

# Information Update

As required by securities regulations, and as part of our ongoing commitment to keep you informed about changes to our mutual fund offering, and other information available related to your mutual fund investments, we are pleased to provide you with the following update. Unless otherwise indicated below, **no action on your part is required.**

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## Mutual Fund Reports

At your request, we will send you a copy (by mail or email) of the Annual Financial Statements and/or Interim Financial Report and the Annual and/or Interim Management Reports of Fund Performance (“MRFPs”) for your IG Wealth Management mutual funds. Alternatively, you can obtain a copy of these Reports at any time from our website at [www.ig.ca](http://www.ig.ca), or at the SEDAR website at [sedar.com](http://sedar.com).

## Financial Statements

A Fund’s Audited Annual Financial Statements give you a summary of its financial position as of its fiscal year-end. Its Unaudited Interim Financial Report also gives you this information for the six month period after its year-end. These Reports include statements of financial position, comprehensive income, cash flows and changes in financial position, as well as a list of the investments in the Fund’s portfolio.

## Management Reports of Fund Performance

MRFPs are published twice annually and supplement the Financial Statements. The MRFP includes the portfolio manager’s comments on the Fund’s performance over the period and discusses recent developments and important trends that could affect future performance, as well as other relevant information. MRFP’s are made available at the same time as your Fund’s Financial Statements.

To be added or removed from our MRFP and/or Financial Statements mailing list, please enter the following URL in your web browser and follow the instructions, where you can select the delivery method for these reports, which is either by mail or email.

[www.ig.ca/optin](http://www.ig.ca/optin)

## Fund Facts Delivery

If you currently have a Pre-Authorized Contribution (“PAC”)<sup>2</sup> arrangement for your IG Wealth Management mutual fund, you will not receive the Fund Facts document (“Fund Facts”)<sup>3</sup> for the series you are purchasing for any purchases after the initial purchase under your PAC unless you request to receive a copy of the most recent Fund Facts, which is updated on an annual basis (or more frequently as required).

By not receiving the most recent copy of the Fund Facts prior to any subsequent purchases under your PAC, you will not have the right to withdraw from those purchases (and to have all of your money for those purchases returned to you) within two business days of your purchase (or as otherwise prescribed by law), but you will still have a right to rescind a purchase if the Simplified Prospectus, or any documents incorporated by reference into it (including the Fund Facts), at the time of the purchase has a misrepresentation.

You continue to have the ability to terminate your PAC at any time before each scheduled investment under your PAC.

Please see ‘Additional Information’ for how you can request to receive a copy of the Fund Facts for any series of your fund.

1 References to “IGFS Consultant”, “IG Consultant” or “Consultant” in this Information Update mean “Investors Group Financial Services Inc. Representative” in Québec.

2 Includes pre-authorized switch arrangements between funds, including systematic transfer and exchange plan (STEP) arrangements.

3 We will send you the Fund Facts document for the series of the Fund you have purchased in lieu of your Fund’s Simplified Prospectus; however, you may still ask your Consultant to have us send you the Simplified Prospectus if you wish to receive it.

**Please note: In lieu of having the Fund Facts mailed to you, you may find it more convenient to obtain a copy of it (and/or your Fund's Simplified Prospectus) from the IG Wealth Management website at [www.ig.ca](http://www.ig.ca) or at the SEDAR website at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).** We will continue to send you a copy of the Fund Facts for any other IG Wealth Management mutual fund purchases you make during the year.

## Redemptions

You may redeem all or part of your investment in any IG Wealth Management mutual fund by completing a redemption request, writing a letter to the Distributor (at the address listed below), or at the election of the Distributor, by other means including telephone, if appropriate arrangements are in place. Securities of your Fund may be redeemed at their net asset value calculated on the valuation day that a redemption request is received at one of our regional offices, or by an IG Wealth Management Consultant, provided that the redemption request is received prior to 3:00 p.m. (Central time) on any business day. Redemption requests received after 3:00 p.m. (Central time) on a business day, or on a non-business day, will be executed at the net asset value per unit/share calculated on the following business day. When submitting a redemption request in writing, any outstanding Unit or Share Certificates should be attached where applicable. If the Unit or Share Certificate is not attached, a redemption request will not be processed unless and until you provide us with the Unit or Share Certificate, a satisfactory indemnity or missing security fixed penalty bond. In addition, if you have granted a security interest in or pledged shares or units as collateral for a loan, we may be unable to process a redemption request with respect to those securities until we receive confirmation from your lender, which you must obtain (unless your lender has made other arrangements), that the securities have been released.

