

17 January 2023

Dear Shareholder,

## **Schroder International Selection Fund (the "Company") – BRIC (Brazil, Russia, India, China) (the "Fund")**

We are writing to inform you that the constituents and name of the Fund's target benchmark have changed and that on 18 April 2023 (the "Effective Date") the Fund's name, investment objective and investment policy will change.

### **Background and rationale**

Following the Russian invasion of Ukraine and subsequent sanctions, Russia was removed from the Fund's target benchmark, MSCI BRIC (Net TR) 10/40 index. With effect from 14 July 2022 the target benchmark was renamed MSCI BIC (Net TR) 10/40 index. This change has been reflected in the Fund's prospectus. In this context there was an additional review of the Fund and it was decided to remove Russia from the investment objective and policy, and to change the name accordingly.

In the context of the unprecedented geo-political situation caused by Russia's invasion of the Ukraine and the resultant impact of sanctions and the actions of governments and market counterparties on certain Russian issuers and assets, the Fund's residual holdings in Russian assets (the "Russian Assets") are currently valued at zero. These Russian Assets represented approximately 0.35% of the Fund's portfolio as of 3 March 2022 when the value was reduced to zero. In the event that value returns to these assets they will be returned to the net asset value of the Fund and will be sold by the Investment Manager taking into account the best interests of the shareholders in line with the Fund's amended investment strategy applicable as from the Effective Date.

### **Investment Objective and Policy Change**

From the Effective Date the Fund's Investment Objective and policy will change as shown in Appendix 1.

### **Name Change**

From the Effective Date the Fund's name will change from:

Schroder International Selection Fund BRIC (Brazil, Russia, India, China)

To:

Schroder International Selection Fund BIC (Brazil, India, China)

The extent of the change to the risk/reward profile of the Fund as a result of these changes is non-significant.

All other key features of the Fund, including the synthetic risk and return indicator (the SRRI) and fees, will remain the same.

### **Redeeming or switching your shares to another Schroders fund**

We hope that you will choose to remain invested in the Fund following these changes, but if you do wish to redeem your holding in the Fund or to switch into another of the Company's sub-funds before the changes become effective you may do so at any time up to and including deal cut-off on 17 April 2023. Please ensure that your redemption or switch instruction reaches HSBC Continental Europe, Luxembourg ("HSBC") before this deadline. HSBC will execute your redemption or switch instructions in accordance with the provisions of the Company's prospectus, free of charge, although in some countries local paying agents, correspondent banks or similar agents might charge transaction fees. Local agents might also have a local deal cut-off which is earlier than that described above, so please check with them to ensure that your instructions reach HSBC before the deal cut-off given above.

You can find the Fund's updated key investor information document (the UCITS KIID) or key information document (PRIIPs KID) for the relevant share class and the Fund's Prospectus at [www.schroders.lu](http://www.schroders.lu).

If you have any questions or would like more information about Schroders' products please visit [www.schroders.com](http://www.schroders.com) or contact your local Schroders office, your usual professional adviser, or Schroder Investment Management (Europe) S.A. on (+352) 341 342 202.

Yours faithfully,

**The Board of Directors**

## Appendix 1

Deletions are shown as crossed out text

Previous Investment Objective and Policy	New Investment Objective and Policy
<p><b>Investment Objective</b></p> <p>The Fund aims to provide capital growth in excess of the MSCI BIC (Net TR) 10/40 index after fees have been deducted over a three to five year period, by investing in equity and equity related securities of Brazilian, Russian, Indian and Chinese companies.</p> <p><b>Investment Policy</b></p> <p>The Fund is actively managed and invests at least two-thirds of its assets in a range of equity and equity related securities of Brazilian, Russian, Indian and Chinese companies.</p> <p>The Fund may invest directly in China B-Shares and China H-Shares and may invest less than 20% of its assets (on a net basis) directly or indirectly (for example via participatory notes) in China A-Shares through Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect and shares listed on the STAR Board and the ChiNext.</p> <p>The Fund may also invest up to one-third of its asset directly or indirectly in other securities (including other asset classes), countries, regions, industries or currencies, Investment Funds, warrants and Money Market Investments, and hold cash (subject to the restrictions provided in Appendix I).</p> <p>The Fund may use derivatives with the aim of achieving investment gains, reducing risk or managing the Fund more efficiently.</p> <p>The Fund maintains a higher overall sustainability score than the MSCI BIC (Net TR) 10/40 index, based on the Investment Manager's rating criteria. More details on the investment process used to achieve this can be found in the Fund Characteristics section.</p> <p>The Fund does not directly invest in certain activities, industries or groups of issuers above the limits listed under "Sustainability Information" on the Fund's webpage, accessed via <a href="http://www.schroders.com/en/lu/private-investor/gfc">www.schroders.com/en/lu/private-investor/gfc</a>.</p>	<p><b>Investment Objective</b></p> <p>The Fund aims to provide capital growth in excess of the MSCI BIC (Net TR) 10/40 index after fees have been deducted over a three to five year period, by investing in equity and equity related securities of Brazilian, <del>Russian</del>, Indian and Chinese companies.</p> <p><b>Investment Policy</b></p> <p>The Fund is actively managed and invests at least two-thirds of its assets in a range of equity and equity related securities of Brazilian, <del>Russian</del>, Indian and Chinese companies.</p> <p>The Fund may invest directly in China B-Shares and China H-Shares and may invest less than 20% of its assets (on a net basis) directly or indirectly (for example via participatory notes) in China A-Shares through Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect and shares listed on the STAR Board and the ChiNext.</p> <p>The Fund may also invest up to one-third of its asset directly or indirectly in other securities (including other asset classes), countries, regions, industries or currencies, Investment Funds, warrants and Money Market Investments, and hold cash (subject to the restrictions provided in Appendix I).</p> <p>The Fund may use derivatives with the aim of achieving investment gains, reducing risk or managing the Fund more efficiently.</p> <p>The Fund maintains a higher overall sustainability score than the MSCI BIC (Net TR) 10/40 index, based on the Investment Manager's rating criteria. More details on the investment process used to achieve this can be found in the Fund Characteristics section.</p> <p>The Fund does not directly invest in certain activities, industries or groups of issuers above the limits listed under "Sustainability Information" on the Fund's webpage, accessed via <a href="http://www.schroders.com/en/lu/private-investor/gfc">www.schroders.com/en/lu/private-investor/gfc</a>.</p>

**Appendix 2**

ISIN codes of the Share Classes impacted by this change:

<b>Share Class</b>	<b>Share Class Currency</b>	<b>ISIN Code</b>
A Accumulation	USD	LU0228659784
A1 Accumulation	USD	LU0228659867
B Accumulation	USD	LU0228659941
C Accumulation	USD	LU0228660014
C Distribution	USD	LU2004793605
I Accumulation	USD	LU0228660105
S Accumulation	USD	LU1046232473
C Accumulation	CHF	LU0820944402
A Accumulation	EUR	LU0232931963
A Distribution	EUR	LU0858243842
A1 Accumulation	EUR	LU0248178906
B Accumulation	EUR	LU0232932698
C Accumulation	EUR	LU0232933159
A Distribution	GBP	LU0242619723
A Accumulation	HKD	LU0828237510