the verification provided by your financial adviser but do reserve the right to request additional information and/or documentation to satisfy our own antimoney laundering procedures. We will also carry out an electronic data check to verify your identity. The check will be carried out using a reliable and reputable electronic database agency. This is not a credit check and will leave a different 'footprint' on you electronic record to that left by a credit check.

## **About Meteor**

Meteor Asset Management Limited will act as Plan Manager. Meteor Investment Management Limited (MIM) is the Plan Administrator for the Plan. MIM was established for the specific purposes of administering Meteor's own plans and those we are administering on behalf of third parties, and for the keeping of all client assets. To Meteor, treating customers fairly is more than just an FCA Principle; it is part of the sound foundation on which our business is built.

Our aim is to produce literature that is clear and enables our customers and investors to easily understand how our plans work. We are committed to maintaining this transparency throughout the term of all of our plans/products.

Meteor does not offer financial advice or guidance on tax issues. However, we believe that it is important to seek such advice before you invest, to ensure that you choose an investment or deposit which is suitable for you.



## How do I apply?

You simply complete the appropriate Application Form. Before you do this you should have read the Brochure thoroughly, including the Terms and Conditions, and made sure that you understand the nature of the Plan. The section 'Is this Plan right for me?' will act as a helpful reminder of the questions you should ask yourself (see page 20).

Once you are satisfied that you wish to apply for one or both of the available Option(s), please fill in and sign the relevant Application Form and arrange for funds to reach our Client Account.

NISA transfer applications must be received by Meteor by the 'NISA transfer applications' date to allow sufficient time to instruct the current NISA manager and complete the transfer of funds to Meteor. If you are sending funds via bank transfer (BACS or CHAPS) please check with your bank to confirm whether funds are transferred instantly, or whether there is a clearing period which can mean up to 3 Business Days before cleared funds are received in the Meteor Client Account.

Application Forms accompanied with a cheque must be received by Meteor by the 'Applications with cheques' date to allow sufficient time for the cheque to clear. Cheques should be for the full amount you want to place in the Plan, plus any adviser charge you wish us to make on your behalf, and be made payable to 'Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account'. If you are sending in a building society, company or scheme cheque please make sure that it has your name in brackets after the wording above. Your completed Application Form and cheque should be sent to your financial adviser or directly to us at 55 King William Street, London, EC4R 9AD.

Meteor will acknowledge receipt of your application, advise you of your Account number and your online details if requested. This acknowledgement will include your Plan summary and your 'Notice of the Right to Cancel'.

We do not offer financial advice or guidance on tax issues. However, we believe that it is important to seek such advice before you invest, to ensure that you choose an investment that is appropriate for you.

#### This Plan may be held:

#### By individuals

As an individual, jointly, or on behalf of a child under the age of 18.

#### By pension arrangements

The trustees, subject to the terms of your scheme, can hold plans as a permitted investment within any type of pension arrangement, including a SIPP and a SSAS.

#### As trustees/companies/partnerships

This Plan may be held by trustees, companies or partnerships, subject to relevant articles of association permitting such an investment.

We are unable to accept applications from enterprises which employ fewer than 10 persons and have a turnover or annual balance sheet that does not exceed €2 million.

## As New Individual Savings Account (NISA)

Individual Savings Accounts (ISAs) were launched in the UK in 1999 to

encourage people to save. They allow you to save and invest without paying any tax on any on returns you make from your deposit in the Plan.

New ISAs (NISAs) were introduced from 1st July 2014. From that date all stocks and shares ISAs became stocks and shares NISAs and all cash ISAs become cash NISAs.

The subscription limit for 2014/2015 was also raised to £15,000 (from £11,880) which may be split between a cash NISA and a stocks and shares NISA in any proportion, as long as the overall £15,000 limit is not exceeded.

From 1st July 2014, it became possible for NISAs to be transferred from a stocks and shares NISA to a cash NISA, or from a cash NISA to a stocks and shares NISA, as well as between NISAs of the same type.

If you have already subscribed to a stocks and shares NISA you can only

"top up" your subscription to the new limit with the same stocks and shares NISA manager and/or by subscribing to a cash NISA. If you have already subscribed to a cash NISA you can only top up your subscription with the same cash NISA manager and/or by investing in a stocks and shares NISA. In all cases the total subscribed must not exceed £15,000.

If your current NISA manager does not allow additional subscriptions for the current year, you may transfer your NISA to a manager that allows top-ups but should seek financial advice before doing so (see NISA transfer risks on page 16).

The minimum value for NISA transfers is  $\pounds 5,000$ , with no maximum limit

## The minimum ISA/NISA transfer amount is £5,000.

The Plan is not available to residents of the United States or Canada.



## Statements and communications

We are happy to communicate with applicants in the way that best suits their requirements, so you have the option of receiving communications from us online, or in paper format.

You have the choice of applying for a plan online, or by sending in paper applications. If you open an account online, we will send all regular communications to you by email, so please remember to tell us if you change your email address. If you complete a paper application you will still have the option of receiving future communications online, by ticking the appropriate box on the Application Form.

You can change the mode of receiving communications by notifying us. As this would be a fundamental change to the way we deal with you we would require a letter signed by all applicants to make the change. In all cases we will send you confirmation that your Account has been opened by letter and, where we have your email address, by email. Your Account will allow you to hold all the plans you apply for in one place.

One of the key benefits of this is the ability for applicants to access and review their investments online at anytime and we hope that all applicants utilise the functionality of the website.

### Managing your account online

Our online Account Enquiry System provides specialist flexible reporting, enabling you to:

- create reports tailored to your own needs
- receive product event alert notifications
- view basic online product details
- access PDF product literature
- view transaction histories
- view current and historic valuations
- download reports and valuations to PDF and Excel

#### **Bespoke report creation**

Once you have registered, you are able to view your current Holdings and Transactions, in addition to all Applications and previous Maturities, creating bespoke reports.

- Holdings assets held including cash, current and historic valuation
- Transactions a history of all transactions (access limited by authority)
- Applications full application history including current, matured, surrendered and pending investments
- Maturities previous maturity holding and values

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## **Charges and fees**

The following table sets out the potential administration charges over the full term of the Plan. Where a percentage is indicated, this will be a percentage of your Net Subscription. Charges in relation to the encashment of a plan and/or ISA transfer do not apply in respect of matured funds. These are current charges and may increase in the future. Any such increase will be limited to the rise in the Retail Price Index in the period since the Start Date.

#### Menu of charges

Initial	Charge	VAT	Charge details
Paper applications that request ongoing paper-based correspondence	0.25%	n	On purchase of the Plan
Sale or transfer prior to maturity			
Encashment of Plan	£150	у	On encashment
NISA transfer to another NISA Manager	£150	у	On transfer
Other potential Services and Charges			
CHAPS payment (including at maturity)	£35	у	On payment
Unpaid cheque	£40	у	On debit from our account
Copy of taped call	£40	у	On request only
Stamp duty reserve tax or other financial transaction tax	As chargeable		(At present only on UK shares)
Re-registration to new owner	£40	у	On re-registration in our records



## Risks

In addition to the key risks set out on page 2, there are a number of other risks associated with this investment, that you should understand.

#### **Cancellation risks**

- If you want to cancel your Plan after the Start Date, you will only get back the value of your Deposit when it is withdrawn, which is likely to be less than the amount you originally placed in the Plan.
- If we pay an adviser charge to your financial adviser on your behalf and you subsequently change your mind about making a deposit, you will be responsible for obtaining any refund which may be due to you from your adviser.

#### **Concentration risk**

The Plan should only be considered as part of your overall investment portfolio. You should not put all, or a large part, of the money you have available for deposit into any one plan, to avoid over exposure to a Deposit Taker or plan type.

#### **Inflation risk**

Any inflation will reduce the real value of your Deposit over time.

#### **Deposit risks**

- Should the relevant Index increase by more than the return provided by the Plan, you would not receive the benefit of any additional investment return above that provided by the Plan.
- Option 1 if the Final Level of the EURO STOXX 50 Index is more than 50% above its Opening Level, the interest payment at the Maturity Date will be fixed at 16% only.
- Option 2 if the Final Level of the FTSE 100 Index is more than 45% above its Opening Level, the interest payment at the Maturity Date will be fixed at 9% only.

- With current interest rates at their lowest historic levels, the potential interest payable from this Plan is presently higher than can be achieved through a conventional deposit, but it should be remembered that a conventional deposit will almost always provide an interest payment, and that it is probable that interest rates available from those arrangements will improve during the term of the Plan.
- Should the Plan be oversubscribed, the purchase might not be completed for you. As we near capacity we will flag this on our website at www.meteoram.com.
- If you wish to withdraw from the Plan you may do so at any time by giving notice to that effect to the Plan Manager/Plan Administrator. You may receive back materially less than you originally placed in the Plan, especially in stressed market conditions. The actual amount you receive will depend on the level of the relevant Index, interest rates, market volatility, time left to the Maturity Date and any costs reasonably incurred for breaking the funding arrangements entered into in relation to your Deposit.
- The value of the Deposit will be initially impacted by any fees or costs that were built into it. Subsequently, factors such as, but not limited to, movements in interest rates, the performance of the relevant Index, and the creditworthiness of the Deposit Taker will all affect the value of a deposit.
- The Opening Level of the relevant Index applies on the Start Date of the Plan and not the date on which you apply for the Plan. The level may vary significantly between these dates.
- When the Plan matures you might not be able to invest or deposit the proceeds to achieve the same, or similar, level of interest payment.

#### **NISA transfer risks**

- If you wish to transfer an existing NISA this must be done in cash, which means your existing NISA manager will withdraw your deposit. Your existing NISA manager may also charge you an exit or transfer fee.
- You could lose some interest if you transfer a cash NISA and decide not to wait for the expiry of any notice period.
- If you transfer a stocks and shares NISA there is the potential for loss of investment return and/or capital if markets should rise while your transfer remains pending.
- We have a deadline for receipt of NISA transfer applications, to allow time for us to receive the proceeds from your existing NISA manager. However, if they do not send us the funds you have requested before the Start Date we will not be able to make the deposit on your behalf.
- If you have elected to pay an adviser charge in respect of the advice you received to transfer your NISA and have asked us to pay that fee to your adviser on your behalf this will reduce the amount that can benefit from the tax advantages of a NISA.



## **Risks** – continued

#### Liquidity risks

- You should have other savings that you can access immediately and without penalty to meet any emergency cash needs.
- You must be prepared to keep your money in the Plan for the full term. It may be possible to withdraw from the Plan before the Maturity Date. However, the amount you receive will depend on many market factors, including, but not limited to, the price level of the relevant Index or interest rates. Consequently, if you withdraw from the Plan before the Maturity Date, you may receive back less than the amount originally placed in the Plan.
- The terms of the Deposit may permit the Deposit Taker to delay, reduce or withhold payments. These provisions are not intended to circumvent what is legally due to you but are intended to cover unforeseen events which affect the interest made from the Plan, for example, a suspension or delay in receiving Index values.
- If you have opened a Plan via a NISA and subsequently decide to withdraw, it may not be possible to apply in another NISA of the same type for the same tax year if your 14 days cancellation period has expired. If you have opened a Plan via a NISA transfer, any favourable tax treatment associated with that NISA holding will be irrevocably lost unless you are able to find another NISA manager to transfer the value of your Plan to.

