NB Private Equity Partners Limited

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ORDINARY SHARE INFORMATION

Trading Symbol: NBPE Exchanges: Euronext Amsterdam & London Stock Exchange Euronext Admission Date: 25 July 2007 LSE Admission Date: 30 June 2009 Base Currency: USD Bloomberg: NBPE NA, NBPE LN Reuters: NBPE.AS, NBPE.L ISIN: GG00B1ZBD492 COMMON: 030991001

ZDP SHARE INFORMATION

Trading Symbol: NBPZ Exchanges: London Stock Exchange & Channel Islands Stock Exchange Admission Date: 1 December 2009 Base Currency: GBP Bloomberg: NBPEGBP LN Reuters: NBPEO.L ISIN: GG00B4ZXGJ22 SEDOL: B4ZXGJ2 GRY at Issuance: 7.30% Share Life: 7.5 Years to 31 May 2017 Final Capital Entitlement: 169.73 pence

As of 31 October 2012, the private equity portfolio included exposure to 81 investments 2,500 underlying portfolio and over companies.

* Includes both equity and debt investments. ** As of 31 October and 30 September 2012. there were 48,812,564 class A ordinary shares and 10,000 class B ordinary shares outstanding, with 3,150,408 class A ordinary shares held in treasury.

*** As of 31 October and 30 September 2012, were 32,999,999 ZDP shares outstanding.

COMPANY OVERVIEW

NB Private Equity Partners Limited ("NBPE" or "the Company") is a closed-end investment company registered under the laws of Guernsey managed by NB Alternatives Advisers LLC (the "Investment Manager"), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Neuberger Berman Group LLC. NBPE invests in private equity funds managed by leading sponsors, including funds of funds managed by the Investment Manager, and makes direct private equity investments alongside leading sponsors ("co-investments"). NBPE's investment objective is to produce attractive returns on its capital from its private equity investments while managing investment risk through portfolio diversification across asset class, vintage year, geography, industry, and sponsor.

INVESTMENT MANAGER COMMENTARY

During October, NBPE funded \$14.8 million to provide previously announced second lien financing to Deltek Inc., a leading global provider of enterprise software and information solutions for professional services firms and government contractors. In addition, NBPE funded a mid-cap buyout co-investment in RevSpring, a leader in the fragmented accounts receivable / revenue cycle management industry. During October, NBPE committed \$2.5 million to a Brazilian credit information firm. Additionally, NBPE agreed to participate in a mid-cap buyout co-investment in an oil services company, through the NB Alternatives Direct Co-investment Program. Both transactions have closed as of the date of this report. During 2012, including the aforementioned new commitments, NBPE has participated in thirteen direct yielding and direct coinvestments.

Including new investment activity, NBPE invested \$17.3 million into private equity investments and received \$3.1 million of distributions during October. In addition, NBPE received \$22.6 million from the redemption of two special situations investments. As of 31 October 2012, \$1.4 million was recorded as a receivable on NBPE's balance sheet. As a result of this investment activity, the Company's private equity investment level was 102% of NAV at 31 October 2012. Approximately 87% of the contributions were invested in direct yielding investments, 5% were invested in growth equity/venture funds, 4% were invested in buyout funds, 3% were invested in special situations funds. 1% were invested in buyout co-investments. The majority of the distributions during the month were from fund investments in Avista Capital Partners and return of capital from the NB Healthcare Credit Investment Program.

As of 31 October 2012, the unaudited NAV per share was \$11.35, which represents an increase of 0.4% compared to the unaudited NAV per share of \$11.31 at 30 September 2012. During October, NBPE's portfolio value increased due to \$2.0 million of unrealized gains attributable to the receipt of Q3 2012 valuation information, \$0.5 million of positive foreign exchange adjustments, and \$0.2 million of unrealized gains on credit-related fund investments. These gains were offset by \$0.4 million of unrealized losses on public securities. There were no shares repurchased during the month of October.

