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FUND MANAGEMENT COMPANY SOLUTIONS

Tailored services to meet the evolving needs of alternative investment and UCITS funds

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MPMF FUND MANAGEMENT (IRELAND) LIMITED

Since coming into full effect, the Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive ("AIFMD") and the Undertakings for the Collective Investment of Transferable Securities ("UCITS") frameworks have posed significant challenges to fund managers and investors, requiring EU-based funds to comply with new and extensive authorisation, ongoing operation and transparency requirements.

The Maples Group's Central Bank of Ireland ("CBI") authorised UCITS management company and alternative investment fund manager ("AIFM"), MPMF Fund Management (Ireland) Limited ("MPMF") provides services to alternative investment funds ("AIFs") and UCITS funds that help meet their ongoing obligations under these regulations.

MPMF's solutions are delivered by an experienced team of management company professionals across all of the required areas:

- Capital and Financial Management
- Distribution
- Fund Risk Management
- Investment Management
- Operational Risk Management
- Regulatory Compliance

At the core of our expertise is cutting edge technology and deep regulatory and industry knowledge that enable us to deliver optimal solutions to clients. Our solutions are designed to not only comply with the AIFMD and UCITS frameworks, but also to enhance our clients' existing operational processes. MPMF clients also have access to the Maples Group's wide range of legal, fiduciary, fund, regulatory and compliance, and entity formation and management services, providing a full-service solution to clients who require comprehensive support.

MPMF ADVANTAGES



BLUE-CHIP CLIENT LIST



INDUSTRY LEADING SOLUTIONS

HIGHLY EXPERIENCED TEAM



GLOBAL REACH



CUSTOMISED SERVICE OFFERING



ROBUST BALANCE SHEET

Servicing Multiple Asset Classes

- Distressed Debt
- Equity Long
- Equity Long / Short
- Event Driven
- Fixed Income

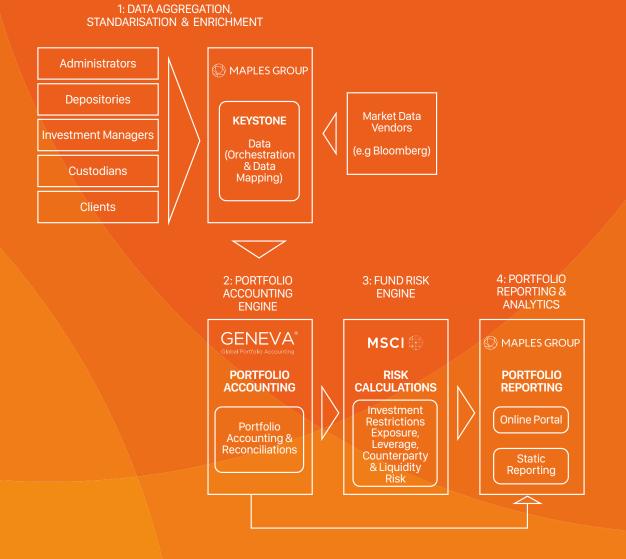
- Fund of Funds
- Loan Origination
- Macro Multi-Asset
- Money Market
- Private Credit

- Private Equity Fund of Fund
- Private Litigation
- Real Estate

MPMF ADVANTAGES

Investment Management and Fund Risk Platform

MPMF leverages a best-of-breed portfolio accounting and fund risk reporting platform to provide boards, regulators and clients with a robust operational platform and intuitive portfolio reporting.



MPMF SOLUTIONS

AIFM & UCITS Management Company Services

MPMF offers AIFM and UCITS management company solutions to clients through an experienced team with significant expertise in risk management, finance, operations and regulatory compliance. MPMF also utilises a combination of proprietary and industry leading technology for risk and regulatory reporting to service European funds, including Irish, Luxembourg, German and Dutch entities.

MPMF is fully resourced, staffed and operational to plan, execute, control and monitor the key management functions that relate to investment funds as required under AIFMD and UCITS. These include:

REGULATORY COMPLIANCE —	 Ensure compliance with all applicable legal and regulatory requirements and reporting.
FUND RISK MANAGEMENT —	 Ensure that applicable investment risks pertaining to the investment funds under management are identified, monitored and managed at all times through an industry leading approach to data management and risk reporting.
OPERATIONAL RISK — MANAGEMENT	 Ensure that all applicable risks can be identified, monitored and managed at all times, including through appropriate processes, procedures and reporting by all delegates of the investment funds.
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT —	 Ensure and verify that the implementation of the investment strategy and resulting fund performance is in line with the governing documents of the investment funds.
CAPITAL & FINANCIAL	 Ensure compliance with all regulatory capital requirements and ensure proper accounting policies and procedures are employed and all relevant accounting records are readily available, including production of annual and half-yearly financial statements.
DISTRIBUTION	 Ensure compliance with the distribution strategy of each investment fund and ensure all complaints from investors are promptly addressed in accordance with the relevant regulations.

