VPC Specialty Lending Investments PLC



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Company Overview

VPC Specialty Lending Investments PLC ("VSL" or the "Company") invests in opportunities within the specialty lending market primarily through online lending Platforms. The Company completed its IPO on 17 March 2015 with a premium listing on the Official List of the UK Listing Authority and trading on the Main Market of the London Stock Exchange. The Company's trading symbol is VSL.

The Company's investment manager is Victory Park Capital Advisors, LLC ("VPC" or the "Investment Manager"). VPC is an SEC-registered investment adviser and acts as the AIFM of the Company.

Since 2010, the Investment Manager has been actively involved in the specialty lending marketplace and has made more than \$3.7 billion of investments and commitments across various financial technology Platforms, spanning multiple geographies, products and structures, and is continuing to deploy capital into existing Platform capacity at an average monthly rate in excess of \$120 million from VSL as well as VPC's other investment vehicles.

Investment Highlights

- Significant market opportunity with rapid and continued expansion.
- Experienced management team that has been involved in the sector since 2010.
- Access to scalable online lending Platforms utilising VPC's existing loan and forward flow contractual agreements.
- Substantially fully invested net IPO proceeds well ahead of plan. Geographic, product and structural diversity.
- The yield on the substantially fully invested portfolio is in line with expectations in order to meet the targeted dividend yield of 8%.¹
- On 13 August 2015, the Company declared an interim dividend of 0.9 pence per share for the period to 30 June 2015.
- On 8 September 2015, the Company published a prospectus in relation to a Share Issuance Programme for the proposed issue of up to 500 million new ordinary and/or C shares.
- On 30 September 2015, the Company announced that it had raised gross proceeds of £183 million following to the initial issue of C shares pursuant to the Share Issuance Programme.

The Company's Investment Objective

Increased banking regulation (particularly in Europe and the U.S.) is imposing restrictions on certain types of lending by banks to both consumers and small businesses, leading to a growing market for specialty lending Platforms. The online lending market continues to expand rapidly as both borrowers and investors recognize the advantages relative to the traditional bank lending model.

The Company seeks to generate an attractive total return for shareholders consisting of dividend income and capital growth via investments across a diverse portfolio of various online lending platforms (each a "Platform"), asset classes, geographies (primarily U.S., U.K. and Europe) and credit bands.

The Company generates investment income from exposure to Platform-originated consumer and small business loans, including corporate and trade receivables, in accordance with certain investment limits and restrictions to ensure diversification of the Company's portfolio is maintained and that concentration risk and credit exposure is mitigated. In addition, the Company may also make direct equity investments, or receive warrants to purchase equity stakes, in such Platforms.

Performance Summary (As at 31 August 2015)

NAV (Cum Income)		£200,011,79		per Share Income)		100.	01p Sha	ares in Issue	e	200,0	000,000
NAV (Ex Income)		£197,654,666		NAV per Share (Ex Income)				Issue Price		100.00p	
Market Capitalisation		Share Price £202,000,000 (28 August 2015 Close)			Close)	Premium / (Discount) t 101.00p (Cum Income)			,	0.99%	
	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	ITD ⁴
NAV (Cum Income) Return ²	-0.12%	0.63%	0.33%	0.81%	0.77%	0.51%	_	_	_	-	2.97%
Share Price Performance ³	0.50%	0.25%	1.24%	0.00%	1.96%	-2.88%	_	_	_	_	1.00%
Dividend Per Share	-	-	-	-	-	0.9p	-	-	-	-	0.9p

¹This is a target only and not a profit forecast. There can be no assurance that the target will be met and it should not be taken as an indication of the Company's expected or future results. ²Net of issue costs.

ITD: Inception to Date

³Based on issue price of 100p.

