

Paris, 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018

## RE: ADJUSTEMENT TO THE SOFT CLOSE LEVEL OF THE CARMIGNAC LONG-SHORT EUROPEAN EQUITIES FUND

Dear Sir/Madam,

We would like to thank you for the trust you have placed in us. We are honoured to count you among the unitholders of the Carmignac Long-Short European Equities fund (the "Fund").

On 27<sup>th</sup> November, we informed you of the initiation of a procedure to progressively limit subscriptions to the Fund ("soft close").

On 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018, the combined assets under management of the Fund and Carmignac Portfolio Long-Short European Equities, a sub-fund of the Luxembourg fund Carmignac Portfolio with the same investment strategy as the Fund, have reached EUR 1.3 billion (the "Combined Assets"). To keep the Combined Assets at a level in line with the investment strategy and thus protect the liquidity of the Fund's assets, the management company has decided to activate the second level of the soft close.

Hence, as of 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018, the management company will reject all subscription requests above EUR 500,000, on a daily basis. This limit, which will apply to all unitholders, would continue to apply while the Combined Assets remain above EUR 1.2 billion.

As part of an ongoing assessment regarding the liquidity of the Fund's assets and the suitability of the Fund's assets under management for the investment policy, the management company will take any decisions that it believes to be in unitholders' interests, amending the soft closing procedure where necessary. The management company will inform unitholders of the Fund of each adjustment to the soft close level through its website (www.carmignac.com).

Your usual advisor is available should you require any further information.

The prospectus and the Key Investor Information Documents, are available free of charge at the registered office of the Fund, on the website <u>www.carmignac.com</u> and also in Switzerland, with the representative CACEIS (Switzerland) SA, Route de Signy, 35, CH-1260 Nyon. The Swiss Paying Agent is CACEIS Bank Luxembourg, succursale de Nyon / Suisse, Route de Signy 35, CH-1260 Nyon.

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