

(Constituted in the Republic of Singapore pursuant to a trust deed dated 19 October 2006)

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

## PAYMENT OF MANAGEMENT FEE BY WAY OF ISSUE OF UNITS IN FIRST REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

The Board of Directors of Bowsprit Capital Corporation Limited (the "Company"), the Manager of First Real Estate Investment Trust ("First REIT") wishes to announce that 1,537,408 Units have been issued to the Company on 19 January 2016 at an issue price of S\$1.1846 per Unit. These Units were issued to the Company in payment of 72% of the Management Fee comprising the Base Fee and Performance Fee (as defined in the Trust Deed constituting First REIT, ("the Trust Deed")) for the period from 1 October 2015 to 31 December 2015. The balance of the Management Fee (as defined in the Trust Deed) of S\$708,249.93 (excluding applicable goods and services tax) was paid in cash.

With the above-mentioned issue of Units, the Company holds an aggregate of 42,123,241 Units, representing 5.52% of the total number of Units in issue of 763,104,435.

By Order of the Board

Dr Ronnie Tan Keh Poo Chief Executive Officer Bowsprit Capital Corporation Limited (Company Registration No: 200607070D) As Manager of First Real Estate Investment Trust

19 January 2016