#### Market risk

- External factors could affect national economies, regions or an asset class and cause a fall in value of the Deposit held or in extreme cases, the collapse of the Deposit Taker.
- In the event that a Business Disruption, Market Disruption or an Adjustment Event occurs (see page 10), the Deposit may be subject to such changes as are agreed between the Deposit Taker and Meteor or terminated by the Deposit Taker. In either such case the interest rate applicable to such Deposit may be varied by the Deposit Taker, in its commercially reasonable discretion.

#### **Pricing risk**

The Deposit Taker may not be able to quote regular prices making it difficult to value your investment and delaying any early encashment request you may make.

#### Product risk

The design of the Plan could provide interest that is lower than the amount you might have obtained from a direct investment in the shares included in the relevant Index or may produce no interest at all.

#### Tax risks

- Before making an application for this Plan you should conduct independent investigation and analysis, regarding the tax treatment of the Plan, to evaluate the merits and risks of the Plan. Tax risks include, without limitation, a change in any applicable law, treaty, rule or regulation or the interpretation thereof by any relevant authority which may adversely affect payments in respect of the Plan.
- The values of any tax reliefs will depend on your individual circumstances and could change at any time and be applied retrospectively. You should note that the levels and bases of taxation could change in the future and these changes may be applied retrospectively. You should also consider whether you should consult your own tax adviser and carefully review and consider the Plan in light of your personal circumstances.
- Re-registration of this Plan to a new holder may alter the tax implications indicated on page 11.



## **Frequently asked questions**

#### What is my commitment?

To understand the potential benefits and risks associated with this Plan.

## Should I see a financial adviser?

We believe that it is important that you make sure that the Plan is appropriate for you. We do recommend that you talk to a financial adviser and a specialist tax adviser, if you require advice on tax, before deciding whether to invest in this particular Plan.

#### How can you access online information about your Account?

You can access details of your Plan, including transaction details and valuation, by logging on to the client section of our website www.meteoram.com using your individual username and password which we will provide once your Account is set up.

## Can I change my mind about investing?

Yes, you can. When we acknowledge your application we will send you a 'Notice of Your Right to Change Your Mind'. You have 14 days from the day you receive this to send it back to us. However, if you choose to withdraw from the Plan after the Start Date, you are likely to get back less than you placed in the Plan. If we have paid an adviser charge/fee amount to your financial adviser on your behalf, and you subsequently change your mind, you will be responsible for obtaining any refund which may be due to you from your adviser.

# What happens if the Plan is oversubscribed or it does not proceed?

- If your money cannot be placed on trust in the Deposit for either of these reasons, your Subscription will be returned to you.
- If we have paid an adviser charge to your financial adviser on your behalf, the amount of money returned to you in this event will be reduced by that adviser charge. You will be responsible for obtaining any refund which may be due to you from your adviser.

## Can I withdraw/transfer the Plan before maturity?

- In normal market conditions you can, although when we withdraw your money from the Deposit the value is likely to be lower. You may close your Plan at any time by giving us your written instructions.
- We will arrange redemption of the Deposit weekly following the receipt of your written instruction and will arrange the payment of the proceeds to you within 5 Business Days of the receipt of the proceeds from the Deposit Taker.
- You will also be charged an administration fee for early withdrawal / termination or a transfer. Please note that there is no guarantee that the Deposit Taker will provide pricing (see Liquidity risks on page 17).

## Who is not eligible to receive compensation from the FSCS?

- All companies, or collective investment schemes, or overseas financial institutions or trustees of occupational pension schemes of an employer which is a company, unless they meet at least two of the following three criteria:
  - Turnover of not more than £6.5 million;
  - Balance sheet total no greater than £3.26 million;
  - No more than 50 employees
- Trustee of a Small Self-Adminstered Scheme (SSAS) or an occupational pension scheme of an employer which is a partnership with net assets of more than £1.4 million;
- Trustee of a SSAS or an occupational pension scheme of an employer which is a mutual association with net assets of more than £1.4 million;
- Mutual associations with net assets of more than £1.4 million; or
- Credit institutions

Please note these criteria may change in the future.

## What should I do if I have a complaint?

- In the event you should wish to complain at any time about this Plan, or the service you have received, you may do so by contacting The Compliance Officer, Meteor Asset Management Limited, 55 King William Street, London, EC4R 9AD or by telephoning 020 7904 1010.
- We will keep you informed during the investigation process and will notify you of our conclusions and explain how these have been reached.



## Frequently asked questions - continued

- If you are not happy with our response you may wish to contact the Financial Ombudsman Service at South Quay Plaza II, 183 Marsh Wall, London E14 9SR.
   Telephone: 0800 023 4567.
   Making a complaint does not prejudice your right to take legal action.
- Full details of our complaint procedure are available upon request.
- We would draw your attention to the fact that the value of investments can shift unpredictably, and can fall as well as rise and that such a fall is not, in itself, usually a valid reason for complaint.

## How are adviser charges managed?

- If you ask us, we will make the payment of any adviser charge due to your adviser.
- An adviser charge will be paid by deducting the amount you have agreed with your adviser from the amount you have sent us for investment. You should note that this will reduce your investment amount.
- We will confirm to you the amount of the charge you have asked us to deal with.

#### What happens to my money: Before the Start Date?

- Cleared funds received during the offer period will be held until the Start Date in the Client Account of Meteor Investment Management Ltd and your money never forms part of our assets. Meteor Investment Management Limited was established and authorised specifically to administer our plans and to provide safe keeping of client assets. No interest will be accrued to the Start Date of the Plan.
- Any adviser charge you have asked us to pay to your adviser will be deducted from the money you have paid to us, once it has cleared, and then paid to your adviser.

#### After the Start Date?

- The money that you place in the Plan, less any adviser charge, will be held in the Deposit which is designed to provide interest payments explained in this Brochure.
- The terms of the Deposit are fixed at outset so there is no ongoing investment management.
- The Deposit will be held under a Bare Trust with Meteor Asset Management acting as Bare Trustee on your behalf. You will remain the beneficial owner of the Deposit made on your behalf.

#### When the Deposit matures?

- Once we receive your maturity proceeds from the Deposit Taker we will credit the funds into your Account; this will be held as Client Money and no interest will be paid on this amount.
- The maturity value will be available within 10 Business Days of a Measurement Date in the event of an early maturity, or on the Maturity Date, if the Plan runs for the full term.
- However, we will not make any payment until we have received your written instruction and will therefore continue to hold your money until you advise us whether you wish to take the cash value, reinvest or, if you have a NISA, if you wish to transfer to another NISA manager.

#### What happens to my NISA transfer if a plan is oversubscribed or the Plan does not proceed?

For NISA transfers, we will endeavour to return the cash to your previous NISA manager. Alternatively, we will await your written instruction to either invest or deposit in a different Meteor plan or transfer to another NISA manager, if possible.

#### How will you keep me informed?

- We will write to you to acknowledge the Plan you have selected within five working days. With this letter we will send you a summary of your Deposit and a notice of cancellation.
- Shortly after the Start Date of the Plan we will send you details of your Deposit. We will send you a half yearly statement as at 5 April and 5 October showing the current position of your Plan and any other plans held in your Account.
- About three weeks before maturity we will write to you via your adviser to provide full details of the position so that your adviser can discuss this with you. We will also alert you to an impending maturity. If you do not have an adviser we will provide the information directly to you.
- You can access details of your investment, including transaction details and valuation, by logging on to the client section of the Meteor website www.meteoram.com using your individual username and password which we will provide once your Account is set up.

#### What happens to the Plan if I die?

- We will require a death certificate and any supporting documentation so that we can administer your investments, in accordance with instruction by your personal representatives. We will provide valuations of the Plan held as at the date of death and will outline the options available, which will include re-registering the Plan to a new owner so that it can be held until maturity.
- Where a plan is held jointly by two or more holders, the investment will be the joint property of all the holders and, following proof of death of the relevant holder, all instructions must be authorised by all the remaining joint holders.
- If the Plan has been established as a NISA, it will cease to be tax exempt from the date of death.

## Is this Plan right for me?

Prospective applicants are advised to read this brochure carefully and consider the following in order to decide if this Plan is appropriate for you. It will not be appropriate for you unless you can answer "yes" to the following comments.

- I accept that in the event that the Deposit Taker defaults on payments due from the Plan, I may lose some or all of my deposit plus any interest to which I might otherwise have been entitled. I understand that this is subject to my potential eligibility for, and a limit to the amount of, compensation from the FSCS.
- I accept that the Plan may not provide any interest payment at all
- I understand that the Plan is designed to mature at the end of the 6 year and 2 week term
- I understand that there is no guarantee that I will be able to withdraw from the Deposit before the Maturity Date.

There are other factors that you should consider. The descriptions below are not, and are not intended to be, a complete list of considerations and therefore should be read as a general guidance on helping you decide if this Plan is right for you. For more information, please contact your financial adviser.

#### This Plan may be appropriate for me as:

- I have received financial advice and, if appropriate, tax advice
- I understand how this Plan works
- I am willing and able to accept the risks associated with this Plan
- I accept that I won't know the Opening Level of the relevant Index before the Start Date
- I am comfortable with the fact that should the relevant Index rise by more than the interest payable, I will not receive any additional return
- I accept that, if I place my money into Option 1 and the Final Level of the relevant Index is more than 50% above its Opening Level, the Plan will provide interest of 16% only.
- I accept that, if I place my money into Option 2 and the Final Level of the relevant Index is more than 45% above its Opening Level, the Plan will provide interest of 9% only.
- I can afford to leave my money in the Plan for the full term and I have other savings or investments that are easily accessible
- I want a plan where I have the potential to benefit from the interest payment, which is linked to the performance of the relevant Index
- I want my Plan to provide a single interest payment at maturity rather than regular interest payments
- I am comfortable with the fact that the level and bases of taxation could change in the future, that such changes may be applied retrospectively and that the value of any reliefs will depend on my circumstances
- I understand that in redeeming my Plan early I may lose some or all of the money I place in the Plan and any interest payment from the Plan to which I might otherwise have become entitled

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This could be an appropriate Plan for you. However, you should seek advice from your financial adviser.

