## Results Presentation

For the half year ended 30 September 2024



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Front cover: Fordie Estate, Scotland, part of Foresight's portfolio





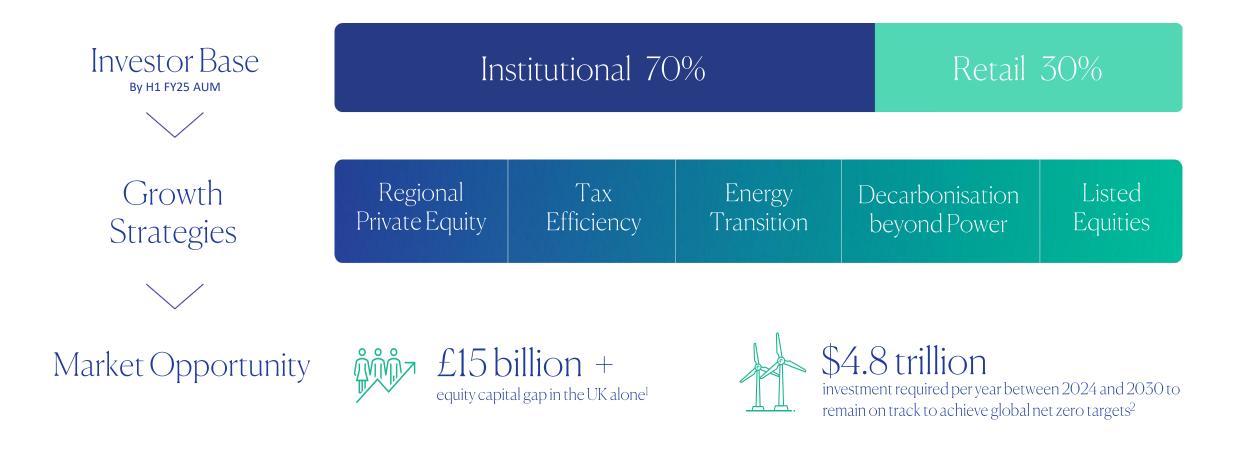
## Performance overview

Bernard Fairman Executive Chairman and Co-founder

200 Degrees Coffee, a Private Equity Investment, grew from 6 to 21 sites across the Midlands, Yorkshire and the North West during Foresight's investment period

## Foresight

## Providing investors with access to growth markets



Source: Estimate by the Scale-Up Institute.
Per the Bloomberg NEF "Energy Transition Investment Trends 2024" report published on 30 January 2024.

### Positive momentum across our *diversified* strategies

	Growth Strategies	H1FY25 highlights			
Highly profitable	Regional Private Equity	Strong rate of realisations generated performance fees, supplementing recurring revenue			
Target management fees: c.200 bps	Tax Efficiency	On track for record year with £241 million raised into higher margin retail vehicles			
Highly scalable Target management fees: c.65 - 110 bps	Energy Transition	€300 million first close of the second vintage of our flagship energy transition fund, FEIP II FEIP I investment into a c.€300 million, 267MW Solar portfolio in Greece			
	Decarbonisation Beyond Power	Dedicated Natural Capital fund commenced pre-marketing			
	Listed Equities	Foresight Capital Management had a positive investment performance of £56 million			

## Extended track record of profitable growth



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### Financial results

Gary Fraser Chief Financial Officer

Skaftåsen Wind Farm, Sweden, part of Foresight's portfolio



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## Financial highlights

Growth across all key metrics

### AUM £12.4 billion +£0.3 billion

FY24 £12.1 billion

FUM  $\pounds 8.7 \text{ billion}$  +£0.3 billion

FY24 £8.4 billion

Revenue £73.2 million +£5.4 million

H1 FY24 £67.8 million

Recurring Revenue 87%Stable **Core EBITDA pre-SBP** £29.0 million +**£1.4 million** H1 FY24 £27.6 million

