# Key Information Document ("KID")



# Purpose

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

#### NB PRIVATE EQUITY PARTNERS LIMITED

#### **PRODUCT**

**Product:** NB Private Equity Partners Limited ("NBPE" or the "Fund") - Class A Shares (USD)

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Regulator of the

Manufacturer: NB Alternatives Advisers LLC is not supervised or authorised by any EU competent authority.

Manufacturer: NB Alternatives Advisers, LLC (the "Manager").

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You are about to purchase a product that is not simple and may be difficult to understand.

### WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT?

Type: Ordinary voting shares in a closed-ended investment company registered in Guernsey and traded on Euronext Amsterdam Exchange.

Objectives:

NBPE's primary objective is to provide attractive returns on capital, which it seeks to achieve by investing (alongside a diversified group of high-quality private equity sponsors) in the debt and equity of target companies. The Fund seeks to invest in all parts of the capital structure of these companies, shifting its focus over time to benefit from the most compelling risk / reward opportunities.

The Fund makes direct equity investments alongside leading private equity firms in their core areas of expertise and will therefore have a direct exposure to the underlying investments. The Fund seeks high quality businesses at reasonable investment valuations, working to achieve prudent diversification by industry, geography, vintage year and sponsor. The Fund targets new buyouts and also invests in differentiated "mid-life" transactions into existing private equity portfolio companies, where investment capital can be used for add-on acquisitions or growth capital, to provide partial liquidity to investors, or for recapitalisations of balance sheets. Income investments are primarily first, second lien and mezzanine debt of the companies. The Fund invests on a primary and secondary basis and leverages the manager's knowledge and relationships for the purposes of sourcing and due diligence.

The Fund's investment returns are principally determined by distributions and repayments from, and capital returns achieved on a sale of, investments. The returns for investors in the Fund are principally determined by reference to dividends paid and the price at which the shares can be sold on the market. The objectives of the Fund are intended to be achieved over the long term. The Fund may borrow to purchase assets and this will magnify any gains and losses made by the Fund.

#### Intended

Retail Investor: The product is intended for institutional, professional and high net worth investors, private client fund managers and brokers who have knowledge and experience in investing in financial markets and collective investment vehicles and are capable of evaluating the merits and risks of private equity and debt investments and who wish to invest for the long term in predominantly capital growth and incomeproducing investments. Investors should have sufficient resources both to invest in potentially illiquid securities and to be able to bear any losses (which may equal the whole amount invested) that may result from the investment.

Maturity: This product has no fixed life.

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## WHAT ARE THE RISKS AND WHAT COULD I GET IN RETURN?

#### Risk Indicator

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you. We have classified this product as 3 out of 7, which is a medium-low risk class. This rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium-low level, and poor market conditions could impact the capacity of the Fund to pay you.

Be aware of currency risk. You will receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above.

The following are some of the other risks materially relevant to the PRIIP which are not taken into account in the summary risk indicator:

Higher risk Typically lower rewards Typically higher rewards 3 The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 years. The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less. You may not be able to sell your product easily or you may have to sell at a price that significantly impacts on how much you get back.

External market and economic risks; strategic risks; investment and portfolio performance risks; liquidity management and foreign exchange exposure; operational risks such as key personnel retention.

See further the Annual Report for the Company as cited in the section "Other Relevant Information" below.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment. If we are not able to pay you what is owed, you could lose your entire investment.

#### Risk and Reward Profile

This Share Class is classified as category 3 out of 7, which is a medium-low risk class in relation to potential losses from future performance. The risk indicator reflects the limited liquidity in the underlying investments. In addition, the risk indicator assumes an investor holds the shares for a minimum of 5 years. The actual risk can vary significantly if an investor cashes in at an early stage and may get back less. An investor may not be able to sell the shares easily and may have to sell at a price that significantly negatively impacts returns.