Other than in the case of an automatic redemption or complete redemption of an investment in a Fund, withdrawals must not be less than \$100. A redemption order may be cancelled by a Fund if, after requesting a redemption, you fail to comply with all requirements necessary to complete the redemption. Your Fund would then repurchase the same number of shares or units that were redeemed, and you will be responsible for payment of the amount that the repurchase price exceeds the redemption price.

Please consult your Fund's Simplified Prospectus for more details.

Telephone calls with the National Service Centre may be recorded by electronic or other means for the purpose of confirming your instructions in respect to trades and for IGFS's compliance purposes. Other telephone calls with IGFS client service representatives may be recorded for quality assurance purposes.

## Additional Information

A copy of a Fund's current Simplified Prospectus, Fund Facts and Annual Information Form will be provided, without charge by writing to IG Wealth Management at 447 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3B 3H5 or, in Quebec, 2001, boulevard Robert-Bourassa, Bureau 2000, Montreal, Quebec, H3A 2A6, or by calling toll-free 1-888-746-6344 (in Quebec 1-800-661-4578) or by sending a message by facsimile to

1-866-202-1923 or by sending us an email to our general inquiry address at <http://www.investorsgroup.com/en/contact-us/Contact-us>.

### **Do you wish to have your name added to or removed from our mailing lists?**

If you wish to be added to or removed from our mailing lists to receive any Reports (Annual and Interim Financial Statements, and the Annual and Interim MRFP for your IG Wealth Management mutual funds), or the Fund Facts of your Fund (if you are purchasing under a PAC, please contact your Consultant or call us directly at the number shown above.

**Please note that you will still receive your client portfolio statement or account statement and investment confirmations (and other notices required by law or otherwise).**

## Statement of Registrant Relationships

### Related and Connected Issuers

#### **A. GENERAL**

Under certain circumstances, Investors Group Financial Services ("IGFS") may deal with you or for you in securities transactions where the issuer of those securities or the other party to the transaction is IGFS or a party having an ownership or business relationship with IGFS.

Since these transactions may create a conflict between IGFS's interest and yours, IGFS is required by securities law to disclose to you certain relevant matters relating to the transactions.

This statement contains a general description of the required disclosure.

<sup>4</sup> For Investors Real Property Fund, redemption requests must be received by the Fund at least 30 days prior to the valuation day on which the units will be redeemed. Valuation days for Investors Real Property Fund are on the last business day of each month and on the 15th day of each month (or the business day immediately following the 15th if the 15th is not a business day). For units acquired on or after January 1, 2000, a transfer fee of up to 2% of the net asset value of units transferred into another IG Wealth Management fund may be payable to the Fund if the transfer is made within 18 months (548 days) of the date the units were acquired.

## B. IMPORTANT CONCEPTS

**“Connected Issuer”** – issuer or selling securityholder is a connected issuer of IGFS where the issuer or selling securityholder is distributing securities and one of them, or a related issuer of one of them, has a relationship with any of the following persons or companies that may lead a reasonable prospective purchaser of the securities to question if IGFS and the issuer are independent of each other for the distribution:

IGFS;

- a related issuer of IGFS;
- a director, officer or partner of IGFS; or
- a director, officer or partner of a related issuer of IGFS.

**“Influential Securityholder”** – Generally includes a securityholder that exercises influence over an issuer on the basis of direct or indirect ownership of securities aggregating more than 20% of the voting rights or entitlements to distributions of an issuer (or more than 10% if accompanied by the entitlement to nominate at least 20% of a board of directors).