7.4p +0.7p

DPS

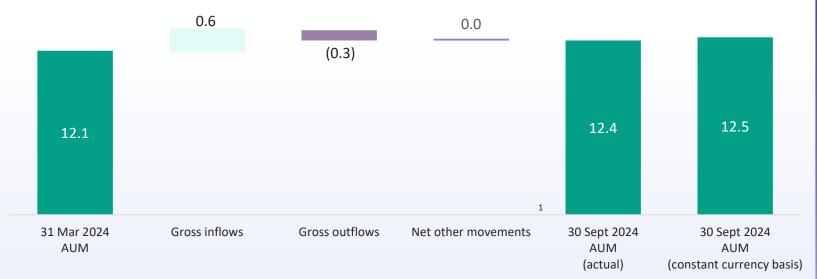


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## AUM bridge

### Net inflows driven by institutional infrastructure and retail fundraising





# Strong investor sentiment supporting institutional and retail fundraising FEIP II: €300 million Retail tax efficiency: £241 million

Positive investment performance from FCM during the period, with net outflows<sup>2</sup> decelerating

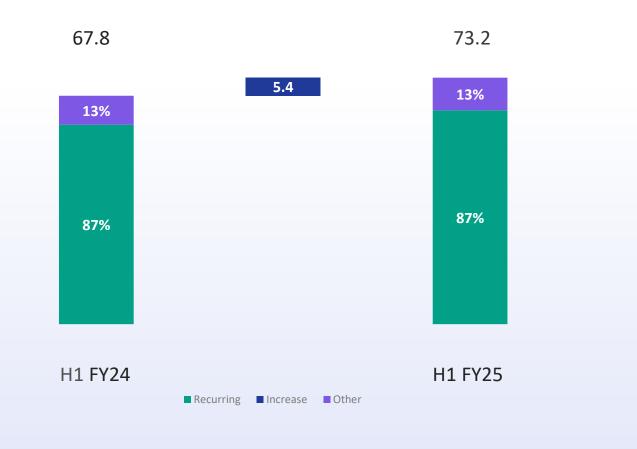
- 1. Includes movements in debt under management, market movements, dividend payments and FX.
- 2. OEIC gross inflows of £71m and gross outflows of £182m.

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## Revenue

High recurring revenue provides strong future visibility of earnings

£m



Revenue up £5.4 million (+8%) with £4.8 million organic growth

- Driven by H2 FY24 and current year fundraising into higher margin and longer tenure vehicles
- Offset partially by retail outflows for FCM
- Recurring revenue remained within guided range of 85-90%
- c.21% non-GBP denominated revenue (H1 FY24: c.20%)

### Costs

#### Staff cost increases expected to normalise

£m



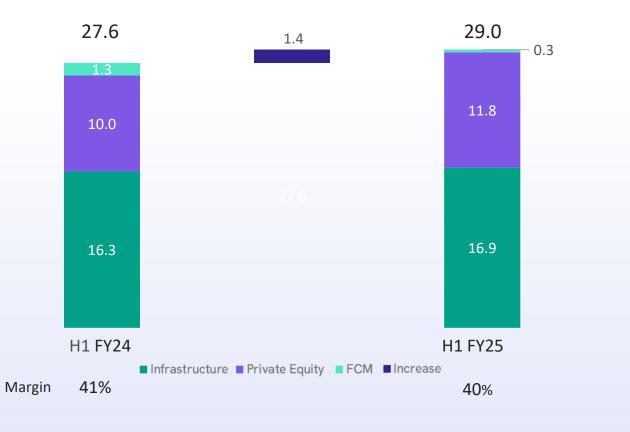
### Underlying administrative expenses in H1 increased by £4 million year-on-year

- Annualisation of prior year salary inflation and investment in employees during a fundraising cycle
- Current year salary increases returned to historical average
- Net acquisition-related accounting adjustment of -£2.9 million
- Includes impairment charge, earnout adjustment and deferred tax credit

## Profitability

### Driven by AUM growth in higher margin strategies

#### Core EBITDA pre-SBP<sup>1</sup> (£m)



#### 5% year on year growth driven by

- Successful fundraising into higher margin and longer tenure vehicles
- H1 FY25 margin reflects a higher cost environment and investment in fundraising capabilities
- Opportunity to expand operating margin as the business delivers large institutional fundraising

 Share-based payment transactions in respect of services received from employees. H1 FY25: £3.3 million (H1 FY24: £8.8 million).

