

**ASX RELEASE****NB Global Corporate Income Trust (ASX: NBI)  
Prospective Offer of New Units**

**22 November 2019, Sydney:** Neuberger Berman, manager of the NB Global Corporate Income Trust (ASX: **NBI**), is pleased to announce its plans for a prospective offer of new Units in NBI, targeted for late January 2020<sup>1</sup>.

“We continue to see a favourable risk-return profile for global high yield corporate bonds. The fact that NBI has been trading at a premium to its Net Tangible Assets (NTA) since its last offer in June also reflects the ongoing demand from investors seeking to diversify their investment portfolios with an allocation to global fixed income investments,” said Matt Thompson, Head of Intermediary Distribution for Neuberger Berman.

Neuberger Berman remains constructive on the global high yield market, not least given its belief that yield spreads are compensating investors for a relatively benign default environment.

“In this low interest rate environment, investors are searching for alternative forms of income. NBI continues to offer an attractive investment option for investors looking for a reliable and consistent income stream derived from the high yield bonds of large, global companies traded across a diverse and liquid market,” added Mr. Thompson.

“Australian investors remain underinvested in fixed income. Furthermore, with interest rates in Australia now at record lows, investors are reassessing the composition of their investment portfolios and seeking higher yielding and globally diversified income solutions,” said Mr. Thompson.

NBI continues to deliver on its objective of providing a consistent and stable income stream. From its inception to the end of October 2019, NBI has achieved a total return of 7.19%<sup>2</sup> and, for the financial year ended 30 June 2019, paid an annualized distribution of 6.24%<sup>3</sup> (net of fees and expenses). For the current financial year to the end of October 2019, NBI has paid distributions totaling 3.59 cents per Unit, which represents an annualised distribution of 5.25% (net of fees and expenses) and is in line with NBI’s Target Distribution<sup>4</sup>.

In light of its constructive outlook for global high yield corporate bonds, coupled with ongoing market demand and NBI’s consistent performance, Neuberger Berman is targeting an offer of new Units in NBI commencing at the end of January 2020.<sup>1</sup>

“These combined factors provide a compelling proposition for NBI to increase its market liquidity further by way of an expanded investor base and have led to us putting plans in motion for an offer of new Units,” said Mr Thompson.

It is anticipated that the offer of new Units will comprise both an entitlement offer for existing Unitholders and a public shortfall offer for new investors. Neuberger Berman is currently finalising the key terms of the offer and timetable with the proposed joint lead managers, and expects further details being released to the market in due course.<sup>1</sup>

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**Notes:**

1. Once finalised, full details of the offer will be announced and set out in a product disclosure statement (“**2020 PDS**”). A person should consider the 2020 PDS in its entirety in deciding whether to acquire Units in NBI.
2. Listing Date: 26 September 2018. Performance has been annualized. Total Return is calculated based on the pre-distribution month end NTA and assumes all distributions are reinvested. Performance is calculated net of management costs, which includes the Responsible Entity fee, the Management fee, the Administration fee, along with custodian, audit and legal fees and other transactional and operational costs. Investors should review NBI’s product disclosure statement dated 14 May 2019 (“**2019 PDS**”) for full details of NBI, including, in particular, the “Fees and Other Costs” section.
3. Based on the Initial Public Offer Subscription Price of \$2.00.
4. The Target Distribution is only a target and may not be achieved. Actual distributions will be monitored against the Target Distribution. The Target Distribution will be formally reviewed at least annually (as at the end of each financial year) and any reduction in Target Distribution will be notified by way of ASX announcement as required. Investors should review the “Risk Factors” set out in Section 8 of 2019 PDS.
5. Source: Neuberger Berman, as of 30 September 2019.