# Results Presentation

For the half year ended 30 September 2023



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# Performance Overview

Bernard Fairman Executive Chairman & Co-Founder



Kölvallen Wind Farm

# Highlights

- Performance in current markets demonstrates success of our diversified model
  - Strong Core EBITDA pre-SBP growth generating £27.6 million (+28%)
  - Resilient AUM, marginally up at £12.2 billion (+1%)
- Benefit from high quality revenue
  - 87% recurring revenue streams
  - Over 90% long duration capital
  - Experiencing no management fee pressures
- Investment opportunity within key markets continues to grow
  - Pipeline of total future deployment rights in international infrastructure above £5 billion
  - First close of £50 million Investment Fund for Wales and £10 million Foresight Northern Ireland Fund

# Extended track record of profitable growth

#### Core EBITDA pre-SBP (£m)

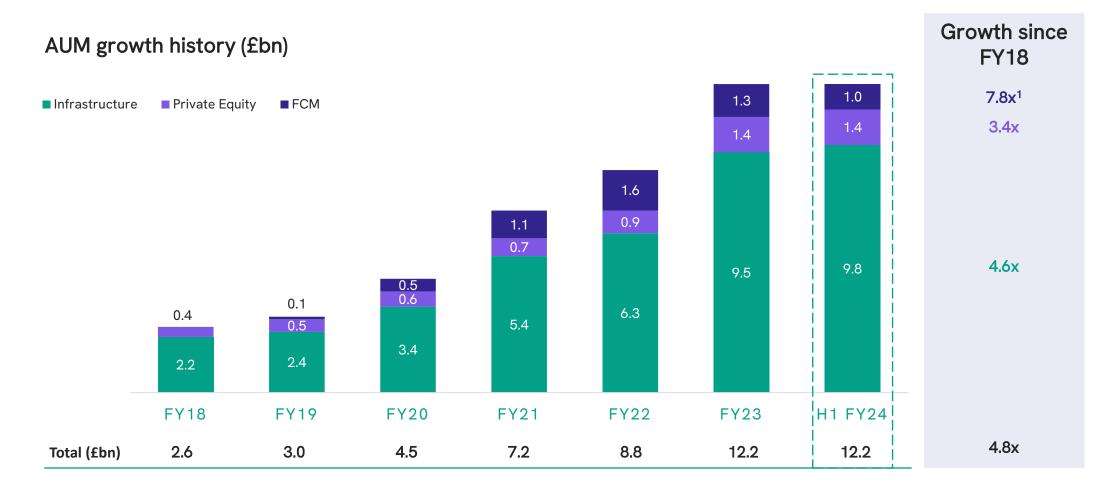


#### Core EBITDA pre-SBP margin (%)

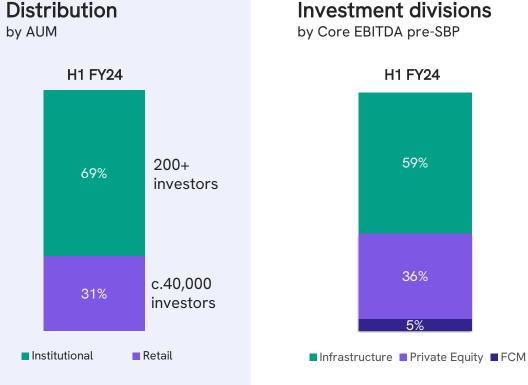
32.8%	38.3%	42.4%	40.7%
52.0%	30.3%	42.4/0	40.7 /0

- Strong Core EBITDA pre-SBP growth
  - 28% year-on-year growth
  - 38% three-year CAGR
- Full year margin expected to be above H1 FY24

## AUM resilience driven by long duration capital



### Diversified model delivers success through economic cycles



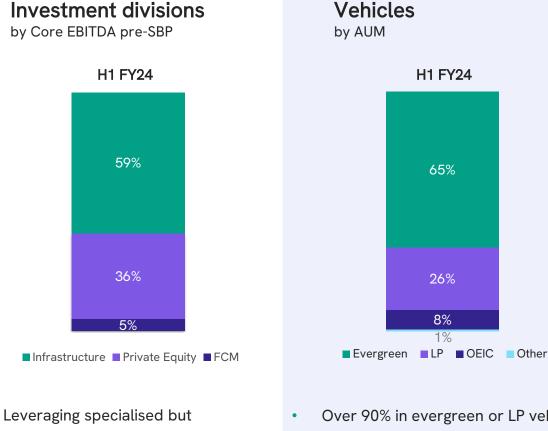
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complementary skill sets

Proven ability to successfully raise institutional and retail capital

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by AUM H1 FY24 57% 27% 13% 3% UK Australia Europe US

Geography

- Over 90% in evergreen or LP vehicles
   with long duration capital
- Investment assets held across 3 continents

1. Evergreen funds include listed investment trusts and are defined as having no 7 pre-determined end of life and therefore have the capability to raise future capital.