NET ASSET VALUE DEVELOPMENT

Premium (Discount)	11.8%	10.1%
Closing ZDP Share Price (LSE)	137.38p	134.50p
ZDP Net Asset Value per Share ***	122.86p	122.13p
Summary of the ZDP Shares		
(In £)		
Commitment Cover Ratio	98%	92%
Cash + Undrawn Committed Credit Facility	\$312.6	\$301.2
Private Equity Investment Level	102%	105%
Total Private Equity Exposure	\$884.1	\$904.8
Unfunded Private Equity Commitments	\$318.1	\$326.9
Estimated Fair Value of Private Equity Investments	\$566.0	\$577.9
Summary of Private Equity Exposure		
Premium (Discount)	(33.5%)	(34.9%)
Closing Share Price (Euronext Amsterdam)	\$7.55	\$7.36
Net Asset Value per Share **	\$ 11.35	\$ 11.3 1
Net Asset Value	\$553.9	\$552.2
Net Other Assets (Liabilities), incl. M ino rity Interest	(\$8.7)	(\$ 11.2)
ZDP Share Liability, incl. Forward Currency Contract	(\$66.0)	(\$65.7)
Credit Facility Outstanding	-	-
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$62.6	\$51.2
Total Private Equity Investments	\$566.0	\$577.9
Direct / Co-investments *	\$ 199.5	\$ 189.4
Fund Investments and Fund of Funds Investments	\$366.5	\$388.5
Summary of NAV of Ordinary Shares	31 October 2012 (Unaudited)	30 September 2012 (Unaudited)
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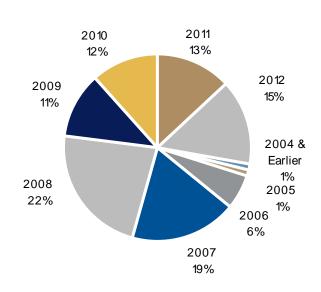
PRIVATE EQUITY PORTFOLIO DIVERSIFICATION

Key information about NBPE's private equity portfolio based upon fair value at 31 October 2012 was as follows.^{2,3}

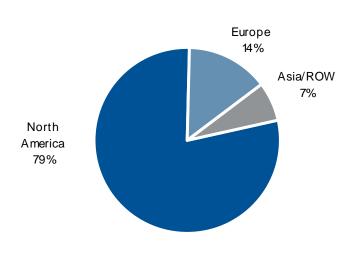
ASSET CLASS AND INVESTMENT TYPE

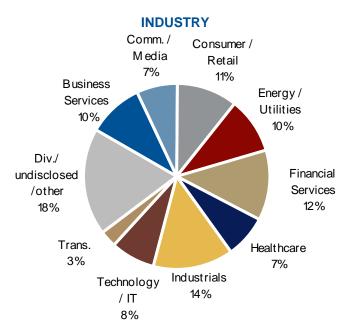
Growth / Direct Venture Large-cap Yielding 7% Buvout **Investment** 9% 14% Large-cap Buyout Coinvest 8% Special Sit. Funds 25% Mid-cap Buyout Special Sit 19% Co-invest Mid-cap 1% Buyout Co-Secondary invest **Purchases** 13% 4%

YEAR OF INVESTMENT



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Based on total private equity exposure, which includes unfunded commitments, the diversification of NBPE's private equity portfolio at 31 October 2012 was as follows: ^{2,3}

- Asset class and investment type special situations funds: 27%; special situations direct investments: 1%; direct yielding co-investments: 12%; mid-cap buyout funds: 20%; mid-cap buyout co-investments: 12%; large-cap buyout funds: 8%; large-cap buyout co-investments: 7%; growth/venture: 9%; secondary purchases: 4%
- Geography North America: 77%; Europe: 14%; Asia/rest of world: 9%
- Industry energy/utilities: 9%; financial services: 13%; consumer/retail: 11%; industrials: 14%; communications/media: 7%; technology/IT: 7%; healthcare: 7%; business services: 9%; transportation: 3%; diversified/undisclosed/other: 20%

The diversification of NBPE's unfunded private equity commitments at 31 October 2012 was as follows: 2,3

- Asset class and investment type special situations funds: 38%; mid-cap buyout funds: 24%; mid-cap buyout co-investments: 4%; large-cap buyout funds: 4%; growth/venture: 21%; secondary purchases: 9%
- Vintage year of fund or direct/co-investment 2004 & Earlier: 2%; 2005: 1%; 2006: 10%; 2007: 46%; 2008: 5%; 2009: 10%; 2010: 13%; 2011: 10%; 2012: 3%