#### This Plan may not be appropriate for me as:

- I have not received financial advice and, if appropriate, tax advice
- I am unsure how this Plan works
- I am not willing and able to accept the risks associated with this Plan
- I do not want to be in a position where I won't know the Opening Level of the relevant Index before the Start Date
- I am not comfortable with the fact that should the relevant Index rise by more than the interest payable, I will not receive any additional return
- I cannot accept that, if I place my money into Option 1 and the Final Level of the relevant Index is more than 50% above its Opening Level, the Plan will provide interest of 16% only.
- I cannot accept that, if I place my money into Option 2 and the Final Level of the relevant Index is more than 45% above its Opening Level, the Plan will provide interest of 9% only.
- I cannot afford to leave my money in the Plan as I am likely to need access to my money during the investment term
- I want a plan where the interest payment is not linked to the performance of the relevant Index which may fall as well as rise
- I want my Plan to provide regular interest payments rather than a single interest payment at maturity
- I am not comfortable with the fact that the level and bases of taxation could change in the future, that such changes may be applied retrospectively and that the value of any reliefs will depend on my circumstances
- I am not willing to accept the fact that in redeeming my Plan early I may lose some or all of the money I place in the Plan and any interest payment from the Plan to which I might otherwise have become entitled

This Plan is probably not appropriate for you.

## **Terms and Conditions**

These are Meteor Asset Management Limited's standard Terms and Conditions on which we intend to rely. For your own benefit and protection, please read this document carefully. It contains important information about your rights and obligations as well as limitations and exclusions that may apply to you. If there is anything that you do not understand please contact your financial adviser.

Words which have a specific meaning, are set out in Clause 1 below. Words which we define in the singular form will also include the plural and vice versa. The headings in these Terms are for convenience only and do not limit their scope. Your acceptance of these Terms is signified by you signing the Declaration on the Account application.

#### 1. Definitions

**Application Form** – The form that must be completed to open the Plan.

**Bare Trust** – The arrangement which allows the Plan Manager to act on behalf of the Beneficial Owners in relation to the Deposit.

**Bare Trustee** – Meteor Asset Management Limited, which acts on behalf of the Beneficial Owner in relation to the Deposit.

**Beneficial Owner** – The Plan holder who is entitled to the proceeds of the Plan.

**Business Day** – any day other than a Saturday, Sunday, bank holiday or other UK public holiday.

**Client Account** - All client bank accounts are designated as such in the account name with the words 'client account', in order to distinguish those accounts from any of Meteor Investment Management's own bank accounts held with the same credit institution.

**Client Money** - means money that we hold for you in the course of carrying on designated investment business.

**Deposit** – The fixed term structured deposit arranged by the Bare Trustee to provide the Plan Objective.

**Deposit Redemption Date** – The date(s) on which the Deposit Taker is prepared to to allow Plan holders to withdraw from the Deposit. This will be arranged weekly following the receipt of the written instruction.

Deposit Taker – Royal Bank of Canada (London Branch)

**Direct Plan** – any part of the Plan that is not a NISA.

Financial Conduct Authority - the FCA. Final Levels - as defined on page 2. Financial Services Compensation Scheme - the FSCS.

**Financial Services Register** - a public record of all the firms and individuals regulated by the FCA.

Maturity Date - as defined on page 2. Meteor Capital Group Limited – the parent company of Meteor Asset Management Limited and Meteor Investment

Management Limited. **Net Subscription** - Your Subscription, less any amount you have asked the Plan Manager to pay to meet any adviser charges outlined in Condition 9b.

**NISA** – a New Individual Savings Account set up in line with these Terms and Conditions and the Regulations. **Offshore Life Assurance Bond** - A life assurance bond issued in a jurisdiction outside of the UK

**Opening Levels** – the closing levels of the Indices on the Start Date of the Plan. **Plan** – the NISA or Direct Plan, as described in the Brochure and made up of deposits and cash that the Plan Manager handles on your behalf.

**Plan Administrator** – Meteor Investment Management Limited. Meteor Investment Management Limited is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) and must follow its rules as amended from time to time ("the Rules"). If there are any differences between the Rules and these Terms and Conditions the Rules will apply.

**Plan Manager** – Meteor Asset Management Limited. Meteor Asset Management Limited is authorised and regulated by the FCA and must follow the FCA Rules as amended from time to time. If there are any differences between the Rules and these Terms and Conditions, the Rules will apply.

**Plan Objective** – the objective of securing the return of the Net Subscription and any interest that may become payable as described in the Brochure.

**Regulations** – HM Revenue and Customs Regulations for Individual Savings Accounts as amended from time to time (the 'Regulations').If there are any differences between the Regulations and these Terms and Conditions, the Regulations will apply. **Rules** - the rules of the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) as amended from time to time.

**SIPP** - Self-Invested Personal Pension.

**SSAS** - Small Self-Administered Scheme. **Start Date -** as defined on page 2.

**Subscription** – the total amount(s) you pay into your Plan, or if you are applying for the Plan via a NISA transfer the amount received from your previous NISA manager(s).

We, us, our – Meteor Asset Management Limited ('Meteor'). Meteor is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority ('FCA') and must follow its Rules as amended from time to time ('the Rules'). If there are any differences between the Rules and these Terms and Conditions the Rules will apply.

**You/you, your** – the Plan holder(s) named on the Application Form.

**Your Account** – the Account you hold with the Plan Manager and under which your Plan is held.

#### 2. Your Application

- a. The Plan Manager may accept a fully and correctly completed Application Form and Subscription from you under the provisions of these Terms and Conditions. The Plan Manager has the right to reject an application for any reason.
- b. By signing the Declaration on the Application Form you confirm that the information you have provided is accurate and complete.
- c. By completing the Application Form, you instruct the Plan Manager to choose and place your Net Subscription that has been designed to provide the Plan Objective.
- d. You must invest in this NISA with your own cash or by transferring cash from an existing NISA. The Plan Manager will usually arrange transfers of NISAs with the transferring NISA manager.

These Terms and Conditions will apply to your NISA transfer as soon as the Plan Manager has received the cash.

- e. The Plan Manager will notify you if by reason of any failure to satisfy the provisions of the Regulations, a NISA has, or will, become void.
- f. If the Plan Manager has to cancel or void your NISA under the Regulations, you authorise it to hold your Deposit outside the NISA as a Direct Plan. In this case the Terms and Conditions will continue to apply to your Plan as a Direct Plan. If the Plan Manager has to void your NISA because you are not eligible to hold it, the Plan Manager has the right to deduct any costs or expenses it has incurred.
- g. We shall exercise no discretion as regards the application of the Plan and shall act in a pre-determined manner in accordance with the Terms and Conditions and any instructions received by you in the Application Form or otherwise.

#### 3. Client Classification

- The Plan Manager categorises all clients dependent on their knowledge and experience, to ensure that they receive the appropriate level of regulatory protection.
- b. Except where otherwise notified to you in writing, the Plan Manager shall treat you as a retail client for the purposes of the Rules, to provide the highest level of regulatory protection.



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- c. Clients who could fall outside of this categorisation are other regulated entities, such as insurance companies, investment firms, large occupational pension schemes, listed companies and local or public authorities. Such entities could be categorised as either professional clients or eligible counterparties.
- d. Clients whom the Plan Manager categorises as professional clients or eligible counterparties have the right to request a different categorisation to give a higher degree of protection.

#### 4. How the Plan Manager manages your Deposit

- a. The Plan Manager will be responsible for arranging the placing of funds in the Deposit and for all other transactions for Plan holders.
- b. The Plan Manager may keep all commissions or profits arising from those transactions. Your Plan will be debited as soon as the Plan Manager places your Net Subscription in the Deposit. The Plan Manager does not have to account for any interest earned pending settlements i.e., interest earned on cash held by the Plan Manager before the Start Date or, following a withdrawal from, or the maturity of, the Deposit.
- c. The Plan Manager will be acting as your agent in placing your Subscription in the Deposit and in arranging any withdrawal.
- d. Should you instruct the Plan Manager to withdraw your Deposit, the Plan Manager will process your instruction with all other instructions received from other Plan holders before the next Deposit Redemption Date.
- e. Provided your instruction to make the withdrawal is received no later than close of business on the Business Day preceding the relevant Deposit Redemption Date, the Plan Manager will make the withdrawal on that Deposit Redemption Date. Although the Plan Manager will do its best to process your instruction as quickly as possible, you acknowledge that the Plan Manager is dependent on the Deposit Taker who will determine the amounts payable with reference to prevailing market conditions, interest rates and the level of the relevant Index. The level of the relevant Index may fall between the date the Plan Manager receives your instruction and the date the withdrawal takes place. In such circumstances, the amount you will receive is likely to be less than the amount that might have been payable if the Plan Manager was able to make the withdrawal on the date it received your instruction.

The Plan Manager is not responsible for any failings of the Deposit Taker in the processing of any orders that you may give the Plan Manager.

- f. If, for any reason, we are unable to place your Net Subscription in the Deposit to fulfil the commitments set out in the Brochure, your Net Subscription will be returned to you.
- g. In the event of the Deposit Taker failing or becoming insolvent or being unable to meet its obligations to repay the amounts due you may not receive the amounts your Plan has been designed to pay and you could lose some, or all, of your Net Subscription.
- h. If you subscribe to the Plan through a NISA transfer, any further cash payments received by the Plan Manager from the transferring NISA manager after the Start Date, will be retained in your NISA until we receive your instructions.
- i. You, or someone you nominate, can ask to see all entries in the Plan Manager's records relating to your transactions, at any time. we will maintain these records for at least six years after the Maturity Date or earlier closure of your Plan.

#### 5. Conflicts of interest

- a. The Plan Manager takes all reasonable steps to identify conflicts of interests between it, including its managers, employees and any person linked directly or indirectly to it, and any of its client, and also between clients.
- b. The Plan Manager's aim is to manage any such conflicts that do arise and to ensure that all customers are treated fairly.
- c. The Plan Manager has:
  - Identified instances within its business where such conflicts are likely, or possible;
  - Apportioned responsibility for conflict management to appropriate personnel;
  - · Formulated a policy to manage these conflicts;
  - Ensured that all personnel are aware of the Plan Manager's policy on conflicts and are able to identify any potential conflicts and alert senior management accordingly; and
  - Established a procedure for a regular flow of relevant management information for analysis.

The Plan Manager will regularly review the conflict policy to ensure that it is, and remains, suitable and appropriate for its business.

#### 6. Your right to change your mind

- a. You have the right to cancel your Plan within 14 days of receiving the acceptance letter from the Plan Manager and a notice of your right to change your mind.
- b. If the Plan Manager receives your completed cancellation request after the Start Date, the amount you will receive may be less than your Net Subscription.
- c. You will be responsible for reclaiming any refund from your financial adviser for any adviser charge that the Plan Manager has paid on your behalf.

#### 7. Cash held

- a. You may only apply for and subscribe to the Plan in line with the provisions outlined in this Brochure.
- b. Before the Start Date and after the Maturity Date, or earlier withdrawal from the Deposit, all money belonging to clients is held in a designated Client Account in the name of Meteor Investment Management Limited. This ensures that all clients' money is separate from the funds belonging to the Plan Manager. No interest will be payable on the money.

The Plan Manager does not accept any liability for default by any bank or other financial institution holding funds under these Terms and Conditions. In the event of a default on repayment, any shortfall in clients' monies would be apportioned on a pro-rata basis between all Plan holders (or as otherwise required under the Rules).