**“Related Issuer”** – A person or company is a related issuer to IGFS if:

- the person or company is an Influential Securityholder of IGFS;
- IGFS is an Influential Securityholder of the person or company; or
- IGFS, and the person or company are a related issuer of the same third person or company.

A list of Related Issuers and Connected Issuers of IGFS together with a concise statement of the relationship between them and IGFS is set out below.

## C. DISCLOSURE

Where IGFS acts as your dealer or advises you with respect to securities issued by IGFS or by a Related Issuer or, in the course of distribution, by a Connected Issuer, IGFS must disclose the nature and extent of its relationship with the issuer of the securities, or that IGFS is the issuer. IGFS will also disclose to you where IGFS knows or should know that, if as a result of IGFS acting as your dealer or advisor, securities will be purchased from or sold to IGFS, a Related Issuer or, in the course of distribution, from a Connected Issuer.

The following is a list of the time and manner in which these disclosures will be made:

- Where IGFS buys or sells securities for your account, the required disclosure will be contained in the trade confirmation and account statement which are sent to you;

- Where IGFS advises you with respect to the purchase or sale of securities, the disclosure must be made prior to the giving of the advice either through the receipt of this disclosure or otherwise; or
- Where IGFS underwrites securities, the required disclosure will be contained in the prospectus or other document being used to qualify those securities.

IGFS may, from time to time, be deemed to be related or connected to one or more issuers for purposes of this disclosure and other rules of the securities laws. IGFS may have acted, and is prepared to continue to act, where permitted by law, as an advisor, dealer or underwriter with respect to securities of such Related Issuers and Connected Issuers and to provide the full range of services customarily provided by IGFS in respect of securities of other issuers. IGFS shall carry out such services in the ordinary course of its business in accordance with our usual practices and procedures and in accordance with all applicable disclosure and other regulatory requirements.

## D. REVISION OR AMENDMENT

Revisions or amendments to this statement will be provided to each client periodically. An up to date version of this statement is available on request from the Compliance Department as specified below.

## Disclosure of Related Issuers and Connected Issuers

The following is a list as of May 1, 2021 of issuers that are Related Issuers or Connected Issuers to IGFS by virtue of the ownership of equity interests, directly or indirectly, by affiliates or subsidiaries of Power Financial Corporation (“PFC”).

- Investors Syndicate Limited
- Power Corporation of Canada
- Mackenzie Mutual Funds
- Groupe Bruxelles Lambert
- IG Wealth Management Mutual Funds
- Ontex NV
- Imerys S.A.
- Counsel Mutual Funds
- Quadrus Mutual Funds
- GP Strategies Corp.
- Great-West Lifeco Inc.
- Great-West Lifeco Finance (Delaware) LP
- Great-West Lifeco Finance 2018 LP
- Great-West Lifeco U.S. Finance 2020, LP
- Mackenzie Master Limited Partnership
- The Canada Life Assurance Company
- Canada Life Capital Trust
- IGM Financial Inc.

- Howson Tattersall Pool Funds
- Investors Group Trust Co. Ltd.
- Mackenzie Exchange Traded Funds
- Putnam Canadian Fixed Income Global Alpha Fund
- Mackenzie Global Large Cap Quality Growth Pooled Fund
- IPC Multi-Strategy Alternatives Pool
- 37 Capital BlueScale Fund, Ltd.
- 37 Capital Fixed Income Opportunities Fund, Ltd.
- Personal Capital Corporation
- Mackenzie Institutional Series, LP
- Mackenzie Emerging Markets Long/Short Master Fund (Cayman) LP
- Mackenzie Emerging Markets Small Cap Master Fund (Cayman) LP
- Mackenzie Emerging Markets Small Cap Fund (Cayman) Ltd.
- Mackenzie Emerging Markets Long/Short Opportunities Master Fund (Cayman) LP
- Mackenzie International Quantitative Large Cap Master Fund (Cayman) LP
- Mackenzie International Quantitative Large Cap Fund (Cayman) Ltd.
- Mackenzie International Quantitative Small Cap Master Fund (Cayman) LP
- Mackenzie International Quantitative Small Cap Fund (Cayman) Ltd.
- Mackenzie Segregated Funds
- IG Risk Parity Private Pool
- SGS SA
- Umicore
- The Lion Electric Company
- Empower Finance 2020, LP

## Disclosure of Related Registrants

In addition, IGFS wishes to advise its clients if it has any principal shareholders, officers, partners or directors who are also principal shareholders, officers, partners or directors of another securities registrant (a “Related Registrant”) and to provide details of the policies and procedures adopted to minimize the potential for conflict of interest resulting from these relationships.