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VALUATION METHODOLOGY

The Company carries its private equity investments on its books at fair value using the best information it has reasonably available to determine or estimate fair value. Publicly traded securities are valued based on quoted prices as of the last day of the relevant period less discounts to reflect legal restrictions, if any, that affect marketability. The Company determines such values for publicly traded securities held directly as well as known public positions held in the underlying private equity investments on a look-through basis. The Company estimates fair value for private interests based on a methodology that begins with the most recent information available from the general partner of the underlying fund or the lead investor of a direct coinvestment, and considers subsequent transactions, such as drawdowns or distributions, as well as other information judged to be reliable that reports or indicates valuation changes, including realizations and other portfolio company events. The Company proactively re-values its investments before it has received updated information from the fund manager or lead sponsor if it becomes aware of material events that justify a change in valuation. If the Company concludes that it is probable an investment will be sold, the Company will adjust the carrying value to the amount the Company expects to realize from the sale, exclusive of transaction costs.

NBPE expects to issue its interim management statement for the nine month period ended 30 September 2012 in November. The interim management statement will include unaudited financial information prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. NBPE is required to consider, and will consider, all known material information in preparing such interim financial report, including information that may become known subsequent to the issuance of this monthly report. Accordingly, amounts included in the interim management statement may differ from this monthly report.

TRADING VOLUME AND SHARE REPURCHASE ACTIVITY

During the month of October, NBPE's aggregate trading volume on Euronext Amsterdam, the London Stock Exchange, and over-the-counter trading platforms was 1,092,548 shares, which represents an average daily trading volume of approximately 47,502 shares. The trading volume in October included approximately 326,760 shares traded over-the-counter and not reported on Euronext Amsterdam or the London Stock Exchange.

On 22 October 2010, we launched a new Share Buy-Back Programme in order to begin implementing the Capital Return Policy. The Share Buy-Back Programme is the subject of periodic review by the Board. The Board of Directors has approved an extension of the share buyback program from 31 August 2012 to 30 November 2012. Under the terms of the Share Buy-back Programme, Jefferies International Limited ("JIL") has been appointed to effect on-market repurchases of Shares on behalf of NBPE on Euronext Amsterdam and/or the Specialist Fund Market of the London Stock Exchange. Shares bought back under the Share Buy-Back Programme will be cancelled.

There were no shares repurchased during the month of October. As of 31 October 2012, there were 48,812,564 class A ordinary shares and 10,000 class B ordinary shares outstanding, with 3,150,408 class A ordinary shares held in treasury.

- 1. Figures provided are unaudited and subject to change. Certain numbers may not total due to rounding.
- 2. For the NB Alternatives Direct Co-investment Program and the NB Healthcare Credit Investment Program commitments, total exposure only reflects the funded investments to date. Unfunded amounts and unfunded percentages within each of these programs are excluded from the analysis, as capital deployment is opportunistic and cannot be accurately forecast at this time. The diversification analysis by asset class and investment type is based on the fair value of underlying fund investments and direct/co-investments (including unfunded commitments on a total private equity exposure basis). The diversification analysis by year of investment, geography and industry is based on the diversification of underlying portfolio company investments at fair value as estimated by the Investment Manager. The year of investment is calculated at the portfolio company level and is defined as the date of capital deployment into a particular underlying investment. For primary investments and direct/co-investments, the vintage year is defined as the date of the first portfolio investment or the date of the direct/co-investment. For secondary investments, the vintage year is defined as the date of the secondary acquisition. The diversification by year of investment also includes an allocation of net cash flows and valuation adjustments made since financial statements were last received from the investment sponsor. Determinations regarding asset class, investment type, geography and industry, as well as the allocation of unfunded commitments on a total private equity exposure basis, also represent the Investment Manager's estimates. Accordingly, the actual diversification of the Company's investment portfolio on an ongoing basis may vary from the foregoing information.
- 3. Direct yielding diversification includes equity commitments made alongside mezzanine financings.

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