- c. The Plan Manager will place your Net Subscription in the Deposit.
- d. At maturity, or earlier redemption of the Deposit, the Plan Manager will hold the proceeds in the Client Account, pending reinvestment of the proceeds in a new plan with us; or the payment of the proceeds to you, or the transfer of the proceeds to a new NISA manager.
- e The Plan Manager will remind you periodically if the Plan Manager holds cash within a plan pending reinvestment.

#### 8. The Plan

- a. You will be the Beneficial Owner of the Deposit and of any cash held in the Plan.
- b. If the Plan Manager was to become insolvent, you might encounter delays in recovering the cash value of your Deposit, and an increased risk of loss. Any shortfall would be shared by all affected Plan holders on a pro-rata basis.
- c. The Plan Manager will hold, or arrange for the safekeeping of any document issued which shows title to the Deposit. The Plan Manager will not lend documents of title to any other person and money may not be borrowed on your behalf against the security of any such documents.

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- d. About a month before the Plan matures the Plan Manager will contact you to explain the various options available to you at maturity of your Plan.
- e. The Plan Manager may use agents in connection with the services that it provides to you, and may delegate any or all of its powers or duties to any delegate(s) of its choice, in accordance with the Regulations. The Plan Manager will satisfy itself that any person to whom it delegates any of its functions or responsibilities is competent to carry out those functions and responsibilities.
- f. The Deposit is structured so that the amount you are due to receive from the Plan at maturity is in accordance with the Plan Objective.

#### 9. Charges

- a. The terms on which the Plan Manager will place your Net Subscription in the Deposit for you will reflect certain charges, fees and expenses. The total charges will be up to 2.5% for Option 1 and 2.25% for Option 2. This will not affect the calculation of interest or the return of your Net Subscription as described in the Brochure.
- b. If you decide to pay any financial adviser charges, you may instruct the Plan Manager to deduct and pay such fees from your Subscription. In all cases the level of such charges must be agreed by you with your financial adviser.
- c. Any charge to your financial adviser will be based on either an agreed percentage of your Subscription or an agreed cash amount. This charge will be deducted from your Subscription, reducing the amount of money placed in the Deposit by this amount.
- d. All charges to your financial adviser that the Plan Manager facilitates will be confirmed to you at the time you agree to apply for the Plan. You are responsible for checking that the amount shown is correct. The Plan Manager will not be responsible for recovering any overpayment form or making up any underpayment to your financial adviser if the amount shown on the confirmation is not the amount you have agreed with your financial adviser.
- e. A fee of £150 plus VAT will apply if you withdraw your Deposit from the Plan before the Maturity Date.
- f. A fee of £150 plus VAT will also apply if you transfer your Plan to another NISA manager prior to the Maturity Date.
- g We reserve the right to increase the charges set out in Conditions 9e and 9f in line with rises in the Retail Prices Index in accordance with Condition 26.
- h. A schedule of the charges is set out on page 15 of this Brochure. The schedule is also available from your Financial Adviser.

#### 10. Taxation

- a. If your Plan is a NISA and you live in the UK, you will not, under current tax rules, have to pay UK Income Tax or UK Capital Gains Tax on the profit from the Plan, but any losses on your Plan will be ignored for the purposes of UK Capital Gains Tax assessment.
- b. If your Plan is, or becomes, a Direct Plan you may, depending on your circumstances, have to pay tax on any interest you receive.
- c. Where appropriate, the Plan Manager will deduct any tax from interest that is credited to your Plan before paying it to you.
- d. The taxation information in this Brochure is based on our understanding of current tax legislation, regulation and practice, which may change in the future and may be applied retrospectively. The tax treatment of your Deposit will depend on your personal circumstances.

#### 11. Keeping you informed

- a. The Plan Manager will send you an acknowledgement of your Application Form within five working days of receipt.
- b. We will send you an initial statement setting out details of the Deposit, shortly after the Start Date.
- c. The Plan Manager will give you a report and valuation of your Plan at six monthly intervals, as set out in the Brochure.
- d. You can contact the Plan Manager by telephone, email, fax or letter for any other information you want about your Plan.
- e. The Plan Manager will be able to provide you with information over the telephone after successful completion of its verification of identity procedures, which may include the need to provide one or more characters from your confidential password and/or the provision of personal information, from which the Plan Manager can identify you.
- f. You can obtain information about your Deposit by accessing our web-based service. When you elect to use the service the Plan Manager will send you a password by email and username by post. You should use these to enter the secure client section of the website, and once in the site, you can change either or both of these.
- g. Unless you elect to receive ongoing paper correspondence on your Application Form, the Plan Manager may provide all information and correspondence in electronic format via email and/or web services. The Plan Manager may also offer alternative media for information and correspondence from time to time.

#### 12. NISA transfers

- a. You have the right to transfer your NISA to another NISA manager, as appropriate, at any time and should advise of this in writing.
- b. If you choose to transfer before the Maturity Date, the Plan Manager will withdraw the Deposit you hold, as set out in Conditions 13a & 13b. The Plan Manager will deduct the charges outlined on page 15, before payment to the new NISA manager.
- c. You cannot transfer part of the value of your Plan. Any transfer must be of the whole of the value of your Plan.

#### 13. Closing your Plan

- a. You may close your Plan at any time by giving the Plan Manager your written instructions. This will not affect any transactions the Plan Manager has already started to carry out. The Plan Manager will arrange redemption of the Deposit at the Deposit Redemption Date immediately following the receipt of your written instruction and will arrange the payment of the proceeds to you within 5 Business Days of the receipt of the proceeds from the Deposit Taker.
- b. The value of your Deposit will be dependent on the value of the Deposit at the date of withdrawal. The value will be quoted by the Deposit Taker.
- c. Before you close or transfer your Plan prior to maturity you should consider that the Plan is designed to be held for the full Deposit term.
- d. If circumstances arise where the Plan Manager needs to close your Plan at any time, the Plan Manager will notify you in writing and in accordance with Condition 26. This will not affect any transactions the Plan Manager has already started to carry out.
- e. Once this agreement has ended, the Plan Manager will not carry out any transactions, except to allow the Plan Manager to pay the proceeds of the Deposit in accordance with your instructions.

#### 14. Death

- a. If you die during the term of the Plan, the Plan Manager will act on the instructions of your personal representatives.
- b. The Plan Manager will confirm the value of your Deposit as at the date of your death and will advise your personal representatives of our requirements.
- c. If they elect to do so your personal representatives are able to re-register the ownership of the Plan and hold it until the Maturity Date.

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- d. If your personal representatives wish to withdraw the Deposit the charge set out on page 15 will apply.
- e. If your Plan is a NISA it will cease to be a NISA from the date of death.

#### 15. Business Disruption, Market Disruption and Adjustment Events

a. The Plan Manager will perform its obligations set out in these Terms and Conditions unless events outside of its reasonable control prevent or restrict it from so doing. Such events are outlined below. If such an event occurs, one consequence may be that a payment due to you is adjusted, reduced or delayed. In all cases the Plan Manager will use due care when considering how to respond and its response will be fair and proportionate. Neither the Plan Manager nor the Plan Administrator will be liable for any failure or delay in performing its obligations, as described in the Brochure or these Terms and Conditions, caused by a Business Disruption Event and will use reasonable efforts to minimise any adverse impact on you as far as they reasonably can. If you are being disadvantaged we will tell you as soon as possible. A Business Disruption Event means a significant event which is outside the Plan Manager's control. Examples are: · Strikes, lockouts or other industrial

action;

- Civil commotion, riot, invasion, terrorist attack or threat of terrorist attack, war, the threat of, or preparation for, war;
- Fire, explosion, storm, flood, earthquake, subsidence, epidemic or other natural disaster;
- Restrictions imposed by legislation, regulation or other governmental initiatives that are not a result of misconduct;
- Recession or significant economic collapse of a market or country;
- Failure of transport networks or other external utilities (for example telecommunications networks, water or power) leading to unavoidable disruption;
- The suspension, limitation or material disruption of trading of any underlying index or share to which interest from the Plan is linked;
- The exchanges on which any underlying share, to which interest from the Plan is linked, failing to open for trading or closing early;
- The exchanges on which the constituent shares of any Index to which interest from the Plan is linked failing to open for trading or closing early; or

• The level of any underlying index or share, to which interest from the Plan is linked, is not calculated or published.

There may be other significant events outside the Plan Manager's control that it is unable to anticipate. If such an event impacts its ability to perform its obligations under the Plan, the Plan Manager will advise you as soon as reasonably able, and let you know how it intends to deal with it. How quickly it would be able to notify you may depend upon the severity of the event.

b. Adjustment events can arise for different reasons and may affect a stock market, an index or an individual company. Should any share and/or index, to which the interest from the Plan is linked, experience an event of the nature of the examples above, which has or may have an effect on the value of its shares, the Deposit Taker or one of its affiliates may in good faith, determine whether any adjustment to the terms and conditions of the Deposit is required.

Any adjustment could include the amendment of the Opening Level, removal or substitution of any affected share and/or index, or even bring forward the Maturity Date of the Deposit.

Examples which may constitute an adjustment event include, but are not limited to, insolvency, suspension, delisting, a rights issue, a merger with or takeover by another company and nationalisation, a material change in the calculation of an index, the cancellation of an index or the failure of an index sponsor to calculate and announce the level of an index.

As soon as practical, the Plan Administrator will advise you of any adjustment to be made to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

The terms of the Plan contain provisions which may result in adjustments to the calculation of your entitlement to any interest from the Deposit and/or the timing of such calculation as a result of extraordinary circumstances, disruption or certain adjustment events.

c. Any payment due to you under the Plan is dependent on payment being made by the Counterparty, in accordance with the terms of the Deposit. These terms contain provisions which may result in adjustments to the calculation of your entitlement and/or the timing of such calculation as a result of certain adjustment or market disruption events. Depending on the event or circumstance, you may have to wait longer for the maturity proceeds than the Maturity Date.

#### 16. Prevention of money laundering

- a. Your financial adviser has to verify your identity for the purpose of antimoney laundering regulations and will probably have asked you for sight of various documents in order to fulfil this requirement. The Plan Manager is able to accept the verification provided by your adviser but does reserve the right to request additional information and/ or documentation to satisfy its own antimoney laundering procedures.
- b. The Plan Manager will carry out electronic checks on your identity before the Plan Manager can accept an application from you or prior to withdrawing Deposits on your behalf. This is so that the Plan Manager can be sure that they are taking instructions only from the correct person. The check will be carried out using a reliable and reputable electronic database agency. This is not a credit check and will leave a different 'footprint' on your electronic record to that left by a credit check.
- c. This enables the Plan Manager to comply with the UK anti-money laundering regulations and the Rules and is for your protection. In completing an application you give the Plan Manager permission to obtain such information.
- d. It might be necessary for the Plan Manager to ask you for, and for you to provide, more information as part of this process.