#### Performance Scenarios

Scenarios	Based on £10,000 Investment	1 year	3 years	5 years
				(Recommended holding period)
Stress Scenario	What you might get back after costs	£6,731	£6,301	£5,603
	Average return each year	-32.69%	-14.27%	-10.94%
Unfavourable Scenario	What you might get back after costs	£9,934	£11,814	£14,535
	Average return each year	-0.66%	5.71%	7.77%
Moderate Scenario	What you might get back after costs	£11,505	£15,257	£20,232
	Average return each year	15.05%	15.12%	15.14%
Favourable Scenario	What you might get back after costs	£13,365	£19,762	£28,246
	Average return each year	33.65%	25.49%	23.08%

This table shows the money you could get back over the next 5 years, under different scenarios, assuming that you invest £10,000. The scenarios shown illustrate how your investment could perform. You can compare them with the scenarios of other products. The scenarios presented are an estimate of future performance based on evidence from the past on how the value of this investment varies, and are not an exact indicator. What you get will vary depending on how the market performs and how long you keep the investment/product. The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances, and it does not take into account the situation where we are not able to pay you. The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

#### WHAT HAPPENS IF NB ALTERNATIVES ADVISERS, LLC IS UNABLE TO PAY OUT?

The manufacturer has no obligations to pay out. Investors may, however, suffer financial loss if the Fund is unable to pay out. Investors do not have protection from an investor compensation or guarantee scheme.

#### WHAT ARE THE COSTS?

The Reduction in Yield (RIY) shows what impact the total costs you pay will have on the investment return you might get. The total costs take into account one-off, ongoing and incidental costs. The amounts shown here are the cumulative costs of the product itself, for three different holding periods. They include potential early exit penalties. The figures assume you invest £10,000. The figures are estimates and may change in the future.



#### Costs over time

The person selling you or advising you about this product may charge other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and show the impact that all costs will have on your investment over time.

Investment £10,000	If you cash in after 1 year	If you cash in after 3 years	If you cash in after 5 years
Total Costs	£363	£1,490	£3,398
Impact on return (RIY) per year	3.63%	3.63%	3.63%

#### Composition of Costs

The table below shows:

- the impact each year of the different types of costs on the investment return you might get at the end of the recommended holding period;
- the meaning of the different cost categories.

This Table Shows the Impact on Return per Year					
	Entry costs	0.00%	The impact of the costs you pay when entering your investment.		
One-off costs	Exit costs	0.00%	The impact of the costs of exiting your investment when it matures.		
Ongoing Costs	Portfolio Transaction Costs	0.94%	The impact of the costs of us buying and selling underlying investments for the product.		
	Other ongoing costs	2.96%	The impact of the costs that we take each year for managing your investments and other ongoing costs.		
Incidental Costs	Performance Fee	0.00%	The impact of the performance fee. We take these from your investment if the product outperforms its benchmark.		
	Carried Interest	0.67%	The impact of carried interests.		

#### HOW LONG SHOULD I HOLD IT AND CAN I TAKE MONEY OUT EARLY?

# Recommended holding period of: 5 years

The Fund's investment in private equity backed companies is designed to be long term; you should be prepared to stay invested for at least 5 years. As the Fund's shares are admitted to trading on the Euronext Amsterdam Exchange, you should be able to sell your shares through your bank, stockbroker or other similar advisers during market hours. If you choose to sell your shares, you may be subject to dealing costs that your adviser charges for this service. The sale of shares may be at a premium or discount to the Fund's net asset value.

#### **HOW CAN I COMPLAIN?**

A shareholder of NB Private Equity Partners Limited does not have the right to complain to the Financial Ombudsman Service or the Channel Islands Financial Ombudsman about the management of NB Private Equity Partners Limited. Complaints about the Fund or this KID should be sent to the Company Secretary; Heritage International Fund Managers Limited, Heritage Hall PO BOX 225, Le Marchant Street St Peter Port, Guernsey GY1 4HY or via the website: www.heritage.co.gg or via email at NBPETeam@heritage.co.gg.

#### OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

We are required to publish further documentation, such as the Fund's annual and semi-annual reports and various market announcements. These documents and other information relating to the Fund are available online at www.nbprivateequitypartners.com.

The cost, performance and risk calculations included in this KID follow the methodology prescribed by EU rules.