

# ASX Announcement

28 August 2025

## MA CREDIT INCOME TRUST (ASX:MA1) – EARLY CLOSE TO SHORTFALL OFFER AND UPDATE TO TIMETABLE FOR ENTITLEMENT OFFER

### Shortfall Offer

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 that the Shortfall Offer (in relation to the Entitlement Offer announced by MA1 on 27 August 2025) has closed early. Demand for New Units under the Shortfall Offer exceeded the total size of the Entitlement Offer, which is seeking to raise approximately \$190.5 million.

As further described below, the Entitlement Offer opens on Tuesday, 9 September 2025 and is currently scheduled to close at 5.00pm (AEST) on Wednesday, 24 September 2025. New Units not taken up under the Entitlement Offer may be allocated to the Oversubscription Facility and/or wholesale investors whose applications under the Shortfall Offer have been accepted.

Frank Danieli, Head of Global Credit Solutions at MA Financial Group Limited (MA Financial) said:

*“We are pleased with the strong investor support received for the Shortfall Offer, resulting in demand in excess of the total size of the offer within one day of being announced.”*

*Following completion of the Entitlement Offer, MA1 is expected to have net assets of over \$570 million. The increased scale of MA1 enhances its ability to provide investors exposure to a diversified portfolio of private credit, targeting consistent monthly income. It also enables the underlying funds to continue to originate and execute robust lending opportunities for the benefit of fund investors.”*

### Timetable of the Offer<sup>1</sup>

Following engagement with ASX, and in consultation with the Joint Lead Managers, the Responsible Entity has determined to change the timetable for the Entitlement Offer. Under the updated timetable, the Record Date for the Entitlement Offer will be 7.00pm (AEST) on Friday, 5 September 2025 and the opening date for the Entitlement Offer and despatch of the Offer Booklet for the Entitlement Offer will be Tuesday, 9 September 2025. All other dates in respect of the timetable remain unchanged.

The revised timetable for the Offer is set out below.

Event	Date / Time
Announcement of the Offer	Wednesday, 27 August 2025
Shortfall Offer Opening Date	Wednesday, 27 August 2025
Shortfall Offer Closes	9.30am (AEST), Thursday, 28 August 2025

Entitlement Offer ex-date	Thursday, 4 September 2025
Record Date	7:00pm (AEST), Friday, 5 September 2025
Entitlement Offer Opens	Tuesday, 9 September 2025
Entitlement Offer Closes	Wednesday, 24 September 2025
Entitlement Offer Settlement	Tuesday, 30 September 2025
Allotment of Entitlement Offer Units	Wednesday, 1 October 2025
Shortfall Offer Settlement	Thursday, 2 October 2025
Normal trading of Entitlement Offer Units	Thursday, 2 October 2025
Allotment of Shortfall Offer Units	Friday, 3 October 2025
Normal trading of Shortfall Offer Units	Monday, 6 October 2025

1. All dates and times are indicative only and subject to change. The Responsible Entity reserves the right to alter the dates at its discretion and without prior notice, subject to ASX Listing Rules and the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth). In particular, the Responsible Entity reserves the right to withdraw or vary the Offer without prior notice. Unless otherwise specified, all times and dates refer to AEST

Yours sincerely

Andrew Godfrey

Director

Equity Trustees Limited (ACN 004 031 298, AFSL 240975) as responsible entity for MA1



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*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 investor presentation released to the ASX on 27 August 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 [www.asx.com.au](http://www.asx.com.au) 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.