#### **17. Providing information to HMRC**

- a. You authorise the Plan Manager to give HMRC all relevant details of your NISA which they may reasonably ask for at any time.
- b. The Plan Manager will tell you if your NISA has or will become invalid.

#### 18. Communications and unwanted calls

- a. The Plan Manager will usually only communicate with and report to you in writing.
- b. You give the Plan Manager permission to communicate by email or to phone you if the Plan Manager need to do so but only at a reasonable hour.

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#### **19. Corporate and Trustee Plan holders**

- a. If you are a company or corporate trustee you confirm that:
  - · You have the corporate authority to make a deposit in the Plan.
  - · By making a deposit, you do not breach any of your constitutional documents.
  - You have provided an up-to-date list of signatories.
- b. You agree to give the Plan Manager any documents and information that the Plan Manager asks for, in support of your application.
- c. If you are a trustee you confirm that:
   You are an authorised trustee of the relevant trust.
  - You have the authority and consent to make a deposit in the Plan.
  - By making a deposit, you do not breach the constituting trust documents.
  - You have provided an up to date list of trustees and signatories.
- d. You agree to give the Plan Manager any documents and information that the Plan Manager asks for in support of your application.

#### 20. Liability

- a. We will use reasonable care and skill to carry out the obligations set out in these Terms and Conditions and will be liable to you if a Rule or a Regulation is broken, only for any negligence or deliberate fraud on our part, or that of any associated companies or any employees of one or more of those companies. We will not be liable to you or have any responsibility for any loss or damage you suffer as a result of any event or circumstance that is not reasonably within our control. We will not be liable to you for any act of fraud by any person, firm or company through, or with whom, transactions are carried out on our behalf (other than any bankers, firms, companies or any employees of companies who are associated companies).
- b. Please note that we act as Bare Trustee and therefore we owe no fiduciary duties to You. We do however owe you duties based on this contract, the Rules and the Regulations and the common law. If you have any issues relating to this please contact your financial adviser.
- c. We will not be liable or have any responsibility of any kind for any loss or damage you suffer as a result of any failure, interruption or delay in carrying out our obligations resulting from:
  - Breakdown or failure of any telecommunications or computer service;

- Industrial disputes;
- Failure of other people to carry out their obligations;
- Acts of governments or international authorities;
- Any other event or circumstance that is not reasonably within our control.
- d. We may retire as Plan Manager on giving one month's notice, and we may appoint a new entity as Plan Manager and Bare Trustee of the Bare Trust. The new Plan Manager must be approved to act as a NISA manager by HMRC.
- e. If we become insolvent or default under our obligations as Bare Trustee, the Deposit Taker has the power to appoint a new Bare Trustee to replace the Plan Manager (which must be approved to act as a NISA manager by HMRC) in relation to the Bare Trust.
- f. We maintain insurance cover to indemnify clients against (among other things) any of our employees dishonestly using funds or shares or other qualifying deposits.
- g. Nothing in these Terms and Conditions will exclude, or restrict to an extent prohibited by the Rules of the FCA, any duty or liability we may have under the regulatory system (as defined by the FCA Rules). Nothing in these Terms and Conditions of business will exclude any obligations we may have in common law.
- h. RBC's only role in the Plan described in this document is to act as the Deposit Taker. The taking of the Deposit is independent and separate to the management of the Plan. In particular, RBC does not offer, provide, sponsor, or manage the Plan and does not accept any liability in relation to the issue, management and operation of the Plan.

#### **21. Complaint Handling**

- a. You may complain to the Compliance Officer of the Plan Manager about any aspect of your dealings with the Plan Manager and/or the Plan Administrator, at the address shown within this Brochure.
- b. If you ask, the Plan Manager will send you written details of how we will deal with your complaint.
- c. If you are not satisfied with the way the Plan Manager has dealt with your complaint you can complain to the Financial Ombudsman Service at South Quay Plaza II, 183 Marsh Wall, London E14 9SR. Tel: 0800 023 4567.
- d. Making a complaint will not affect your right to take legal action.

#### 22. Access to the Financial Services Compensation Scheme

- a. Both Meteor Asset Management Limited and Meteor Investment Management Limited are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme ('FSCS') and you may be entitled to compensation from FSCS if the Plan Manager cannot meet their obligations. The compensation limit is currently £50,000 per person. If the level of your claim against the Plan Manager is greater than £50,000 you would not be covered for the excess. If you hold a Plan in joint names, the compensation limit would apply to each of the joint holders.
- b. You may also be entitled to compensation from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme in the event that the Deposit Taker is declared to be in default. The Deposit Taker is a participant in the Financial Services Compensation Scheme. Where a customer has made a personal application for a deposit and the Deposit Taker fails to make the payments due from the Deposit the customer may have an eligible claim to recover any resulting losses from FSCS. The Plan Manager will notify the Deposit Taker that the Deposits they make are not for its benefit but represent deposits made by and belonging to individual Plan holders. Whether you are eligible to make a claim to FSCS will depend on various factors. including the size of the relevant Deposit and the laws and regulations applicable to the relevant financial institution (which may vary depending on where they are based). As Bare Trustee the Plan Manager may, depending on the laws, regulations and the facts at the time, make a claim on your behalf.
- c. In respect of an eligible claim the maximum claim will be £85,000 per person. You should note that all amounts you hold in accounts with the Deposit Taker, and any other member of its group included in the same FCA registration, will count towards the maximum. This means that if you hold more than £85,000 you are not entitled to compensation for any amount you lose above the £85,000 limit. If your Plan, in which the Deposit is held, is in joint names, the compensation limit would apply to each joint holder.
- d. You can get more information about compensation arrangements from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme.
- e. If the performance of the Deposit does not match any illustrated benefits, you will not, for that reason alone, be entitled to any compensation under the Financial Services Compensation Scheme.



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#### 23. Governing law

 These Terms and Conditions will be governed by English law and will come into force when the Plan Manager receives your signed Application Form.

#### 24. Enforcement

- a. If any of these Terms and Conditions are held to be unenforceable this shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions. The unenforceable provision will be replaced by an enforceable provision, which comes closest to the intention of the unenforceable provision, and which is of similar economic effect.
- b. If the Plan Manager fails, or chooses not to, enforce any provision of these Terms and Conditions this will not constitute a waiver of its right to subsequently enforce such provision or any other provision of these Terms and Conditions.
- c. None of the Plan Manager's employees, officers or agents may verbally alter, modify or waive any provision of these Terms and Conditions.

#### 25. Data Protection statement

- a. The Plan Manager may hold personal and financial information on computer and manual systems, and use this to handle and service your Plan and to put together statistics for assessment and analysis.
- b. The Plan Manager may make your personal and financial information available:
  - To the Deposit Taker;
  - To associated companies (as defined in Section 416 of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988) to process this application (the Plan Manager or an associated company may contact you by mail, phone or Email with products or services that may interest you);
  - To your financial adviser by Email or other means, including a secure internet service;
  - As the Plan Manager is obliged to under the requirements of any law, regulation or court order that they must follow;
  - To you if you ask and in line with the Data Protection Act 1998;
  - To transfer the data to third party service providers and agents;
  - To transfer the data outside of the European Economic Area e.g. to a low cost processor or for IT back-up purposes.
  - To use the data for fraud prevention and anti-money laundering purposes; and
- c. You should notify the Plan Manager of changes in your data.
- d. If you require a copy of the information the Plan Manager holds on you, You should write to the Data Protection Officer at Meteor Asset Management.

#### 26. Amendment to these Terms and Conditions

The Plan Manager may vary these Terms and Conditions from time to time by giving you at least one month's notice of such change. The Plan Manager will only make changes for good reason including, but not limited to:

- Making them clearer and more favourable to you;
- Reflecting legitimate increases or reductions in the cost of providing the service to you;
- Providing for the introduction of new systems, services, changes in technology and products;
- Rectifying any mistakes that may be discovered in due course;
- · Reflecting a change of applicable law or regulation.

Any amendment which is made to reflect a change of applicable law or regulation may take effect immediately, or otherwise, as the Plan Manager may specify.



## Account Application (Direct/NISA/NISA Transfer)

Please complete this form using BLOCK CAPITALS in blue or black ink. For extra applications, visit our website at www.meteoram.com.

Applicant 1	Applicant 2
Title (Mr, Mrs, Miss, Ms)	Title (Mr, Mrs, Miss, Ms)
Surname	Surname
Full forename(s)	Full forename(s)
Permanent address	Permanent address
Postcode	Postcode
Date of birth D D M M Y Y Y Y	Date of birth
Occupation	Occupation
Tel no.	Tel no.
Email address	Email address
National Insurance (NI) number:	National Insurance (NI) number:
You can find your NI number on a payslip, form P45 or P60, letters fro	m the HM Revenue and Customs or the Benefits Agency, or pension order book.
Are you a US Citizen? Yes No	Are you a US Citizen? Yes No
Are you resident in the UK for tax purposes? Yes No	Are you resident in the UK for tax purposes? Yes No
Are you resident for tax purposes in any other country? Yes No	Are you resident for tax purposes in any other country? Yes No
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2. Provision of Future Information	
Online communications only	Paper-based correspondence (0.25% initial charge)
Lunderstand that I will only receive future details of my account via	I prefer to continue to receive all details of my account including

I understand that I will only receive future details of my account via email and online, and that no further paper correspondence will be sent to me. (Please ensure that a valid email address is inserted in section 1 above.) I prefer to continue to receive all details of my account, including valuation statements, by post. I understand that this will incur an additional initial account charge of 0.25%.

For security purposes, please provide us with a password so we can give you information over the telephone:

#### 3. Plan amount (minimum £5,000)

Please complete the plan details below.

Plan Name	D please e	Adviser Charge		
	Direct	NISA (2014/15)	NISA transfer	% or £
Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option 1				
Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option 2				
Your account must have cleared funds of this amount before any plan orders a	are executed.	Total Amount:	£	

#### Please tick if the adviser charges detailed will be subject to VAT

#### Please indicate method of payment:

#### Cheque

1. Your details

Please make your cheque payable to **Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account**. If you are sending us a building society cheque it should include your name in brackets on the payee line.

#### Electronic payment

If you send money by bank transfer, the details you require are: Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account HSBC Bank plc IBAN: GB86MIDL40271593666182 Sort Code: 40-27-15 Account Number: 93666182.

