

**EPE CAPITAL PARTNERS LTD**

(Incorporated in the Republic of Mauritius)

(Registration number: C138883 C1/GBL)

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**(“Ethos Capital”)**

**ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING OPTASIA’S PRE-LISTING STATEMENT**

Shareholders are referred to the announcement released by Channel VAS Investments Limited (trading as “Optasia”) today, 20 October 2025, in which Optasia issued its pre-listing statement (“PLS”) and listing price range pursuant to its intention to list its ordinary shares on the securities exchange operated by the JSE Limited (“JSE”).

As previously disclosed, Ethos Capital holds indirect interests in Optasia through underlying funds. Accordingly, Ethos Capital notes the publication of Optasia’s PLS and listing price range and will keep shareholders informed of any material developments insofar as they relate to Ethos Capital’s interest, as required in terms of the JSE Listings Requirements.

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Sponsor

RAND MERCHANT BANK, (A division of FirstRand Bank Limited)