# Partners Group Listed Investments SICAV - Listed Private Equity - USD (I - Dist.)

## Monthly report as of 30 June 2022

### **Fund objectives**

The Partners Group Listed Investments SICAV – Listed Private Equity fund provides efficient access to the asset class private equity overcoming the normally associated hurdle of illiquidity. The Fund invests in companies which mainly focus on private equity investments and are listed on major stock exchanges. Out of an investment universe of over 200 companies worldwide, the Fund actively screens a target list of around 140 companies, which fit the minimum criteria. Partners Group has been a signatory since 2008 of the United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment and the Fund follows an SRI approach, evaluating each investment opportunity in terms of environmental, social and governance standards.

### Monthly comment

June was largely characterized by continued investor concerns around inflation and interest rates, which have subdued the outlook for global economic growth. The US central bank increased its interest rates by 0.75%, which was not only the largest interest rate increase since 1994, but also higher than initially expected. In addition, several other central banks stepped up their efforts to tackle soaring prices. Against this backdrop, the Partners Group Listed Investments SICAV – Listed Private Equity was also negatively impacted but outperformed its Benchmark LPX50.

On a portfolio level, the best performing company during the month was Prosus, one of the largest technology investors. To some degree, the company is a victim of its own success. It was an early investor in Tencent, the Chinese tech conglomerate with activities in social networks, online gaming as well as online payment, and turned its initial investment of USD 34 million into a stake, currently worth more than USD 110 billion. The investment has become the largest holding in the portfolio and some investors were concerned about the concentration but in June, Prosus announced to sell part of its stake in Tencent. Management will use the proceeds to buyback own shares as well as for new investments in order to further broaden the portfolio, which turned investor sentiment.

In contrast, alternative asset managers contributed negatively to the month's performance, as concerns about the macroeconomic outlook and impact of higher interest rates weighed on investors' sentiment. While the current environment is challenging, the Swedish alternative asset manager EQT continued to report high transaction activity including the sale of Facile.it, Italy's largest online price comparison platform as well as the acquisition of SPT Labtech, a fast-growing laboratory automation player focused on low-volume liquid handling technology. In addition, the company is in the market and raising its flagship private equity fund, EQT X, and after seeing high investor demand, set the hard cap at USD 21.5 billion, making it one of the largest funds in the industry.

#### **Fund facts** 19/12/2019 Inception date Asset manager Partners Group AG Luxembourg Fund domicile EUR Fund currency Share class currency USD Minimum initial investment amount USD 1m Close of financial year 31 December Total net assets USD 308.5m Management fee in % p.a. 1.15 Distributions Distributing Last distribution 21/03/2022 Distribution value USD 0.44 Valor no 32284095 ISIN LU1397114320 Bloomberg ticker PGILPUI LX WKN A2AHC4 Price development Price per unit 30/06/2022 USD 106.92 Price per unit 31/05/2022 USD 124.93 Change (total return) Investment level 99% Top 5 holdings in % of NAV KKR & Co. 8.64 7.96 Blackstone Group

6.71

5.00

34.32

Partners Group Holding AG

Apollo Global Management

31 Group

Total

Net performance					
180					
160					
140					
120					
100					•
80					
60					
— Fund*	06-20 —— LPX 50	12-20	06-21	12-21	06-22

Performance in %	1 month %	YTD %	1 year %	3 years %	5 years %	since inception %	since inception % p. a.
Fund*	-14.4	-32.4	-24.1	-	-	9.0	3.5
LPX 50	-14.9	-33.1	-23.0	-	-	12.7	4.8
Performance in %	erformance in % 2020						2021
Fund*					13.6		40.9
LPX 50					8.3		51.4
Volatility in % (annualized)		1 year	3	3 years 5 years		rs	since inception
Fund*		26.6		-		-	30.0
LPX 50		26.4		-		-	31.0
*Total return							



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## **Definitions**

This monthly report is produced based on information available on the last working day of the month.

Listed Private Equity A 'Listed Private Equity' company is listed on a stock exchange and has the purpose of investing in private equity assets.

**Total return**Total return is calculated according the standard BVI-method of the Bundesverband Investment and Asset Management.

Investment universe Public partnerships, fund of funds, private equity houses, mixed investment companies

Financing stages

**Venture capital** Financing for companies typically in their build-up phase. Seed stage describes the period where product feasibility is

confirmed; Early stage involves the identification of the position in the market, the establishment of production lines and the development of marketing channels; Later stage portrays the subsequent rapid expansion phase of a young company.

Buyout Acquisition of a controlling stake in a company, typically with financial or managerial reorganization needs. Small/mid/large

size buyout refers to the enterprise value of the acquired company. Whereas the bandwidths for Europe are set at <EUR 100m/EUR 100m-EUR 400m/>EUR 400m, US bandwidths are at <USD 300m/USD 300m-USD 1bn/>USD 1bn for

small/mid/large size buyout respectively.

**Private debt** Financing solutions for enterprises with no access to capital markets. Includes, among others, investments in senior

secured and subordinated debt as well as preferred equity.

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