As of May 1, 2021, each of the following Related Registrants may also be a direct or indirect subsidiary of PFC.

### Related Registrants in Canada

- Wealthsimple Advisor Services Inc.
- Power Pacific Investment Management Inc.
- Canada Life Investment Management Limited
- Mackenzie Financial Corporation
- Counsel Portfolio Services Inc.

- Investors Group Securities Inc.
- IPC Investment Corporation
- WealthSimple Inc.
- IPC Securities Corporation
- Wealthsimple Digital Assets Inc.
- I.G. Investment Management, Ltd.
- Grayhawk Investment Strategies Inc.
- Putnam Investments Canada ULC (operating as “Putnam Management” in Manitoba)
- PanAgora Asset Management, Inc.
- Quadrus Investment Services Ltd.
- Canadian ShareOwner Investments Inc.
- Excel Private Wealth Inc.
- Canada Life Securities Ltd.
- Northleaf Capital Partners (Canada) Ltd.

In addition, Related Registrants may include other dealers and advisors which become subsidiaries of PFC.

A Related Registrant may from time to time have directors and/or officers who are also directors and/or officers of another Related Registrant.

Each of PFC and the Related Registrants is a separate legal entity that generally carries on its business independently. However, a Related Registrant may enter into arrangements with another Related Registrant respecting such matters as the provision of support services, distribution or products and services, and client referrals. Conflicts of interest resulting from the above relationships are minimized in a number of ways. Regulations, policies and procedures made by the industry regulating bodies restrict and otherwise regulate the relationships among dealers, advisors and Related Registrants and govern their relationships with one another and clients. As well, each Related Registrant has its own conflict of interest policies. Compliance with both internal and external regulations, policies and procedures are monitored at all levels of the company under the guidance of the Corporate Compliance Department.

In addition to the foregoing, officers and employees of each Related Registrant are subject to Codes of Conduct governing their actions and internal compliance policies and procedures.

For further information concerning these matters, please contact the Compliance Department at:

### Investors Group Financial Services Inc.

447 Portage Avenue  
Winnipeg MB R3B 3H5

Or call our toll-free client line at 1-800-216-7244 or in Québec 1-800-204-6396.

## Fund Name Changes

On June 14, 2021 the following fund underwent a name change:

<b>EXISTING FUND NAME</b>	<b>NEW FUND NAME</b>
IG Aristotle U.S. Small Cap Class	IG Mackenzie U.S. Opportunities Class II

On June 18, 2021 the following funds underwent a name change:

<b>EXISTING FUND NAME</b>	<b>NEW FUND NAME</b>
IG Mackenzie Low Volatility Canadian Equity Class	IG FI Canadian Equity Class II
IG Irish Life Low Volatility Global Equity Class	IG Mackenzie Global Class IV

On July 9, 2021 the following funds underwent a name change:

<b>EXISTING FUND NAME</b>	<b>NEW FUND NAME</b>
IG Mackenzie Dividend Growth Fund	IG Mackenzie Canadian Equity Fund
Investors Real Property Fund	IG Mackenzie Real Property Fund
IG Mackenzie Core U.S. Equity Fund	IG Mackenzie U.S. Equity Fund
IG Mackenzie Core U.S. Equity Class	IG Mackenzie U.S. Equity Class
IG Mackenzie Core U.S. Equity Class II	IG Mackenzie U.S. Equity Class II
IG Mackenzie Core U.S. Equity Class III	IG Mackenzie U.S. Equity Class III
IG Mackenzie Canadian High Yield Income Fund	IG Mackenzie High Yield Fixed Income Fund
IG Mackenzie Canadian Equity Income Fund	IG Mackenzie Canadian Dividend & Income Equity Fund

If you are a holder of one or more of these funds, you may notice the new names on your IG Wealth Management statement, starting in July.

