

Schroder GAIA

Société d'Investissement à Capital Variable 5, rue Höhenhof, L-1736 Senningerberg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

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## 26 January 2018

Dear Shareholder,

## Annual general meeting of shareholders of Schroder GAIA (the "Company")

Please find enclosed the convening notice of the annual general meeting of shareholders of the Company (the "Meeting") and a form of proxy.

#### **Notice**

All shareholders of the Company are invited to attend the Meeting, which will be held at the registered office of the Company on Tuesday, 27 February 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time, to vote on the resolutions which are outlined in the enclosed notice (the "Notice"). The majority at the Meeting shall be determined according to the shares issued and outstanding at midnight (Luxembourg time) on Thursday, 22 February 2018 (referred to as the "Record Date"). At the Meeting, each share entitles the holder to one vote. The rights of shareholders to attend the Meeting and to exercise the voting right attached to their shares are determined in accordance with the shares held at the Record Date.

# Form of proxy

If you cannot attend the Meeting in person, you can appoint the Chairman or any other person to vote on your behalf by using the enclosed form of proxy, which must be completed and returned to the Company's management company, Schroder Investment Management (Luxembourg) S.A., by no later than 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time, on Friday, 23 February 2018.

## **Audited annual report**

Copies of the Company's audited annual report as at 30 September 2017 can be obtained, free of charge, from Schroder Investment Management (Luxembourg) S.A. and are available on Schroders' internet site http://www.schroders.com.

#### Recommendation

Your Board recommends that shareholders vote in favour of all the resolutions set out in the Notice of the Meeting, which they consider to be in the best interests of shareholders as a whole.

For further details or assistance, please contact your local Schroders office, your usual professional adviser or Schroder Investment Management (Luxembourg) S.A. on (+352) 341 342 212.

Yours faithfully,

Cord Rodewald

**Authorised Signatory** 

Enclosed: AGM convening notice and form of proxy

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## Notice of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of Schroder GAIA

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of shareholders of Schroder **GAIA** (the "Company") will be held at the registered office of the Company on Tuesday, 27 February 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time, with the following agenda:

#### Agenda

- 1. Presentation of the report of the board of directors;
- 2. Presentation of the report of the independent auditor;
- 3. Approval of the financial statements for the accounting year ended 30 September 2017;
- 4. Discharge of the directors of the Company with respect to the performance of their duties for the year ended 30 September 2017;
- 5. Acknowledgement of the resignation as director of Ketil Petersen as of 7 April 2017, and confirmation of the co-optation of Neil Walton as director from 16 August 2017;
- 6. Election of Neil Walton as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019:
- 7. Election of Michel Vermeulen as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019;
- 8. Re-election of Eric Bertrand as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019:
- 9. Re-election of Mike Champion as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019:
- 10. Re-election of Marie-Jeanne Chèvremont-Lorenzini as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019;
- 11. Re-election of Daniel de Fernando Garcia as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019;
- 12. Re-election of Bernard Herman as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019;
- 13. Re-election of Achim Kuessner as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019;
- 14. Determination of the directors' fees;
- Re-election of PricewaterhouseCoopers société coopérative as independent auditor until the following annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019;
- 16. Allocation of the results for the accounting year ended 30 September 2017.

#### Voting

Resolutions on the agenda of the annual general meeting of shareholders of the Company (the "Meeting") will require no quorum and will be taken at the majority of the votes cast by the shareholders present or represented at the Meeting. The majority at the Meeting shall be determined according to the shares issued and outstanding at midnight (Luxembourg time) on Thursday, 22 February 2018 (referred to as "Record Date"). At the Meeting, each share entitles the holder to one vote. The rights of shareholders to attend the

Meeting and to exercise the voting right attached to their shares are determined in accordance with the shares held at the Record Date.

Changes to the register of shareholders after this time will be disregarded in determining the rights of any person to attend or to vote at the Meeting.

# **Voting Arrangements**

Holders of registered shares who cannot attend the Meeting may vote by proxy by returning the enclosed form of proxy either by mail to the Company's management company, Schroder Investment Management (Luxembourg) S.A., 5, rue Höhenhof, L-1736 Senningerberg, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, or by email to schrodersicavproxies@schroders.com, or by fax at the number (+352) 341 342 342, by no later than 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time on Friday, 23 February 2018.

