

ASX Announcement

24 June 2025

A\$49.7 MILLION WHOLESALE PLACEMENT

Equity Trustees Limited (ABN 46 004 031 298, AFSL 240975) (**Responsible Entity**), as the responsible entity for the MA Credit Income Trust (ASX:MA1) (ARSN 681 002 531) (**MA1**), is pleased to announce the results of its placement to wholesale investors, details of which were announced on 23 June 2025 (**Placement**). Commitments have been received for the issue of 24,850,253 new fully paid ordinary units (**New Units**), at a price of \$2.00 per New Unit (**Offer Price**) to raise a total of A\$49,700,506. The Placement closed on 23 June 2025.

The Responsible Entity accordingly expects the trading halt in respect of MA1's ordinary units to be lifted and for MA1's ordinary units to resume trading from market open today.

Details of the Placement

The New Units will be issued under MA1's available placement pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1 and therefore no securityholder approval is required. The New Units will rank equally with existing fully paid ordinary units in MA1.

Settlement of the Placement is scheduled to take place on Monday, 30 June 2025, with allotment of the New Units to take place on Tuesday, 1 July 2025 and quotation of the New Units to occur on the ASX on Wednesday, 2 July 2025.

Excess demand for the Placement

Due to excess demand for MA1 units under the Placement, a managed investment scheme managed by MA Investment Management Pty Ltd which holds units in MA1 (**MA Fund**) has agreed to sell units it holds in MA1 to investors seeking exposure to MA1. Accordingly, approximately 12.5 million existing MA1 units held by the MA Fund (valued at \$25,000,000) will be sold to existing and new investors via a sell down facilitated concurrently with the Placement (**Selldown**). The price payable under the Selldown is the Offer Price and settlement of the Selldown is scheduled to occur on 1 July 2025. After completion of the Selldown, and dilution from the New Units issued under the Placement, the MA Fund will hold approximately 3.6% of units in MA1.

Placement Proceeds

Proceeds from the Placement will be invested in accordance with the investment mandate to achieve the target return of MA1 and will be invested (directly and indirectly) in private credit investments in three core market segments (direct asset lending, asset backed lending and direct corporate lending) by curated exposure to MA Financial's flagship credit strategies The investment strategy is managed on behalf of the MA1 by MA Investment Management Pty Ltd (ACN 621 552 896).

Commenting on the completion of the Placement, Head of Global Credit Solutions of the Manager, Frank Danieli said:

"We are extremely pleased with the successful placement and to have received such strong support from existing and new investors. It is incredibly encouraging to see continued high interest and demand in MA1.

The proceeds from the placement will be invested in a large, diversified portfolio of Australian and global private credit, leveraging MA Financial's proprietary deal flow and expertise. We thank all investors who participated in the Placement."

If you have any queries, please contact MA1 on 1300 135 167 (within Australia) +61 2 8023 5415 (outside Australia) or <u>MAclientservices@boardroomlimited.com.au</u>

Yours sincerely

and

Mick O'Brien Director Equity Trustees Limited (ACN 004 031 298, AFSL 240975) as responsible entity for MA1



Mr. Andrew Godfrey, Director, has authorised that this document be given to the ASX.

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Before making an investment decision about MA1, individuals should read and consider the and the investor presentation released to the ASX on 23 June 2025 (**Investor Presentation**), carefully and in its entirety, consider the appropriateness of the information and whether an investment in MA1 is appropriate having regard to their objectives, financial situation and needs, and obtain advice from an appropriate financial adviser. The Investor Presentation is available at <u>www.asx.com.au</u> under the code MA1. The Responsible Entity and the Manager do not guarantee investment performance or distributions, and the value of your investment may rise or fall.