## Notice Regarding Commencement of Use of Derivatives by Certain IG Wealth Management Funds

IG Wealth Management has changed the sub-advisor to Mackenzie Investments on the funds listed below. The portfolio management team at Mackenzie has indicated a desire to utilize derivatives as they believe it will provide them with additional opportunities to add value and manage risk in implementing the funds' investment strategies. As a result, this Notice is being sent to you as a Securityholder of one (or more) of the following Portfolios:

- **Investors Income Plus Portfolio**
- **Investors Growth Portfolio**
- **Investors Growth Plus Portfolio**
- **Investors Retirement Growth Portfolio**
- **Investors Retirement Plus Portfolio**

Effective after September 30, 2021, all the Portfolios mentioned above may commence to use Derivatives in conjunction with each Portfolio's other investment strategies in a manner considered most appropriate to achieving each Portfolio's overall investment objectives. Derivatives are financial instruments whose values are based on, or derived from, the values of other investments. Options and futures are examples of Derivatives. Derivatives will only be used as permitted by the Securities regulations. For example, a Portfolio may use Derivatives to:

- protect against losses caused by changes in the prices of securities, stock markets, interest rates, currency exchange rates or other risks;
- serve as an alternative to investing in actual shares and bonds (in circumstances where the Portfolio's objective and strategies allow it to invest directly in these securities). This can reduce transaction costs, achieve greater liquidity, increase or decrease exposure to certain financial markets, or make it easier to adjust the Portfolio's investments;
- reduce risk by accepting a more certain lower return instead of a less certain higher return;
- effectively increase or decrease the maturity of bonds and other fixed income securities, if any, in the Portfolio's investments, where applicable);
- position the Portfolio so that it may profit from declining markets; and
- enhance returns.

Although the intent is to enhance returns, there is no guarantee that the use of Derivatives will be effective. Here are some of the most common risks of using a Derivative:

- no guarantee that a market will exist for some Derivatives, which could prevent the Portfolio from selling or exiting the Derivative prior to the maturity of the contract. This risk

may restrict the Portfolio's ability to realize its profits or limit its losses;

- it is possible that the other party to the derivative contract ("counterparty") will fail to perform its obligations under the contract, resulting in a loss to the Portfolio;
- the Portfolio may be required to provide margin or collateral to the counterparty. If the counterparty becomes insolvent, the Portfolio could lose its margin or its collateral or incur expenses to recover it;
- Portfolios may use derivatives to reduce certain risks associated with investments in foreign markets, currencies or specific securities. Using derivatives for these purposes is called hedging. Hedging may not be effective in preventing losses. Hedging may also reduce the opportunity for gain if the value of the hedged investment rises, because the derivative could incur an offsetting loss. Hedging may also be costly or difficult to implement;
- securities and commodities exchanges could set daily trading limits on options and futures. Such rule changes could prevent the Portfolio from completing a futures or options transaction, causing the Portfolio to realize a loss because it cannot hedge properly or limit a loss;
- where a Portfolio holds a long or short position in a future whose underlying interest is a commodity, the Portfolio will always seek to close out its position by entering into an offsetting future prior to the first date on which the Portfolio might be required to make or take delivery of the commodity under the future. There is no guarantee the Portfolio will be able to do so. This could result in the Portfolio having to make or take delivery of the commodity;
- a Derivative may not always produce the same result as it has in the past;
- depending on market conditions or other factors, the Portfolio may not be able to buy or sell a Derivative to make a profit or limit a loss;
- Derivatives don't prevent changes in the market value of the investments in a Portfolio or prevent losses if the market value of the investments falls;
- Derivatives traded on foreign markets may have a higher risk of default and may be harder to sell than similar Derivatives traded on North American markets; and
- the Portfolio might not be able to purchase Derivatives if other investors are expecting the same change, such as changes in interest rates, market prices or currency exchange rates.

This Notice is being sent to you as required by securities regulations. No action is required on your part. If you should have any questions, please contact your Consultant.

June 30, 2021