Shareholders, or their representatives, wishing to participate in the Meeting in person are requested to notify the Company Secretary in writing of their attendance by no later than 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time on Friday, 23 February 2018, either by mail to the Company at 5, rue Höhenhof, L-1736 Senningerberg, Luxembourg or by e-mail to schrodersicavproxies@schroders.com or by fax on (+352) 341 342 342.

**Cord Rodewald** 

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# Form of Proxy for use at the annual general meeting of shareholders of Schroder GAIA (the "Company") to be held at 10:00 CET on Tuesday, 27 February 2018

## PLEASE COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITAL LETTERS

I/We	First Name(s)	Last Name	Account Number
First holder:			
Second holder: (if applicable)			
(IF THERE ARE MORE T	THAN TWO JOINT SHAREHOLDE	ERS, ATTACH THE OTHER NAMI	ES IN FULL)
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(insert name of repres	sentative:)		
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as my/our proxy to vote for me/us and on my/our behalf on the resolutions on the agenda of the Meeting to be held at the registered office of the Company on Tuesday, 27 February 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time.

If you have appointed the chairman as your proxy, please indicate with an 'X' in one of the spaces below how you wish your votes to be cast on the resolutions on the agenda of the Meeting. If you have appointed another representative, he or she will be entitled to attend the Meeting and vote on your behalf according to your instructions on the resolutions on the agenda of the Meeting and on such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

	AGENDA	For	Against	Abstain
1.	Approval of the financial statements for the accounting year ended 30 September 2017			
2.	Discharge of the board of directors with respect to the performance of their duties for the year ended 30 September 2017			
3.	Acknowledgement of the resignation as director of Ketil Petersen as of 7 April 2017, and confirmation of the co-optation of Neil Walton as director from 16 August 2017			
4.	Election of Neil Walton as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019			

<sup>•</sup> Please insert the total number of shares held in the relevant sub-fund. If you hold shares in more than one sub-fund, please append all your holdings to this form of proxy.

5.	Election of Michel Vermeulen as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019		
6.	Re-election of Eric Bertrand as director until the next annual general meeting of shareholders to be held in 2019		
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14.	Allocation of the results for the accounting year ended 30 September 2017		

Name, address and signature(s) <sup>1</sup> :	
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Date:	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A shareholder must insert his full name and registered address in CAPITAL LETTERS. The form of proxy must, in the case of an individual shareholder, be signed by the shareholder or his appointed agent, and in the case of a corporate shareholder be signed on its behalf by duly authorised officer(s) or its/their appointed agent(s).

#### **NOTES**

- a) The majority at the Meeting shall be determined according to the shares issued and outstanding at midnight (Luxembourg time) on Thursday, 22 February 2018 (referred to as the "Record Date"). At the Meeting, each share entitles the holder to one vote. The rights of the shareholders to attend the Meeting and to exercise the voting right attached to their shares are determined in accordance with the shares held at the Record Date. Changes to the register of shareholders after this time will be disregarded in determining the rights of any person to attend or to vote at the Meeting.
- b) If you are not able to attend the Meeting, please return the form of proxy duly completed either by mail to Schroder Investment Management (Luxembourg) S.A. at 5, rue Höhenhof, L-1736 Senningerberg, Luxembourg or by email to schrodersicavproxies@schroders.com or by fax at the number (+352) 341 342 342 by no later than 10:00 a.m. Luxembourg time on Friday, 23 February 2018. If the form of proxy is returned by email or by fax please also send the executed original by mail to the addressee stated above.
- c) Shareholders, or their representatives, wishing to participate in the Meeting in person are requested to notify the Company Secretary in writing of their attendance by no later than 10:00 am, Luxembourg time, on Friday, 23 February 2018, either by mail to the Company at 5, rue Höhenhof, L-1736 Senningerberg, Luxembourg or by email to schrodersicavproxies@schroders.com, or by fax (+352) 341 342 342.