## Outlook

Bernard Fairman Executive Chairman and Co-founder

Plug planting at solar site, Cornwall, to celebrate the launch of Foresight's Nature Recovery Blueprint

## Foresight

## Positive momentum across our diversified strategies

Highly profitable and scalable strategies underpin delivery of growth guidance

		Growth Strategies	Fundraising pipeline	
Highly profitable	Regional Private Equity	Successfully raising		
	Tax Efficiency	Successfully raising		
Highly scalable	Energy Transition	Successfully raising		
	Decarbonisation Beyond Power	Pre-marketing		
	Listed Equities	Decelerating net outflows		

On track to organically double core EBITDA pre SBP in five years<sup>1</sup>

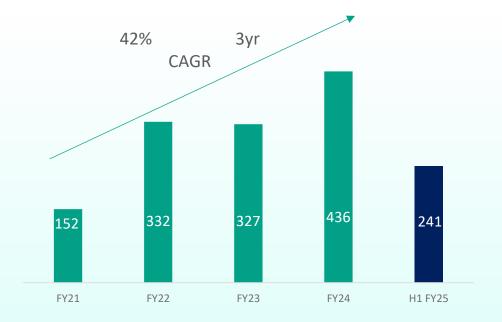
Accretive M&A remains a key strategic lever to further *accelerate* growth

## Retail tax efficiency products

### On track to deliver record year for retail fundraising

- Strong performance across inheritance tax and flagship VCT products
- Large and established in-house distribution team with deep IFA relationships
- Regulatory support following UK Autumn budget

#### Gross inflows <sup>1</sup> (£m)



## Regional private equity: 4<sup>th</sup> new fund in 2 years

14<sup>th</sup> active regional fund launched, Foresight South West Fund

- £50 million first close, post period end
- Evergreen fund providing permanent pool of capital
- Bristol and Exeter offices to open shortly
- Second close expected in current financial year



- Current Foresight regional offices
- New offices to be opened in H2 FY25

Strong track record, deep regional relationships and government support provide confidence in further near-term *growth* 

## Foresight Energy Infrastructure Partners - FEIP

Diversified and differentiated strategy targeting the significant global energy transition market opportunity

#### Investment strategy

- Portfolio construction, prioritising diversification and harnessing negative correlations intended to deliver a superior risk-adjusted return
- Value creation & structuring, with a focus on scaling development platforms and applying construction & technical expertise of an in-house team to deliver capital growth and stable income
- Enhanced sustainability impact, as an SFDR<sup>1</sup> Article 9 fund whose approach includes investing in assets that eliminate bottlenecks to the energy transition