# Financial Results

Gary Fraser Chief Financial Officer

Foresight

Energy to Waste Plant in Manfredonia

# Key Financial Metrics

Profitable growth continuing to deliver shareholder value

	Actuals		Constant currency basis		
	30 September 2023	31 March 2023	Period Change		
Assets/Funds					
Period-end AUM (£m)	12,245	12,167	+1%	12,352	+2%
Period-end FUM (£m)	8,830	9,022	-2%	8,899	-1%
			30 September 2023	30 September 2022	YoY Change
Revenue					
Total Revenue (£m)			67.8	50.7	+34%
Recurring Revenue (% of Total)			87.3%	89.4%	-2.1 pts
Profitability					
Core EBITDA pre-SBP <sup>1</sup> (£m)			27.6	21.5	+28%
Core EBITDA pre-SBP <sup>1</sup> margin (%)			40.7%	42.4%	-1.7 pts
Shareholder returns					
Basic Earnings per Share (p)			16.0p	14.4p <sup>2</sup>	+11%
Interim dividend per Share (p)			6.7р	4.6p	+46%

1. Share-based payments (SBP) equal to £8.8 million in the period ended 30 September 2023 (H1 FY23: £1.5 million). o

2. Restated to reflect finalised IFRS 3 accounting.

### AUM Bridge

#### Fundraising into higher margin vehicles offset outflows in FCM division



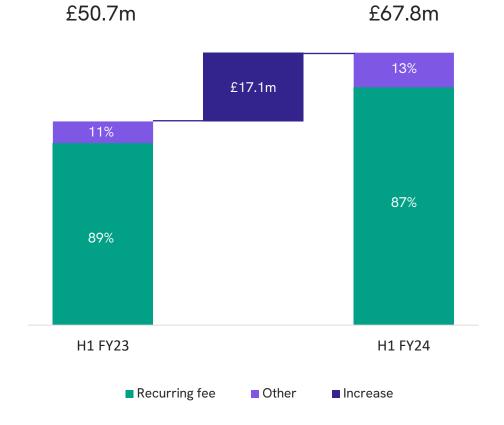
Strong inflows of £247 million into higher margin retail products, driven by in-house sales team

Private Equity institutional fundraising continued

£207 million net outflows in lower margin OEIC products driven by challenging market conditions

### Revenue

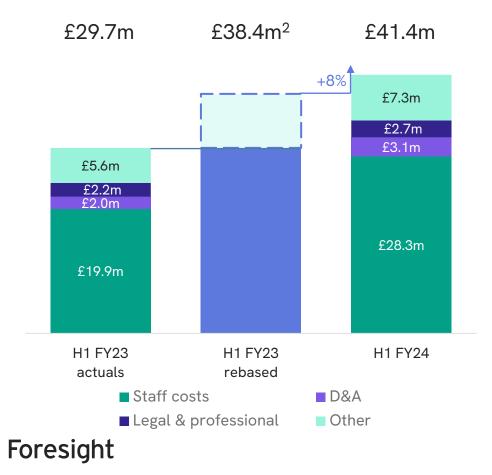
#### 34% year-on-year increase



- 87% recurring revenue remained in target range of 85-90%
- Revenue up 34% or £17.1 million
  - +£7.7 million organic growth
  - +£9.4 million related to acquisition activity<sup>1</sup>
- c.20% non-GBP denominated revenue (H1 FY23: 10%)
- H2 FY24 revenue will benefit from
  - A full six months of management fees relating to higher margin retail and private equity fundraising delivered in H1 FY24
  - Further retail and institutional fundraising; two Private Equity funds launched in November
  - Incremental performance fees; £1.85 million already delivered in H2 FY24