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Monthly Commentary

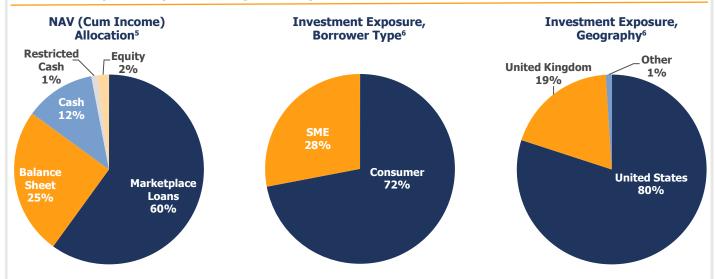
The Company continued to execute on its investment objectives and delivered a NAV return of 0.51% for the month of August. Additionally, on 13 August 2015, the Company declared its first interim dividend of 0.9 pence per share for the period to 30 June 2015.

The Company's investments are diversified with exposure to 17 Platforms originating consumer and small business loans, in addition to companies supporting the specialty lending market, across the U.S., U.K. and Europe. The Investment Manager's experience in the specialty lending sector and diversified capital base, we believe, makes it an attractive partner to Platforms globally and enables the Investment Manager to generate proprietary deal flow for the Company.

In August, the Company made an initial equity investment in Orchard App, Inc. Furthermore, the Company closed and began borrowing from a \$125 million non-recourse credit facility at the special purpose vehicle level to leverage Prosper loans, which is expected to be accretive to returns. This follows the closing of similarly structured leverage facilities for Funding Circle and Avant loans in May and July 2015, respectively. The Investment Manager believes that these facilities are an important step in the process and expects that they will enable the Company to obtain term financing at an attractive cost via a securitisation in the public markets.

As at 31 August 2015, consumer exposure accounted for 72% of the invested portfolio, while small business exposure accounted for 28%. Investments in U.S. Platforms accounted for 80% of the invested portfolio, with the remainder being predominantly UK-based loans. As part of these investments, the Company has equity exposure to nine Platforms through equity securities or convertible notes.

Portfolio Composition (As at 31 August 2015)



Events Subsequent to 31 August 2015

As mentioned in the Investment Highlights section of this document, on 8 September 2015, the Company published a prospectus in relation to a Share Issuance Programme for the proposed issue of up to 500 million new ordinary and/or C shares. Furthermore, on 30 September 2015, the Company announced that it had raised gross proceeds of £183 million pursuant to initial issue of C shares pursuant to the Share Issuance Programme.

The High Court approved the cancellation of the amount standing to the credit of the share premium account of the Company on 17 September 2015.

In September, the Company made initial equity investments in PeerIQ and CommonBond, Inc.

VPC is continuing to deploy capital into existing Platform capacity at an average monthly rate in excess of \$120 million from VSL as well as VPC's other investment vehicles.

⁵Restricted Cash reflects cash held in underlying private fund investments that is not available for direct investment by VSL. ⁶Calculations using gross asset exposure and not reduced for gearing. Excludes cash.

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Glossary of Terms

Market Capitalisation - Month-end closing share price multiplied by the number of shares outstanding at month end.

NAV (Cum Income) or **NAV or Net Asset Value** - The value of assets of the Company less liabilities determined in accordance with the accounting principles adopted by the Company.

NAV (Ex Income) - The NAV of the Company, including current year capital returns and excluding current year revenue returns and unadjusted for dividends relating to revenue returns.

NAV per Share (Cum Income) - The NAV (Cum Income) divided by the number of shares in issue.

NAV per Share (Ex Income) - The NAV (Ex Income) divided by the number of shares in issue.

Premium / (Discount) to NAV (Cum Income) - The amount by which the share price of the Company is either higher (at a premium) or lower (at a discount) than the NAV per Share (Cum Income), expressed as a percentage of the NAV per share.

Share Price - Closing share price at month end (excluding dividends reinvested).

NAV (Cum Income) Return - The theoretical total return on shareholders' funds per share reflecting the change in NAV assuming that dividends paid to shareholders were reinvested at NAV at the time dividend was announced.

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