#### Performance and progress

### FEIPI

### €1bn+

total secured commitments<sup>2</sup>

14

investments



investors<sup>3</sup>

97%

allocated to investments

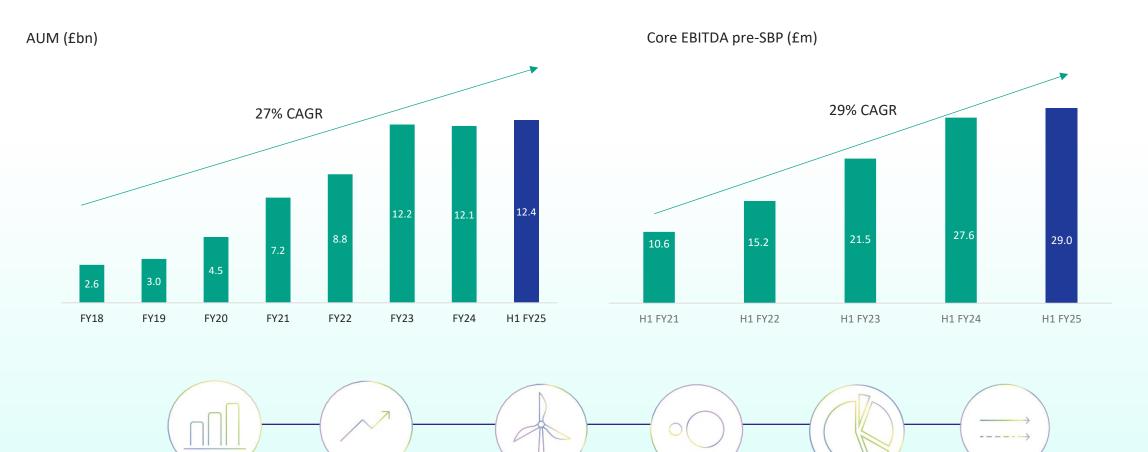


FEIPII			
Progress	€300m first close reached in J	une 2024	2 new cornerstone LPs
Targeting	€1.25bn fund size	12-15 investments	12-15% gross IRR

## Track record of profitable growth

Growing Markets

Profitable



Sustainable

Scalable

Diversified

Predictable

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Fordie Estate, Scotland, part of Foresight's portfolio



## Appendices

## Foresight

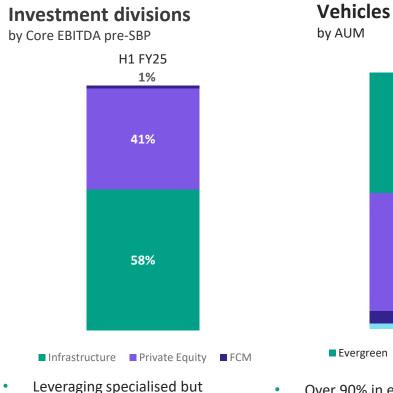
## Appendix 1: Key financial metrics

	Actuals		Constant currency basis		
	30 Sep 2024	31 Mar 2024	Period Change	30 Sep 2024	Period Change
Assets/Funds					
Period-end AUM (£m)	12,434	12,144	+2%	12,478	+3%
Period-end FUM (£m)	8,665	8,397	+3%	8,701	+4%
			30 Sep 2024	30 Sep 2023	YoY Change
Revenue					
Total revenue (£m)			73.2	67.8	+8%
Recurring revenue (% of Total)			86.7%	87.3%	-0.6 pts
Profitability					
Core EBITDA pre-SBP <sup>1</sup> (£m)			29.0	27.6	+5%
Core EBITDA pre-SBP <sup>1</sup> margin (%)			39.6%	40.7%	-1.1 pts
Shareholder returns					
Basic earnings per share before non-underlying items (p)			10.4p	16.0p	-5.6p
Total dividend per share (p)			7.4p	6.7p	+0.7p

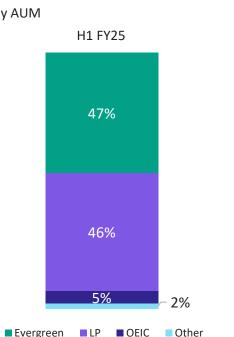
1. Share-based payments (SBP) equal to £3.3 million in the period ended 30 September 2024 (H1 FY24: £8.8 million).

2. Refer to data-pack for detailed reconciliation.

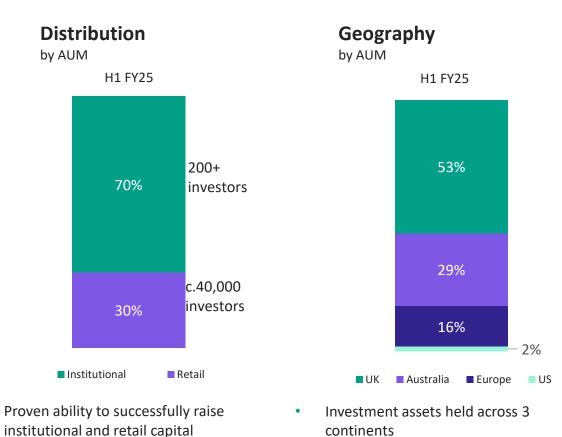
### Appendix 2: Diversification positions the Group for future success



complementary skill sets



Over 90% in evergreen<sup>1</sup> or LP vehicles – with long duration capital



1. Evergreen funds include listed investment trusts and are defined as having no pre-determined end of life and therefore have the capability to raise future capital.

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