

Harmony Energy Income Trust plc (the "Company")

Chair Statement of Responsibilities

- 1. The Chair leads the Board and is responsible for its overall effectiveness in directing the affairs of the Company. As a non-executive independent Chair, responsibilities include:
 - In addition to formal general meetings, seeking regular engagement with major shareholders in order to understand their views on governance and performance against the Company's investment objective and investment policy;
 - Ensuring the Board has a clear understanding of the views of shareholders;
 - Facilitating constructive Board relations and the effective contribution of all nonexecutive director;
 - Demonstrating objective judgement throughout their tenure and promote a culture of openness and debate;
 - Ensuring that Directors receive accurate, timely and clear information;
 - Considering the need for a regular externally facilitated board performance review;
 and
 - Acting on the results of the Board performance review by recognising the strengths and weaknesses of the Board.
- 2. The Chair should be independent on appointment when assessed against the circumstances set out in Provision 13 of the AIC Code.
- 3. On appointment, and throughout the Chair's tenure, the Chair should have no relationships that may create a conflict of interest between the Chair's interest and those of shareholders, including:
 - Being an employee of the manager or an ex-employee who has left the employment of the manager within the last five years;
 - Being a professional adviser who has provided services to the manager or the Board within the last three years; or
 - Serving on any other boards of an investment company managed by the same manager.
- 4. The Chair may be a member of either or both the Remuneration or Audit and Risk Committees, if they were independent on appointment but cannot chair either committee.
- 5. The Chair may be a member of, and may chair, the Management Engagement committee, provided that they are independent of the manager.

Approved by the Board on 3 March 2025.