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(a real estate investment trust constituted on 18 September 2019 under the laws of the Republic of Singapore)

(Managed by United Hampshire US REIT Management Pte. Ltd.)

United Overseas Bank Limited is the sole financial adviser for the initial public offering of United Hampshire US REIT (the "**Offering**"). United Overseas Bank Limited, UOB Kay Hian Private Limited and UBS AG, Singapore Branch are the joint issue managers and global coordinators for the Offering. United Overseas Bank Limited, UOB Kay Hian Private Limited, UBS AG, Singapore Branch, Credit Suisse (Singapore) Limited and The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited, Singapore Branch are the joint bookrunners and underwriters for the Offering.

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United Hampshire US REIT Management Pte. Ltd. (the "Manager"), as manager of United Hampshire US Real Estate Investment Trust ("United Hampshire US REIT" or the "REIT"), refers to the prospectus (the "Prospectus") that was issued in relation to the initial public offering of units in United Hampshire US REIT. As disclosed in the Prospectus, the Manager believed, based on the advice of its U.S. tax advisors, that under Section 267A of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "IRC"), as applied by the Section 267A Proposed Regulations (the "Proposed 267A Regulations"), the Parent U.S. REIT (as defined in the Prospectus) should not be denied a deduction for interest paid to the Singapore Lending Sub.

The final regulations under Section 267A (the "**Final 267A Regulations**") were issued on 7 April 2020. There are no meaningful differences between the Final 267A Regulations and the Proposed 267A Regulations that are relevant in relation to United Hampshire US REIT's structure. United Hampshire US REIT will thus be winding up the two dormant Barbados-incorporated entities held by United Hampshire US REIT Sub 2 Pte. Ltd.

The costs of the winding up are not expected to have a material impact on the consolidated net tangible assets or distributions per unit of United Hampshire US REIT.

Should there be any further material development relating to U.S. tax issues, the Manager will keep unitholders of United Hampshire US REIT updated at the appropriate juncture.

By Order of the Board Robert T. Schmitt Chief Executive Officer

## United Hampshire US REIT Management Pte. Ltd. (Registration Number: 201916768W) (as manager of United Hampshire US REIT)

28 April 2020

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