#### Maintenance of firm cost discipline in an inflationary environment



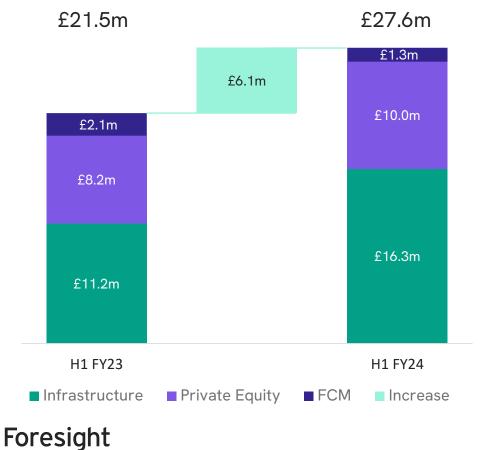
- H1 FY24 8% up on rebased H1 FY23 costs<sup>2</sup>
  - Average 7% salary increase for staff, reflecting high inflation environment
  - £0.6 million increase following FY23 review of senior staff remuneration
  - £0.4 million staff cost relating to £0.7 million performance fees
- Full year increase expected to be c.10% of FY23 rebased costs (£76.7 million)
- H2 FY24 cost saving initiatives estimated to save £1.9 million on an annualised basis
- Effective tax rate unchanged at c.20%

- 1. Administrative expenses before non-underlying items.
- 2. Based on 50% of rebased FY23 cost base disclosed at FY23 results of £76.7 million, which allows for the annualisation of operating costs relating to acquisitions.

### Profitability

#### 28% year-on-year increase

#### Core EBITDA pre-SBP

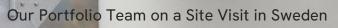


- 28% year-on-year growth driven by:
  - Successful prior year and year-to-date fundraising into higher margin and longer tenure vehicles
  - Annualisation of FY23 M&A activity (+£3.8 million)
  - Maintenance of firm cost discipline
- Achieved 40.7% Core EBITDA pre-SBP margin in H1 FY24, expected to increase in H2
  - Remain confident in growing this margin as the business scales

1. £8.8 million SBP charge (H1 FY23: £1.5 million) excluded from Core EBITDA pre-SBP, of which £7.9 million relates to non-recurring Infrastructure Capital acquisition costs (H1 FY23: £1.0 million).

# Outlook

Bernard Fairman Executive Chairman & Co-Founder



### Who we are



#### All underpinned by our culture and the wealth of knowledge and experience of our people

#### Foresight

1. Including two new regional funds launched post period end. 2.

Year-on-year growth between H1 FY23 and H1 FY24.

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### In focus: Trends shaping the energy transition

Large and compelling, multi decade opportunity as we target net zero globally

#### Key drivers

- Increased demand for electrification
- Technological advancements
- Cost competitiveness of renewables

#### Supercharged by

Multiple regulatory tailwinds, including:

- US Inflation Reduction Act
- EU Net Zero Industry Act

Leading to ...

#### Accelerated by

Strengthening focus on energy security following recent global conflicts

#### Significant levels of *incremental investment*

#### In low carbon energy generation, storage & grid infrastructure

\$194tn expected energy investment by 2050 to reach net zero<sup>1</sup> - requiring c. 3.5x annual increase on \$2trn invested in 2021

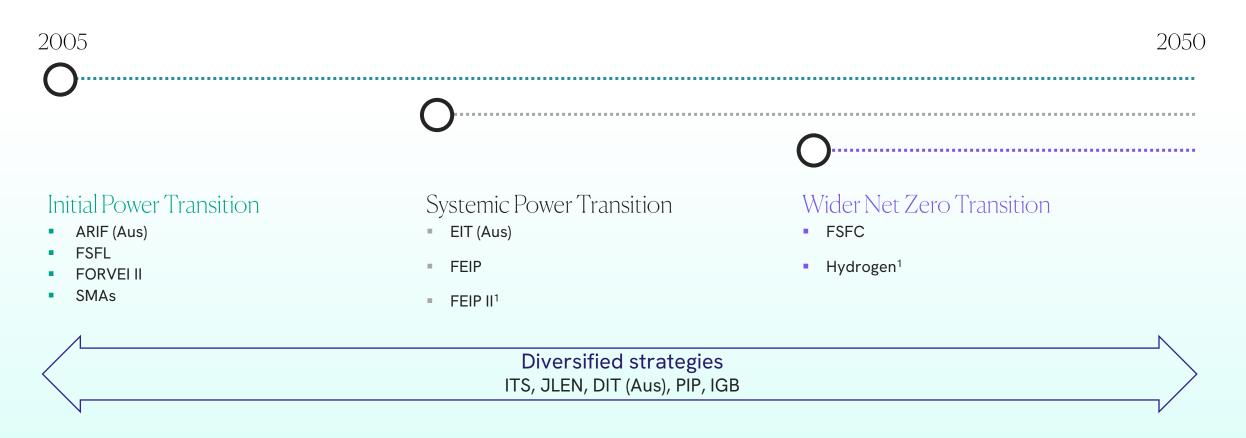
97% of investment in new power generation to 2050 to be spent on low carbon sources

