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The Manager Company Announcements Office Australian Stock Exchange 20 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

Dear Sir/Madam

## **Deutsche Industrial Trust**

Deutsche Asset Management (Australia) Limited as responsible entity of Deutsche Industrial Trust ("RE") is pleased to announce revised parameters to be applied when calculating the remuneration of the RE, effective 1 October 2003.

The new fee arrangements include a reduction in the Base Fee, the introduction of a Performance Fee payable when returns are generated in excess of the ASX / S&P 200 Property Accumulation Index, and a total remuneration cap set at existing Constitution levels.

The RE believes that the introduction of this new method of calculating its remuneration represents a further commitment to align its interests with those of unitholders. The RE considers that the new method for calculating fees delivers a benefit to unitholders. As the new method of calculation cannot result in a higher total fee payable to the RE than under the Constitution, a meeting of unitholders is not required to approve the new method of calculation.

The basis of calculation of the new fee arrangements payable to the RE of Deutsche Industrial Trust are detailed below.

Base Fee	0.50% of gross assets
Basis	Annualised average gross assets calculated on a month-end basis, in accordance with the Constitution
Calculated	Monthly
Payment Frequency	Monthly
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## **BASE MANAGEMENT FEE**

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## **PERFORMANCE FEE**

Benchmark Index	ASX / S&P 200 Property Accumulation Index		
Tier 1	5% on out-performance (or under-performance as applicable) up to 2% over (or under) the Benchmark		
Tier 2	15% on out-performance (or under-performance as applicable) greater than 2% over (or under) the Benchmark		
	Out-performance (or under-performance as applicable) will be carried forward and off-set against future Performance Fee entitlements		
Calculation Frequency	Half Yearly		
Payment Frequency	Half Yearly		
Performance Time Period	Rolling 12 months		
Basis of Performance Fee	Market capitalisation based on the 10 day VWAP ending on the final day of the previous performance period		
Initial Period	Market capitalisation based on the 10 day VWAP commencing 1 October 2003		
Performance Fee Ceiling	The maximum fee payable to the RE in any 12 month period will not exceed that allowed under the Constitution of the Trust being:		
	0.75% of gross assets up to \$400 million, and 0.60% of gross assets over \$400 million		
Cumulative Performance Carried Over	Fixed \$ amount of above and below benchmark performance will be carried forward (to reflect the longer term alignment of unitholder and RE interests)		
Payment of Performance Fee	DBRE to elect cash or scrip (subject to the provisions of the Constitution the price per unit will be based on the 10 day VWAP ending on the final day of the previous performance period)		

Should you have any queries in relation to the foregoing contact Ben Lehmann, General Manager, Deutsche Industrial Trust on (02) 9249-9003.

Yours Sincerely,

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## DEUTSCHE INDUSTRIAL TRUST EXAMPLE PERFORMANCE FEE CALCULCATION

OUT-PERFORMANCE Fee Calcula							
Gross Assets Market Capitalisation Benchmark Trust Performance Out-Performance Tier 1 @ Tier 2 @	First 2.00% Next 2.00%	\$833,000,000 \$452,400,000 11.00% 15.00% 4.00% 5.00% 15.00%	Base @ bp	50 \$4,165,000 \$452,400 \$1,357,200			
Total Fee				\$5,974,600			
MAXIMUM FEE UND Gross Assets Up to Over Constitution Cap Over-Performance C	\$400,000,000 \$433,000,000	FION \$833,000,000 0.75% 0.60%		\$3,000,000 \$2,598,000 <b>\$5,598,000</b> <b>\$376,600</b>			
UNDER-PERFORMANCE							
Market Capitalisation Benchmark Trust Performance Under-Performance Tier 1 @ Tier 2 @	First 2.00% Next 2.00%	\$452,400,000 11.00% 7.00% 4.00% 5.00% 15.00%		(\$452,400) (\$1,357,200)			
Under-Performance	(\$1,809,600)						