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## **HVPE ESTIMATED NAV PER SHARE UPDATE AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2022**

- **Estimated NAV per share of \$47.15 (£42.21); down 1.3% in US dollar terms over the month**
  - **9% of Investment Portfolio valued at 30 September 2022 (reflecting 7% public company holdings and 2% direct co-investments)**
  - **Remainder of the portfolio (91%) valued at 30 June 2022**
- **Strong month for cash flows, with approximately \$91 million invested and \$90 million received**
- **A total of £17.0 million (\$18.8 million) invested in share buybacks over the month**

HarbourVest Global Private Equity Limited (“HVPE” or the “Company”), a FTSE 250 investment company with global exposure to private companies, managed by HarbourVest Partners, today announces its estimated Net Asset Value (“NAV”) at 30 September 2022.

HVPE provides a complete private equity solution for public investors, managing the portfolio through four phases of the private equity cycle to create value: Commitments, Investment, Growth, and Realisation.

### **Commitments**

During September, no new commitments were made to HarbourVest funds. HVPE’s Investment Pipeline (unfunded commitments) decreased by \$92 million from the prior month to \$2.6 billion, following capital called for investments, as highlighted below, and minor foreign exchange movements.

### **Investment**

During September, HVPE invested \$91 million into HarbourVest funds (compared to \$50 million in August 2022). The largest individual investment during the month was made to a 2020 vintage international multi-strategy fund of funds.

### **Growth**

At 30 September 2022, HVPE’s estimated NAV per share was \$47.15 (£42.21), compared to the 31 August 2022 estimate of \$47.79 (£41.12). This represents a 1.3% decrease in US dollar terms over the previous month. The reduction over the period was driven by valuation declines largely from the public company holdings in the portfolio, as well as unfavourable FX due to continued strengthening of the US dollar, partially offset by a positive contribution of \$0.24 per share from the Company’s recent share buybacks.

The valuation breakdown of the HVPE portfolio as reported here is as follows: 9% actual 30 September 2022 (reflecting 7% public company holdings and 2% direct co-investments), and 91% actual 30 June 2022,. Consistent with previous estimated NAV reports, valuations are also adjusted for foreign exchange movements, cash flows, and any known material events to 30 September 2022. This compares to 8% actual 31 August 2022 (representing the public companies in the portfolio); 79% actual 30 June 2022, and 13% actual 31 March 2022, used in the 31 August 2022 estimated NAV per share calculation.

## **Realisation**

HVPE received distributions of \$90 million from HarbourVest funds during September 2022 (compared to \$30 million in August 2022). The largest source of proceeds came from a 2015 vintage US-focused buyout fund of funds. During September, there were a total of 16 M&A transactions and IPOs across HVPE's underlying portfolio, compared to August's total of 25, and a last 12-month average of 26. These were broken down into 14 M&A transactions and two IPOs.

## **Balance Sheet and Credit Facility**

At 30 September 2022, HVPE had the full \$800 million available on its credit facility. Borrowing at the HarbourVest fund level amounted to \$490 million, a decrease of \$52 million from the previous month. HVPE's cash and cash equivalents (\$236 million) and available credit (\$800 million) totalled \$1.0 billion.

## **Share Buybacks**

During September, the Company's joint brokers, Jefferies and Peel Hunt, between them bought back 757,864 HVPE shares for cancellation at an average price of £22.40 per share. This equated to a total investment in HVPE shares of £17.0 million (\$18.8 million).

Additional detail about HVPE's NAV and investment diversification can be found on HVPE's website, in the [Monthly Update for 30 September 2022](#).

The HVPE team is here to discuss any questions you may have, so please do not hesitate to contact Richard Hickman or Charlotte Edgar using the contact details below.

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### **About HarbourVest Global Private Equity Limited:**

HarbourVest Global Private Equity Limited ("HVPE" or the "Company") is a Guernsey-incorporated, closed-end investment company which is listed on the Main Market of the London Stock Exchange and is a constituent of the FTSE 250 index. HVPE is designed to offer shareholders long-term capital appreciation by investing in a private equity portfolio diversified by geography, stage of investment, vintage year, and industry. The Company

invests in and alongside HarbourVest-managed funds which focus on primary fund commitments, secondary investments and direct co-investments in operating companies. HVPE's investment manager is HarbourVest Advisers L.P., an affiliate of HarbourVest Partners, LLC, an independent, global private markets asset manager with 40 years of experience.

### **About HarbourVest Partners, LLC:**

HarbourVest is an independent, global private markets firm with 40 years of experience and more than \$100 billion of assets under management as of June 30, 2022. Our interwoven platform provides clients access to global primary funds, secondary transactions, direct co-investments, real assets and infrastructure, and private credit. Our strengths extend across strategies, enabled by our team of more than 1,000 employees, including more than 190 investment professionals across Asia, Europe, and the Americas. Across our private markets platform, our team has committed more than \$52 billion to newly-formed funds, completed over \$43 billion in secondary purchases, and invested over \$31 billion in directly operating companies. We partner strategically and plan our offerings innovatively to provide our clients with access, insight, and global opportunities.

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