#### Foresight

1. BNEF New Energy Outlook 2022, where energy supply investments includes power generation, grid infrastructure, hydrogen, CCUS and fossil fuel processes while energy demand includes heat pumps, sustainable materials and electric vehicle infrastructure.

### In focus: Our energy transition strategies

15+ years' of sustainable infrastructure investment experience



### In focus: Investment credentials

#### Over £4bn deployed into energy infrastructure across 9 countries

#### Current Infrastructure portfolio

- 435 infrastructure assets across multiple sectors including solar, wind, waste to energy, bioenergy and battery storage
- 4.7 GW of total green energy technology capacity
- Example investments
  - Skaftåsen onshore wind farm (renewable generation)
     35 x 6.6 MW turbines
  - Silvermines pumped storage hydro (renewable storage and generation)
    - Ability to generate power in 10 seconds and stop in 2 minutes
  - MaresConnect interconnector (grid)
    - 2 x HVDC<sup>1</sup> cables under the Irish Sea



# Multiple levers to deliver further profitable growth

#### 1. Focused approach to fundraising

#### Institutional Infrastructure

- Initial power transition / renewable energy generation:
  - ARIF Existing A\$1.0bn yield-paying core+ energy infrastructure fund with a diversified portfolio of wind, solar, and hydro investments in Australia
- Systemic power transition:
  - FEIP II Flagship core + / value add energy transition strategy investing broadly across European energy systems into complementary renewables, flexibility and grid assets
- Wider net zero transition:
  - International hydrogen fund seeking to develop and build a portfolio of low-carbon hydrogen and Power-to-X projects across OECD countries

#### Institutional Private Equity

• Further roll out of regional strategy with 14 active funds<sup>1</sup>

#### Retail

Successful ongoing fundraising by near 50 in-house sales team including specialist OEIC UK sales team

#### 2. M&A Activity

- Continue to apply a disciplined approach to assessing the market
- Deals will only be considered if they are accretive
- Leverage our proven track record

## Remain confident in delivery of strategic targets

	Target	Delivered in H1 FY24	Outlook
Growth	20-25% growth in AUM <sup>1</sup>	22% rolling 3-year average <sup>2</sup>	<ul> <li>Continued fundraising into high margin vehicles</li> <li>Well positioned for institutional fundraising</li> <li>Supplementary inorganic activity</li> </ul>
High quality earnings	85-90% recurring revenue	87%recurring revenue	<ul> <li>High visibility on FY24 earnings</li> <li>FY24 revenue benefit from full year of fees on significant FY23 AUM growth</li> </ul>
Operating leverage	c.43% core EBITDA pre-SBP margin over the medium term	40.7% <sub>margin</sub>	<ul> <li>Full year margin expected to be above H1 FY24</li> <li>Operational leverage through institutional infrastructure fundraising</li> </ul>
Shareholder alignment	60% dividend payout	6.7p	High degree of management ownership

#### Foresight

1. Averaged over a rolling 3 year period.

2. H1 FY21 to H1 FY24, with AUM of £12.2 billion (+1%) and FUM to £8.8 billion (-2%) as at 30 September 2023. 20



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ARIF	Australian Renewables Income Fund	
DIT	Diversified Infrastructure Trust	
EIT	Energy infrastructure Trust	
FEIP	Foresight Energy Infrastructure Partners	
FSFC	Foresight Sustainable Forestry Company	
FSFL	Foresight Solar Fund Limited	
IGB	Foresight Italian Green Bond Fund	
ITS	Inheritance Tax Solution	
JLEN	JLEN Environmental Assets	
Non-underlying items	Items which are not considered part of the normal operating costs of the business, are non-recurring and considered exceptional because of their size, nature or incidence, are treated as non-underlying items and disclosed separately	
OEIC	Open Ended Investment Company	
PiP	Pensions Infrastructure Platform	
SBP	Share-Based Payment	
SFDR	Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation	
SMA	Separately Managed Account	
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