



Press Release

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AmInvest Recognised with Two Awards for PRS Achievements by Private Pension Administrator Malaysia

AmInvest has been honoured with two Private Retirement Schemes (“PRS”) awards by Private Pension Administrator Malaysia (“PPA”), namely the Top Achiever for PRS Assets Under Management (“AUM”) Growth and Top Achiever for PRS Member Growth as part of its Growing PRS Together 2019 – Recognising Excellence Awards (“Awards”).¹

“Our Awards recognise the efforts by eight PRS Providers in growing the PRS industry throughout 2019,” said Mr. Husaini Hussin, Chief Executive Officer of PPA.

PPA is the central administrator for PRS. PPA is a body approved by the Securities Commission Malaysia and established to administer and promote the growth of the PRS industry, as well as, protect PRS Members’ interest.

Under the PRS AUM Growth category, AmInvest was awarded for recording the highest AUM growth of around 38% among PRS Providers for the one-year period up to end December 2019. Within the PRS Member Growth category, AmInvest was the top achiever with a growth in members of about 16% over the course of the year.

Commenting on these awards, Ms. Goh Wee Peng, Chief Executive Officer of AmInvest, said, “It is an honour to receive these acknowledgements from PPA which recognise the effectiveness of our various initiatives in 2019 to drive greater awareness of PRS in the country. Our PRS fund offerings have been designed with long-term wealth creation in mind to help all Malaysians live their retirement dreams.

AmInvest offers one of the most diverse range of retirement solutions in the market in terms of asset classes for Malaysian investors to choose from according to their respective retirement needs, goals and risk tolerance. We are also the only PRS Provider in the country to offer unique AmPRS non-core bond fund offerings, AmPRS-Tactical Bond and AmPRS-Dynamic[#] Sukuk, the latter of which is a Shariah-compliant fund.”²

As at 30 November 2020, two AmInvest funds were ranked within the top five best performing PRS funds in the market over a one-year performance period.³ AmPRS-Islamic Equity achieved a one-year total return (a measure of the fund’s performance comprising income distribution and capital gains) of around 36%.³ AmPRS-Islamic Balanced registered a one-year total return of about 26%.³

About AmInvest

AmInvest is the brand name for the funds management business of AmFunds Management Berhad and AmIslamic Funds Management Sdn Bhd, both of which are wholly-owned subsidiaries of AmInvestment Bank Berhad. We are a multiple award-winning fund manager based in Malaysia with 39 years of investing experience managing unit trust funds, wholesale funds, institutional mandates, Exchange Traded Funds (ETF) and Private Retirement Scheme (PRS); encompassing both conventional and Shariah-compliant funds.

Sources & Notes:

#The word “Dynamic” refers to the Target Fund’s investment strategy which is active management, not a buy-and-hold strategy.

¹ *Growing PRS Together 2019 – Recognising Excellence Awards by Private Pension Administrator Malaysia (PPA), September 2020.*

² *Based on data compiled by Lipper, Refinitiv under the Pension Funds category with a total of 57 funds (according to Lipper Global Classification) as at 30 November 2020 for the following funds: AmPRS-Tactical Bond Class D (Bond Asia Pacific LC) and AmPRS-Dynamic[#] Sukuk Class D (Bond MYR).*

³ *Based on data compiled by Lipper, Refinitiv under the Pension Funds category with a total of 57 funds (according to Lipper Global Classification) for the fund’s one-year total return as at 30 November 2020. Primary funds are to be used by default in performance statistics to prevent double counting and ranking anomalies. Performance is shown in Malaysian Ringgit on a Net Asset Value (NAV) price basis with income distribution reinvested. Performance figures are calculated net of all fees, charges and expenses, except entry charge and exit penalty (if any). Past performance is not indicative of future performance.*

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