#### 4. Your bank details for any growth/income/interest and maturity payments

Bank name:					Bank sort code:				-		-	
Account					Account number:							
name:		Reference (if any):										
Βι	uilding Societ	y Reference or Roll No	:									
Ha	we you recei	ved financial advice	?									
Yes, I/we have received advice from							(nar	ne c	of firm)			
	No, I/we hav	en't received financial a	dvice.									
5.	Please answ	wer the questions	below:									
1.	Please indicat	e if you hold any of the	following investm	nents:								
	Bank deposits	cash NISAs stock	s and shares NISAs	Unit trust	s/investment trusts Di	rect eq	uity	inves	stmen	t	oth	er
2.	Please indica	te if you have ever held:										
	Any investment where the capital and growth/income/interest payment(s) are variable and are based on the performance of the underlying securities, such as equities, commodities, indices or corporate bonds.				Yes		1					
	A structured	product or a structured	deposit such as th	ne one you ar	e applying for.				Yes	5		No
3.	Do you have	the capacity and willing	ness to accept the	e risks of the	plan?				Yes			No 🗌
4.	performance		that in the event of		ayment(s) will depend on ket conditions you may no		ve		Yes	;	1	No 🗌
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6.	or on earlier		se some, or all, of	your subscrip	e amounts due when the otion amount as well as a en entitled?				Yes	5	1	No 🗌
7.	Do you unde	rstand the charges asso	ciated with the Pla	an?					Yes		1	
8.	Do you unde	rstand the personal tax	implications of th	e Plan?					Yes			
9.	Do you unde	rstand the compensatio	n arrangements a	pplicable to	the Plan?				Yes	5	1	No 🗌

#### 6. Intermediary details

Firm name:		Financial Services Register Number:	
Branch:		Adviser:	

#### 7. Adviser Declaration

I confirm that all dealings with the applicant(s) have been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the FCA Handbook. I declare that this application has been completed to the best of my knowledge and belief and I have agreed any adviser charge with the applicant(s).

I can confirm that I have carried out the appropriate identity checks and have retained a completed 'Verification of Identity Certificate' and relevant supporting documents, which are available on request. I have seen the original documents and any that need a signature were already signed.

Date:



#### 8. Declaration for all applicants

#### I/we declare that I/we:

- am/are 18 years of age or older
- have carefully read the Plan brochure including any applicable Terms and Conditions for the Plan and accept the terms under which the Plan will be managed
- have completed this form to the best of my/our knowledge and belief and the information given in the application, whether in handwriting or not, is true and complete
- am/are not, or acting on the behalf of, a resident of the United States and that I/we will not assist any person who is so resident
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should I/we become resident(s) of the United States
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should there be any change in my/our residency for tax purposes
- will inform Meteor without delay of any change in my/our circumstances affecting any of the information in this form
- have agreed the amount of any adviser charge as shown overleaf and note that the agreed terms will be confirmed to me by Meteor on acceptance of such instruction

#### I/we authorise Meteor:

- to hold my/our cash subscription, deposits, interest, dividends and other rights or proceeds in respect of those deposits and any cash or other proceeds
- to make on my/our behalf any claims to relief from tax in respect of NISA deposits

#### I/we understand that:

- Meteor does not provide investment advice and confirm that I/we either do not require such advice or have received advice on this Plan from a financial adviser as shown above
- If I/we have received financial advice, my/our financial adviser is not acting as agent to the Issuer or its affiliates.

#### Also Applicable to all NISA Applicants:

I declare that:

- all subscriptions made, and to be made, belong to me
- I have not subscribed and will not subscribe more than the overall subscription limit in total to a cash NISA and a stocks and shares NISA in the same tax year
- I have not subscribed and will not subscribe to another stocks and shares NISA in the same tax year that I subscribe to this stocks and shares NISA

Important Note: Any subscriptions made to a cash ISA or a stocks and shares ISA between 6th April 2014 and 30th June 2014 inclusive are now treated as if they were subscriptions to a cash NISA or stocks and shares NISA (as applicable).

Signature:	
Name:	
Signature:	
Name:	
Date:	

Note: If you have filled in and signed this application form, please send it to Meteor Asset Management Limited, 55 King William Street, London EC4R 9AD or back to your financial adviser to submit the form.

For NISA Transfers please also complete and return the Existing NISA transfer request form on the following page.

Please ensure that you complete the Existing NISA transfer request form overleaf.



## **Existing NISA transfer request**

Please complete this form using BLOCK CAPITALS in blue or black ink. For extra applications, simply photocopy this form or download a copy from our website at www.meteoram.com

Please supply your account deta	ils.	Account number	:			
Title (Mr, Mrs, Miss, Ms):	Surname:					
Full forename(s):			Date of birth:	D D M M Y Y Y Y		
Permanent residential address:						
			Postcode:			
NI number:			l'ostcouc.			
Indicate the amount to be tr	ansferred:		Тур	be of NISA		
£			cash	stocks and shares		
NISA Account number:			Sort Code:			
Name of existing NISA:						
1. Have you subscribed to your o	current NISA in the current tax ye	ar?		Yes No		
2. Do you wish to: Close your account and trans	for the halance plus interest?			Yes No		
if no, do you wish to:	ler the balance plus interest?					
Transfer your current year sul	oscription as part of the transfer?			Yes No		
Transfer your current year sul				Yes No		
N.B. If your intended transfer subscriptions must be transfer	ncludes the transfer of current red.	year subscriptions, all of th	ne present valu	ie derived from current year		
Name of existing NISA manager:						
Address:						
			Postcod	e		
Any special instructions:						
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	letailed above I authorise my exis	5 5				
	ne NISA together with any interes nvestment Management Limited.		within the acco	ount, or the amount specified,		
	ormation, written or non-written, a		from them relat	ing to the transfer.		
	nterest & tax credits arising after t					
<ol> <li>a) Proceed immediately with the transfer and, where a period of notice is required for closure/part transfer, apply any consequential penalty (delete as appropriate); OR</li> </ol>						
b) Proceed with the transfe	r only after the full notice period	has expired (delete as appro	priate)			
Signature:			Date:			

Note: If you have filled in and signed this form, please send it to Meteor Asset Management Limited, 55 King William Street, London EC4R 9AD or to your financial adviser to submit the form.

Please ensure that you complete the Existing NISA transfer request form on previous page.



# Trustee Account Application for Pension Schemes (SIPP & SSAS)

Please complete this form using BLOCK CAPITALS in blue or black ink. For extra applications, visit our website at www.meteoram.com

1. Your details			
Proposers: (The Trustee(s))			
		Scheme Name:	
Name of administrators:		Scheme Reference No:	
Address for		Type of pension scheme: (plea	ase tick one box below)
correspondence:	Postcode:	A small self-administered sche	
Contact name:		Please note: a copy of the H	MRC approval letter must be
		enclosed with all SSAS appli	
Contact tel no:		A self-invested personal pension	on scheme (SIPP):
Email:			
Please provide the	details of the scheme beneficiary here.		
Title (Mr, Mrs, Miss, Ms):	Surname:		
Full forename(s):			
Permanent residential address:			
Postcode:	Country:		
Occupation:		find the NI number on a payslip, form F	
NI number:		stoms or the Benefits Agency, or pensior	order book.
Is the Beneficiary a US Ci		the Beneficiary resident in the UK for ta	
is the beneficiary resident	for tax purposes in any other country? If yes, provi	de details of the Country(les) and Tax Re	ference(s). Yes No
	e details (to be completed by non-regulate	ed trusts only)	
Trustee 1 Full name		Trustee 2 Full name	
Permanent		Permanent	
address		address	
	Postcode		Postcode
		Date of birth DDMM	YYYYY
	ls of additional individuals on a separate sh	ieet)	
	(minimum £5,000)		
Please complete the	plan details below.		
Name of Plan	acker Departit Plan December 2014 Option	Amount (£)	Adviser Charge (% or £)
· ·	acker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option acker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option		
	cleared funds of this amount before any plan orde		t: £
	he adviser charges detailed will be subj bad of payment:	ect to VAT	
Please indicate met Cheque	nod of payment:	Electronic payment	
Please make your chequ	e payable to Meteor Investment Management	If you send money by bank tran	nsfer, the details you require are:
	t. If you are sending us a building society cheque ame in brackets on the payee line.	<ul> <li>Meteor Investment Managem HSBC Bank plc</li> </ul>	ent Limited Client Account
is should include your fi	and in brackets on the payee line.	IBAN: GB86MIDL4027159366 Sort Code: 40-27-15	56182
		Account Number: 93666182.	

#### 3. Provision of Information

#### Online communications only

I understand that I will only receive future details of my account via email and online, and that no further paper correspondence will be sent to me. (Please ensure that a valid email address is inserted in section 1 above.)

#### Paper-based correspondence (0.25% initial charge)

I prefer to continue to receive all details of my account, including valuation statements, by post. I understand that this will incur an additional initial account charge of 0.25%.

For security purposes, please provide us with a password so we can give you information over the telephone:	

