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## Mori Umbrella Fund signs UN-supported Principles for Responsible Investment

Mori Capital Management Limited ("Mori") is pleased to announce that Mori Umbrella Fund Plc has become a signatory to the United Nations-supported Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI).

The PRI is an international global network of asset managers, owners and service providers working together to put responsible investment into practice. The principles, which are voluntary, aim to provide a framework for integrating environmental, social and corporate governance (ESG) considerations into investment decision-making and ownership practices.

In order to become better aligned with the PRI guidelines, Mori, the investment manager of Mori Umbrella Fund Plc, has committed to develop a set of global investment guidelines describing Mori's general approach to ESG matters and how these are integrated into its investment decision-making.

Mori's portfolio manager, Aziz Unan, said: "Environmental, social and governance (ESG) considerations have been an element of our stock selection strategy. By becoming a signatory to the PRI we take our commitment to the next level and make ESG issues a major part of our investment philosophy and process for Mori Umbrella Fund Plc. We believe that adherence to ESG principles is particularly pressing at these challenging times, where the Covid-19 pandemic has made sustainability and social responsibility even more important in business practices and investment decisions".

"We are very pleased that Mori Umbrella Fund Plc has decided to join the PRI and by so doing, further underscore their commitment to sustainable, long-term investing," said PRI CEO Fiona Reynolds. "We look forward to working with them in the coming months."

The Irish domiciled Mori Umbrella Fund Plc, which consists of Mori Eastern European Fund and Mori Ottoman Fund, was launched in 1998 as Griffin Umbrella Fund Plc. Aziz Unan employs a bottom-up stock picking style utilising a proprietary quantitative and a qualitative methodology, including ESG considerations, that covers around 240 companies in the region.

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