



Fairview nominated for best Australian Small Cap Fund

17 August 2010, the Fairview Equity Partners Emerging Companies Fund (Fund) has been announced as a finalist in the Australian Equities – Small Cap category at the 2010 Standard & Poor's Fund Awards.

The awards are based on a qualitative assessment of specific investment management capabilities within an investment sector. Fairview Equity Partner's (Fairview's) nomination endorses nabInvest's belief in its superior investment management capabilities and its ability to take advantage of challenging market conditions.

Over the last 12-months Fairview has delivered a return to investors (net of fees) of 22.7%, more than 15% above its benchmark¹. The Fund also has been consistently ranked in the 1st quartile of investment performance since its inception².

Independent research firm Standard & Poor's has selected the finalists and will announce the winners at a ceremony in Sydney on 29 October 2010.

About Fairview Equity Partners

Fairview Equity Partners Pty Limited (Fairview) is a boutique fund manager specialising in the investment in Australian small company equities.

nabInvest appointed Fairview as the investment manager of the Fund upon its inception in October 2008.

Fairview was jointly founded in 2008 by its executive directors, Chris Adams, Leigh Cronin and Michael Glenane, all being former investment managers at Goldman Sachs JBWere Asset Management. The executive directors have worked together for several years and collectively have approximately 50 years of investment experience, encompassing funds management and investment research.

Notes

¹ Returns are calculated for the 12-month period to 31 July 2010, the Fund's benchmark is the S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index.

² Fund's inception date is 8 October 2008. Comment based upon the Mercer MPA Wholesale IDPS Australian Small Companies survey to 30 June 2010.

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