

2 April 2015

Att: Trudie Wykes
Acting Senior Adviser
C/o Financial Services Unit, Financial System and Services Division
Markets Group
The Treasury
Langton Crescent
Parkes ACT 2600

Dear Trudie

Re: The Asia Region Funds Passport

I am writing to endorse the Financial Services Council's (FSC) Asia Region Funds Passport (ARFP) submission to The Treasury.

Aberdeen Asset Management (Aberdeen) has been an active participant in the ARFP working groups and industry champion meetings over the past 12 months. We have used these opportunities to ask questions and provide feedback from a fund manager perspective on the ARFP. We also appreciated the opportunity to speak one on one with The Treasury and ASIC about the ARFP.

Any outstanding issues or comments we have about the ARFP have now been provided to the FSC for inclusion in their submission being made on behalf of Aberdeen and other FSC members.

Aberdeen would like to offer our continued support of the ARFP initiative and would like to thank The Treasury, ASIC and the FSC for all the work done to date.

If you would like to discuss any specific matters relating to funds management, please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 9950-2846 or via email at Brett.Jollie@aberdeen-asset.com or Lee Cavanagh on (02) 9950-2820 or via email at Lee.cavanagh@aberdeen-asset.com

Yours sincerely



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