#### 4. Your bank details for growth/income/interest and maturity payments

ank name:		Bank sort code:		-		-		
ccount		Account number:						
ame:		Reference (if any):						
Building Society Reference or Roll No:								
Have you received financial advice?								
Yes, I/we have received advice from					(nan	ne o	of firm)	
No, I/we have	en't received financial advice.							
Please answ	wer the questions below:							
Please indicat	e if you hold any of the following investments:							
Bank deposits	cash NISAs stocks and shares NISAs Unit trust	s/investment trusts Direct equ	uity inve	stmen	t	oth	er	
Please indicat	te if you have ever held:							
Any investment where the capital and growth/income/interest payment(s) are variable and are based on the performance of the underlying securities, such as equities, commodities, indices or corporate bonds.					s 🗌			
A structured p	product or a structured deposit such as the one you ar	e applying for.		Ye	s	] N	No 🗌	
Do you have	the capacity and willingness to accept the risks of the	plan?		Ye	s	N	No 🗌	
performance	of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse mar		e	Ye	5	<b>1</b>	No 🗌	
were to witho	draw early the amount you receive would depend on t	he value of the Plan at the date		Ye	5	] <b>r</b>	No 🗌	
or on earlier w	withdrawal, you may lose some, or all, of your subscrip	otion amount as well as any gro		Ye	s	] r	No 🗌	
Do you unde	rstand the charges associated with the Plan?			Ye	s	N	No 🔄	
Do you under	rstand the personal tax implications of the Plan?			Ye	5	N	No	
Do you unde	rstand the compensation arrangements applicable to	the Plan?		Ye	s	N	No 🗌	
	ilding Societ ve you recei Yes, I/we hav No, I/we hav Please answ Please indicat Bank deposits Please indicat Any investme the performa A structured Do you have Do you under performance any growth/ir Do you under were to witho of withdrawa Do you unde or on earlier income/inter Do you unde	count         ame:         nilding Society Reference or Roll No:         ve you received financial advice?         Yes, I/we have received advice from         No, I/we haven't received financial advice.         Please answer the questions below:         Please indicate if you hold any of the following investments:         Bank deposits       cash NISAs         stocks and shares NISAs       Unit trust         Please indicate if you have ever held:         Any investment where the capital and growth/income/interest payr         the performance of the underlying securities, such as equities, com         A structured product or a structured deposit such as the one you ar         Do you understand that the amount of any growth/income/interest payr         any growth/income/interest payment(s)?         Do you understand that the Plan is designed to be held for the full I         were to withdraw early the amount you receive would depend on to         of withdrawal and that if the Deposit Taker were unable to pay the         or on earlier withdrawal, you may lose some, or all, of your subscriptincome/interest payment(s) to which you would otherwise have be         Do you understand the charges associated with the Plan?         Do you understand the personal tax implications of the Plan?	Account number:         Reference (if any):         iilding Society Reference or Roll No:         iilding Society Reference or Roll No:         ve you received financial advice?         Yes, I/we have received advice from         No, I/we haven't received financial advice.         Please answer the questions below:         Please indicate if you hold any of the following investments:         Bank deposits       cash NISAs         stocks and shares NISAs       Unit trusts/investment trusts         Direct equ         Please indicate if you have ever held:         Any investment where the capital and growth/income/interest payment(s) are variable and are based the performance of the underlying securities, such as equities, commodities, indices or corporate be A structured product or a structured deposit such as the one you are applying for.         Do you understand that the amount of any growth/income/interest payment(s) will depend on the performance of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse market conditions you may not receiv any growth/income/interest payment(s)?         Do you understand that the Plan is designed to be held for the full Plan term and if you were to withdraw early the amount you receive would depend on the value of the Plan at the date of withdrawal and that this value could be less than the amount you deposited?         Do you understand that if the Deposit Taker were unable to pay the amounts due when the Plan m or on earlier withdrawal, you may lose some, or all, of your subscription amount as well as any gro income/intere	Account number:         mme:       Reference (if any):         iilding Society Reference or Roll No:       Reference (if any):         ve you received financial advice?       Yes, I/we have received advice from         No, I/we haven't received financial advice.       Please answer the questions below:         Please indicate if you hold any of the following investments:       Direct equity inve         Bank deposits       cash NISAs       stocks and shares NISAs       Unit trusts/investment trusts       Direct equity inve         Please indicate if you have ever held:       Any investment where the capital and growth/income/interest payment(s) are variable and are based on the performance of the underlying securities, such as equities, commodities, indices or corporate bonds.         A structured product or a structured deposit such as the one you are applying for.       Do you understand that the amount of any growth/income/interest payment(s) will depend on the performance of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse market conditions you may not receive any growth/income/interest payment(s)?         Do you understand that the Plan is designed to be held for the full Plan term and if you were to withdraw and that this value could be less than the amount you deposited?         Do you understand that if the Deposit Taker were unable to pay the amounts due when the Plan matures, or on earlier withdrawal, you may lose some, or all, of your subscription amount as well as any growth/ income/interest payment(s) to which you would otherwise have been entitled?         Do you understand the charges as	Account number:       Account number:         Reference (if any):       Image:         ididing Society Reference or Roll No:       Image:         ve you received financial advice?       Image:         Yes, I/we have received advice from       Image:         No, I/we haven't received financial advice.       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Yes:         Do you understand that the amount of any growth/income/interest payment(s) will depend on the performance of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse market conditions you may not receive any growth/income/interest payment(s) will depend on the performance of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse market conditions you may not receive any growth/income/interest payment(s)?       Yes:         Do you understand that the Plan is designed to be held for the full Plan term and if you were to withdrawal and that this value could be less than the amounty you deposited?       Yes:	Account number:       Account number:         Reference (if any):       Reference (if any):         iilding Society Reference or Roll No:	Account number:       Account number:         Reference (if any):       IIII and IIIII and IIIII and IIIIIIIIII	

#### 6. Intermediary details

Firm name:	-		Financial Services Register Number:
Branch:		Adviser:	

#### 7. Adviser Declaration

I confirm that all dealings with the applicant(s) have been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the FCA Handbook. I declare that this application has been completed to the best of my knowledge and belief and I have agreed any adviser charge with the applicant(s).

I can confirm that I have carried out the appropriate identity checks and have retained a completed 'Verification of Identity Certificate' and relevant supporting documents, which are available on request. I have seen the original documents and any that need a signature were already signed.

Signed on behalf of the above:

Date:

## **Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014**



#### 8. Authorised Signatures

The exercise of any options under the Terms and Conditions must be authorised by the requisite number of authorised signatories or, where a number is not stipulated, by at least one authorised signature. Please provide the names and sample signatures of all those who will be authorised signatories. If you require more than five, please continue on a separate sheet of paper. Where there is any change to the authorised signatories, please notify Meteor in writing giving the date of the change (Meteor will be entitled to rely on the previous list until it is informed to the contrary).

Signed:	Name:	Date:
Signed:	Name:	Date:

#### 9. Declaration

#### I/we declare that I/we:

- I have carefully read the Plan brochure including any applicable Terms and Conditions for the Plan and accept the terms under which the Plan will be managed
- apply as Trustees/authorised signatories for an Account to be opened in accordance with Meteor standard Terms and Conditions
- have completed this form to the best of my/our knowledge and belief and the information given in the application, whether in handwriting or not, is true and complete
- am/are not, or acting on the behalf of, a resident of the United States; and that I/we will not assist any person who is so resident
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should the scheme beneficiary become resident(s) of the United States
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should there be any change in the scheme beneficiary's residency for tax purposes
- will inform Meteor without delay of any change in my/our circumstances affecting any of the information in this form I/we confirm that:
- my/our powers of investment, and delegation of those powers, permit me/us to invest the assets of the Scheme(s)
- the investing scheme is a registered pension scheme under Part 4 of the Finance Act 2004 (or an application for its registration has been made) and I/we undertake to advise Meteor immediately if it ceases to be a registered pension scheme or if its application for registration is withdrawn or refused
- I/we will tell Meteor if the Scheme is not granted exempt approval or if that approval is withdrawn
- I/we understand and agree that any deposits in the Plan will be allocated in accordance with my/our instructions to Meteor (which includes any set out in the '3. Plan amount' section of this application)
- this application and the Terms and Conditions referred to above shall form the basis of the contract between me/us and Meteor. I/we acknowledge receipt of the Terms and Conditions, further copies of which are available on request
- I/we recognise that if I/we have received financial advice, my/our financial adviser is not acting as agent to the Issuer or its affiliates
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to hold my/our cash subscription, deposits, interest, dividends and other rights or proceeds in respect of those deposits and any cash or other proceeds

#### I/we understand that:

Meteor does not provide investment advice and confirm that I/we either do not require such advice or have received advice on this Plan from a financial adviser as shown above

For and on behalf of the Trustees of the Scheme:

Signature:	
Name:	
Signature:	
Name:	
Date:	

Note: If you have filled in and signed this application form, please send it to Meteor Asset Management Limited, 55 King William Street, London EC4R 9AD or back to your financial adviser to submit the form.





## Account Application for Trustees (see separate application for SIPP & SSAS)

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1. Your det	ails		
Trust name:			
Address for correspondence	2:		
		Postcode:	
Type of trust (if applicable): Name of administrators:			
Contact name:		Contact tel no:	
Email:			
Trustee	e details for Trustees and Beneficiaries with 25%	Trustee	if necessary)
Full name		Full name	
Permanent address		Permanent address	
-	Postcode:	Postcode:	
Country of residence		Country of residence	
Date of birth		Date of birth $D$ $D$ $M$ $M$ $Y$ $Y$ $Y$ $Y$	

#### 2. Tax Status

Please list all countries where you are resident for tax purposes. This usually means the country / countries where you have an obligation to pay taxes or file tax returns. Please also provide your associated Tax Identification Number (TIN). A TIN is the tax reference number issued to you by the tax office in the country where you are resident for tax purpose. Where the country does not issue a TIN, please provide an equivalent reference.

Country		TIN	
Country		TIN	
Country		TIN	
Country		TIN	
Is the Trust	han those stated above? Yes No		
If "Yes", ple	ase provide details on a separate sheet.		

Does the Trust have a Global Intermediary Identification Number (GIIN) issued by the US Inland Revenue Service? Yes No If "Yes", please provide the GIIN:

#### 3. Plan amount (minimum £5,000)

Please complete the plan details below.

Name of Plan	Amount (£)	Adviser Charge (% or £)
Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option 1		
Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option 2		

Your account must have cleared funds of this amount before any plan orders are executed.
Please tick if the adviser charges detailed will be subject to VAT

#### Diagon indicate method of normanti

Please indicate method of payment:

#### Cheque

Please make your cheque payable to **Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account**. If you are sending us a building society cheque it should include your name in brackets on the payee line.



If you send money by bank transfer, the details you require are: Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account HSBC Bank plc IBAN: GB86MIDL40271593666182 Sort Code: 40-27-15 Account Number: 93666182.

Total Amount: £

#### 4. Provision of Information

#### Online communications only

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#### Paper-based correspondence (0.25% initial charge)

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For security purposes, please provide us with a password so we can give you information over the telephone:

#### 5. Your bank details for growth/income/interest and maturity payments

Ba	ank name:		Bank sort code:			-			-	
A	ccount		Account number:							
na	ame:		Reference (if any):							
Βι	uilding Societ	y Reference or Roll No:								
На	ive you recei	ved financial advice?								
	Yes, I/we hav	ve received advice from					) (I	nam	e of	firm)
	No, I/we hav	en't received financial advice.								
6.	Please answ	wer the questions below:								
1.	Please indicat	te if you hold any of the following investments:								
	Bank deposits	cash NISAs stocks and shares NISAs Unit trust	s/investment trusts Direct equ	uity i	nves	stme	ent		othe	r
2.	Please indica	te if you have ever held:								
Any investment where the capital and growth/income/interest payment(s) are variable and are based on the performance of the underlying securities, such as equities, commodities, indices or corporate bonds. <b>Yes</b>							(es		N	o 🗌
	A structured	product or a structured deposit such as the one you a	re applying for.			Y	/es		N	o 🗌
3.	Do you have	the capacity and willingness to accept the risks of the	plan?			Y	/es		N	o 🗌
4.	performance	rstand that the amount of any growth/income/interest pa of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse mar ncome/interest payment(s)?		'e		Y	/es		N	o 🗌
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6.	or on earlier	rstand that if the Deposit Taker were unable to pay the withdrawal, you may lose some, or all, of your subscri est payment(s) to which you would otherwise have be	ption amount as well as any gro			Y	(es		N	o 🗌
7.	Do you unde	rstand the charges associated with the Plan?				Y	/es		N	o 🛄
8.	Do you unde	rstand the personal tax implications of the Plan?				Y	/es		N	o 🗌
9.	Do you unde	rstand the compensation arrangements applicable to	the Plan?			Y	/es		N	o 🗌

#### 7. Intermediary details

Firm name:			Financial Services Register Number:
Branch:		Adviser:	

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I confirm that all dealings with the applicant(s) have been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the FCA Handbook. I declare that this application has been completed to the best of my knowledge and belief and I have agreed any adviser charge with the applicant(s).

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Signed on behalf of the above:		Date:	
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## **Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014**



#### 9. Authorised Signatures

The exercise of any options under the Terms and Conditions must be authorised by the requisite number of authorised signatories or, where a number is not stipulated, by at least one authorised signature. Please provide the names and sample signatures of all those who will be authorised signatories. If you require more than five, please continue on a separate sheet of paper. Where there is any change to the authorised signatories, please notify Meteor in writing giving the date of the change (Meteor will be entitled to rely on the previous list until it is informed to the contrary).

