

Counsel Portfolio Services Appointed as Manager for Brigata Diversified Portfolio

Toronto (Dec 3, 2013): Counsel Portfolio Services Inc. ("Counsel") today announced that it has been appointed as manager and trustee for the Brigata Diversified Portfolio. Unitholders approved the appointment of Counsel as manager at a special meeting held on November 5, 2013, and regulatory approval for the change was also obtained. These appointments follow the amalgamation of Brigata Capital Management Inc. with Counsel, which was completed today. Counsel will continue to offer the Brigata Diversified Portfolio and the day-to-day management of the fund remains unchanged.

About Counsel Portfolio Services Inc.

Counsel Portfolio Services Inc. is a direct subsidiary of IPC Portfolio Services Inc., which is an indirect subsidiary of Investment Planning Counsel Inc. Counsel was formed to support the partnership between Financial Advisors and their clients by providing comprehensive, objective portfolio solutions, and exclusively utilizing the strength and expertise of third-party portfolio managers. For more information, please visit our website at www.counselservices.com.

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