

Barings Participation Investors

Tax Information - 2021

| 2021 Dividend Payments | Net Investment Income | Short-Tem Gains | Long-Tem Gains | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--|
| \$0.80 | \$0.80 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | |

The following table summarizes the tax effects of the retention of long-term capital gains for 2021.

| | Amount Per Share | Form 2439 |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| 2021 Gains Retained | \$0.3732 | Line 1a |
| Long-Term Gains Retained | \$0.3732 | - |
| Taxes Paid | \$0.0784 | Line 2* |
| Basis Adjustment | \$0.2948 | ** |

^{*} If you are not subject to federal tax (e.g., a charitable organization, IRA, or Keough Plan), you may be able to claim a refund by filing Form 990-T

^{**} For federal tax purposes, you may increase the adjusted cost basis of your shares by this amount (the excess of Line 1a over Line 2).

| Annual Dividend | Qualified for Dividend Received Deduction*** | | Qualified Dividends**** | | Interest Earned on U.S. Government Obligations | |
|---------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--|---------------------|
| Amount Per Share | Percent | Amount Per Share | Percent | Amount Per Share | Percent | Amount Per Share |
| \$0.80 | 0.5025% | \$0.0040 | 0.5025% | \$0.0040 | 0.00% | \$0.00 |

^{***} Not Available to individual shareholders

^{****} Qualified dividends are reported in Box 1b on IRS Form 1099-Div for 2021