

Disposal Of Care Home & Related Party Transaction

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Impact Healthcare REIT plc

("Impact" or the "Company" or, together with its subsidiaries, the "Group")

A PROFITABLE DISPOSAL ABOVE LATEST BOOK VALUE OF A NON-CORE CARE HOME AND SMALLER RELATED PARTY TRANSACTION

The Board of Directors of Impact Healthcare REIT plc (ticker: IHR), the real estate investment trust which gives investors exposure to a diversified portfolio of UK healthcare real estate assets, in particular care homes, is pleased to announce that the Group has sold a non-core care home for £2.65 million, 4 per cent. above the latest book value as at 30 June 2022.

Impact has completed on the sale of Attlee, a 68 bed care home in Wakefield, acquired as part of the seed portfolio in March 2017. The home was not a long-term strategic asset for Impact or the tenant, Minster Care Management Limited ("Minster") and as part of the Group's active portfolio management strategy, was jointly marketed.

As part of the sale Impact has entered into a lease surrender with Minster for nil consideration. Minster is deemed to be a related party of the Company under the Listing Rules. The lease surrender with Minster is therefore deemed to be a smaller related party transaction for the purposes of Listing Rule 11.1.10R and this announcement is therefore made in accordance with Listing Rule 11.1.10R(2)(c).

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Further information on Impact Healthcare REIT is available at www.impactreit.uk.

NOTES:

Impact Healthcare REIT plc acquires, renovates, extends and redevelops high quality healthcare real estate assets in the UK and lets these assets on long-term full repairing and insuring leases to high-quality established healthcare operators which offer good quality care, under leases which provide the Company with attractive levels of rent cover.

The Company aims to provide shareholders with an attractive sustainable return, principally in the form of quarterly income distributions and with the potential for capital and income growth, through exposure to a diversified and resilient portfolio of UK healthcare real estate assets, in particular care homes for the elderly.

The Company has a progressive dividend policy with a target to grow its annual aggregate dividend in line with the inflation-linked rental uplifts received by the Group under the terms of the rent review provisions contained in the Group's leases in the prior financial year.

On this basis, the Company is targeting a dividend for the year to 31 December 2022 to increase by 2.0% to 6.54 pence per share 1 .

The Group's Ordinary Shares were admitted to trading on the main market of the London Stock Exchange, premium segment, on 8 February 2019. The Company is a constituent of the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT index.

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