Signed:	Name:	Date:
Signed:	Name:	Date:

#### 10. Declaration

#### I/we declare that:

- I have carefully read the Plan brochure including any applicable Terms and Conditions for the Plan and accept the terms under which the Plan will be managed
- I/we apply as Trustees/authorised signatories for the Account to be opened in accordance with Meteor standard Terms and Conditions
- apply as Trustees/authorised signatories for the Plan listed overleaf
- have completed this form to the best of my/our knowledge and belief and the information given in the application, whether in handwriting or not, is true and complete
- am/are not, or acting on the behalf of, a resident of the United States; and that I/we will not assist any person who is so resident
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should I/we/the Trust become resident(s) of the United States
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should there be any change in the Trust's residency for tax purposes
- if the investing scheme is a registered pension scheme under Part 4 of the Finance Act 2004 (or an application for its registration has been made) and I/we undertake to advise Meteor immediately if it ceases to be a registered pension scheme or if its application for registration is withdrawn or refused
- I/we will tell Meteor if the Scheme is not granted exempt approval or if that approval is withdrawn
- will inform Meteor without delay of any change in my/our circumstances affecting any of the information in this form

#### I/we confirm that:

- my/our powers of investment, and delegation of those powers, permit me/us to invest the assets or part of them not less than the part which I/we propose to invest, in the Plan to be applied for
- I/we understand and agree that any deposits in the Plan will be allocated in accordance with my/our instructions to Meteor (which includes any set out in the '3. Plan amount' section of this application)
- if I/we have received financial advice, my/our financial adviser is not acting as agent to the Issuer or its affiliates
- have agreed the amount of any adviser charge as shown overleaf and note that the agreed terms will be confirmed to me by Meteor on acceptance of such instruction

#### I/we understand that:

- Meteor does not provide investment advice and confirm that I/we either do not require such advice or have received advice on this Plan from a financial adviser as shown above.
- this application and the Terms and Conditions referred to above shall form the basis of the contract between me/us and Meteor. I/we acknowledge receipt of the Terms and Conditions, further copies of which are available on request.

#### I/we authorise Meteor:

to hold my/our cash subscription, deposits, interest, dividends and other rights or proceeds in respect of those deposits and any cash or other proceeds;

Signature:	
Name:	
Signature:	
Name:	
Date:	

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## **Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014**



## **Account Application for Companies and Partnerships**

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1. Your deta	ails		
Company/ Partnership nam	e:		
Address for correspondences	:		
			Postcode:
Registered compa address:	any		
	Postcode:		Company Number:
Country of incorporation:			Tax reference No:
Ultimate Benefic Owner (if knowr		1	
Contact name:		Contact te	el no:
Email:			
	director details for private companies only / partne		
Director / Par Full name	tner	Full nam	pr / Partner
Permanent address		Permane address	ent
		audress	
	Postcode:		Postcode:
		Date of b	birth DDMMYYYYY
(Please provide	details of additional individuals on a separate sheet)		
2. Tax Statu	IS		

# Please list all countries where the company / partnership is resident for tax purposes. This usually means the country / countries where you have an obligation to pay taxes or file tax returns. Please also provide the associated Tax Identification Number (TIN). A TIN is the tax reference number issued by the tax office in the country where you are resident for tax purpose. Where the country does not issue a TIN, please provide an equivalent reference.

Country	TIN				
Country	TIN				
Country	TIN				
Country	TIN				
Is the company/partnership resident for tax purposes in any other country / countries other than those stated above? Yes No If "Yes", please provide details on a separate sheet.					

Does the company/partnership have a	Global Intermediary Identification Number (GIIN) issued by the		-
US Inland Revenue Service?		Yes	No

If "Yes", please provide the GIIN:

#### 3. Plan amount (minimum £5,000)

Please complete the plan details below.

Name of Plan	Amount (£)	Adviser Charge (% or £)
Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option 1		
Dual Option Supertracker Deposit Plan December 2014 - Option 2		
Your account must have cleared funds of this amount before any plan orders are	e executed. Total Amount:	£

#### Please tick if the adviser charges detailed will be subject to VAT

Please indicate method of payment:

Cheque

Please make your cheque payable to **Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account**. If you are sending us a building society cheque it should include your name in brackets on the payee line.



If you send money by bank transfer, the details you require are: Meteor Investment Management Limited Client Account HSBC Bank plc IBAN: GB86MIDL40271593666182 Sort Code: 40-27-15 Account Number: 93666182.

#### 4. Provision of Information

#### Online communications only

I understand that I will only receive future details of my account via email and online, and that no further paper correspondence will be sent to me. (Please ensure that a valid email address is inserted in section 1 above.)

#### Paper-based correspondence (0.25% initial charge)

I prefer to continue to receive all details of my account, including valuation statements, by post. I understand that this will incur an additional initial account charge of 0.25%.

For security nurnoses	, please provide us with a	nassword so we can di	ive you information	over the telephone
Tor security purposes	, please provide us with a	password so we can gi	ive you information	over the telephone.

#### 5. Your bank details for growth/income/interest and maturity payments

Ba	ank name:		Bank sort code:			-		-	
	ccount		Account number:						
na	ame:		Reference (if any):						
Βι	uilding Society	y Reference or Roll No:							
Ha	ive you recei	ved financial advice?							
	Yes, I/we have	e received advice from					(nan	ne c	of firm)
	No, I/we have	en't received financial advice.							
6.	Please answ	ver the questions below:							
1.	Please indicat	e if you hold any of the following investments:							
	Bank deposits	cash NISAs stocks and shares NISAs Unit trust	s/investment trusts Direct equ	uity ir	nves	tment	t 🗌	oth	er
2.	Please indicat	e if you have ever held:							
		nt where the capital and growth/income/interest pay nce of the underlying securities, such as equities, com				Yes		1	No 🗌
	A structured p	product or a structured deposit such as the one you ar	e applying for.			Yes		1	<b>No</b>
3.	Do you have t	the capacity and willingness to accept the risks of the	plan?			Yes		1	<u>ا</u> م
4.	performance	stand that the amount of any growth/income/interest pa of your chosen plan and that in the event of adverse mar come/interest payment(s)?		e		Yes		1	No 🗌
5.	were to withc	rstand that the Plan is designed to be held for the full Iraw early the amount you receive would depend on t I and that this value could be less than the amount yo	he value of the Plan at the date			Yes		1	No 🗌
6.	or on earlier v	rstand that if the Deposit Taker were unable to pay the withdrawal, you may lose some, or all, of your subscrip est payment(s) to which you would otherwise have be	otion amount as well as any gro			Yes		] [	10
7.	Do you under	rstand the charges associated with the Plan?				Yes		1	<u>ا</u> مە
8.	Do you under	rstand the personal tax implications of the Plan?				Yes		1	<u>ا</u> م
9.	Do you under	rstand the compensation arrangements applicable to	the Plan?			Yes		1	o ا

#### 7. Intermediary details

,	•	Financial Services
Firm name:		Register Number:
Branch:	Adviser:	

#### 8. Adviser Declaration

I confirm that all dealings with the applicant(s) have been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the FCA Handbook. I declare that this application has been completed to the best of my knowledge and belief and I have agreed any adviser charge with the applicant(s).

I can confirm that I have carried out the appropriate identity checks and have retained a completed 'Verification of Identity Certificate' and relevant supporting documents, which are available on request. I have seen the original documents and any that need a signature were already signed.

Signed on behalf of the above:

Date:



#### 9. Authorised Signatures

The exercise of any options under the Terms and Conditions must be authorised by the requisite number of authorised signatories or, where a number is not stipulated, by at least one authorised signature. Please provide the names and sample signatures of all those who will be authorised signatories. If you require more than five, please continue on a separate sheet of paper. Where there is any change to the authorised signatories, please notify Meteor in writing giving the date of the change (Meteor will be entitled to rely on the previous list until it is informed to the contrary).

Signed:	Name:	Date:
Signed:	Name:	Date:

#### 10. Declaration

I/we declare that:

- I have carefully read the Plan brochure including any applicable Terms and Conditions for the Plan and accept the terms under which the Plan will be managed
- I/we apply as authorised signatories for the Account to be opened in accordance with Meteor standard Terms and Conditions
- apply as authorised signatories for the Plan listed overleaf
- have completed this form to the best of my/our knowledge and belief and the information given in the application, whether in handwriting or not, is true and complete
- am/are not, or acting on the behalf of, a resident of the United States; and that I/we will not assist any person who is so resident
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should I/we become a resident(s) of the United States
- agree to inform Meteor immediately should there be any change in the company/partership's residency for tax purposes
- will inform Meteor without delay of any change in my/our circumstances affecting any of the information in this form

#### I/we confirm that:

- my/our powers of investment, and delegation of those powers, permit me/us to invest the assets or part of them not less than the part which I/we propose to invest, in the Plan to be applied for
- I/we understand and agree that any deposits in the Plan will be allocated in accordance with my/our instructions to Meteor (which includes any set out in the '3. Plan amount' section of this application)
- if I/we have received financial advice, my/our financial adviser is not acting as agent to the Issuer or its affiliates
- have agreed the amount of any adviser charge as shown overleaf and note that the agreed terms will be confirmed to me by Meteor on acceptance of such instruction

#### I/we understand that:

- Meteor does not provide investment advice and confirm that I/we either do not require such advice or have received advice on this Plan from a financial adviser as shown above.
- this application and the Terms and Conditions referred to above shall form the basis of the contract between me/us and Meteor. I/we acknowledge receipt of the Terms and Conditions, further copies of which are available on request.

#### I/we authorise Meteor:

to hold my/our cash subscription, deposits, interest, dividends and other rights or proceeds in respect of those deposits and any cash or other proceeds;

Signature:	
Name:	
Signature:	
Name:	
Date:	

Note: If you have filled in and signed this application form, please send it to Meteor Asset Management Limited, 55 King William Street, London EC4R 9AD or back to your financial adviser to submit the form.





## **FSCS Information**

#### For Trustees, Companies & Partnerships

Please provide the following information so that we can record potential FSCS eligibility. This can also be found on our website. For further information on the FSCS and eligibility criteria please see the relevant Plan brochure.

## All companies and other corporate bodies including limited liability partnerships (excluding unincorporated association and mutuals):

Under the Companies Act, a small company is deemed to be small if it meets two or more of the following criteria:

1. Annual Turnover:	Companies: £6.5M or less
	Parent Companies: £6.5M net or less / £7.8M gross or less for the group as a whole
2. Balance Sheet:	Companies: £3.26M or less

Parent Companies:  $\pm 3.26M$  net or less /  $\pm 3.91M$  gross or less for the group as a whole

3. Employees: 50 Employees or less

Is your company deemed a small company under sect	tions 382 & 383 of the Companies Act 2006?
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Are you an Unincorporated Association or Mutual?

Yes	No	
Yes	No	

Name of Trust, Company or Partnership:	
Meteor Account Number (if known):	

I/we declare that the above information is true and complete.

Signature:		
Name:		
Signature:		
Name:		
Date:		
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