Our flexible full-service offering includes two approaches. Both provide local management and fulfilment of all regulatory requirements, alleviating operational burdens and allowing fund managers to focus on their core competencies.

Customised Management Company Services

Under our hosted model, MPMF will be appointed as the AIFM and / or UCITS manager to provide local management and fulfilment of all regulatory requirements to clients wishing to retain responsibility over the appointment of all fund delegates.

In this role, MPMF will:

- maintain and execute oversight of each of the funds under management and retain full responsibility for fund governance and compliance;
- delegate certain aspects of the day-today management functions (e.g. portfolio management) in accordance with the optimum business solution for each client;
- establish substance by retaining the risk management function as required under AIFMD; and
- maintain regulatory capital requirements as specified under AIFMD and UCITS.

Turnkey Platform Solution

Managed and promoted by MPMF, St. Stephen's Green Fund ("the Platform") is an Irish Collective Asset Management Vehicle. The Platform is an established umbrella structure offering a solution for clients looking to launch a regulated fund under the AIFMD.

The Platform is regulated by the CBI as a Qualifying Investor Alternative Investment Fund ("QIAIF"). MPMF, as the AIFM, can appoint an investment manager selected by the client or alternatively, the Platform can provide an investment manager to execute the fund's investment strategy.

The Platform offers small to mid-size clients a flexible solution to AIFMD, where the outlay of resources associated with launching and maintaining a fully-fledged standalone QIAIF may not be viable. Clients take advantage of an established fund platform with regulatory approval, experienced service providers and legal agreements already in place.

	CUSTOMISED MANAGEMENT COMPANY SERVICES	TURNKEY PLATFORM SOLUTION
COMMONLY USED BY	LARGER FUNDS	SMALL TO MID-SIZE FUNDS
SERVICE PROVIDERS PRESELECTED	Ν	Y
LEGAL CONTRACTS IN PLACE	Ν	Y
SPEED TO MARKET	8 - 16 weeks	6 - 8 weeks
SHARE CLASSES	Y	Y
SEGREGATED LIABILITY	Y	Y
FULL AIFM SERVICES	Y	Y
EUROPEAN MARKETING PASSPORT	Y	Y
CLIENT BRANDING RETAINED	Y	Y



THE MPMF APPROACH

Providing Reassurance through a Systematic Approach to Management

MPMF offers comprehensive management support from pre-launch project management and operational and technology design, to day-to-day management of the fund and ongoing standard and customised reporting.



PLAN

Assistance with fund establishment

Fund documents review from a governance, compliance and risk viewpoint

Service provider selection and liaison



Identification of key risks and implementation of risk management and monitoring programme

Implementation of optimal workflows for the six designated functions of the management company

Identification of additional value-add areas that MPMF can perform to supplement clients' existing workflows (e.g. daily risk reporting)

MONITOR & HANDLE

Interactions with the regulators

Oversight of service providers



REPORT

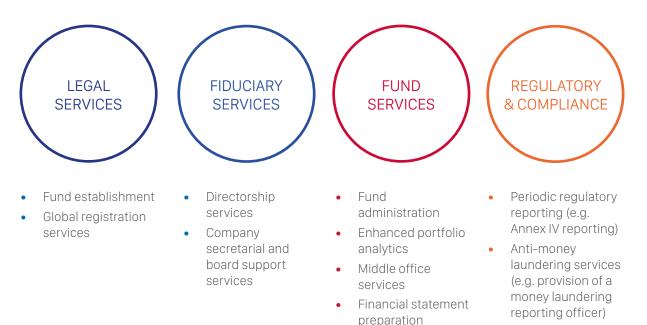
Board reporting

Regulatory reporting

Risk reporting including market, exposure, leverage, counterparty and liquidity risk metrics

COMPREHENSIVE SOLUTIONS

As part of the Maples Group, MPMF offers clients a range of complementary services through the firm's comprehensive legal, fiduciary, fund, regulatory and compliance, and entity formation and management offering.



services

• AEOI (FATCA and CRS) services



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