

Results for the year to 31 March 2013

Financial highlights

	Investment basis ¹		Consolidated IFRS basis ²	
	31 March 2013	31 March 2012	31 March 2013	31 March 2012
Total return	£89.1m	£56.0m	£92.3m	£55.0m
Total return on shareholders' equity	8.6%	5.6%	8.8%	5.5%
Total dividend per share	6.49p	5.94p	6.49p	5.94p
Net asset value ("NAV")/share	125.2p	121.0p	125.9p	121.4p
NAV after deducting proposed final dividend	121.7p	118.0p	122.4p	118.4p
Portfolio value	£918.7m	£890.8m	£1,222.6m	£1,182.2m
Cash balances	£179.2m	£173.4m	£185.3m	£183.6m

The investment basis accounts for majority investments and subsidiaries formed specifically for investment purposes in the same way as minority investments and does not consolidate these entities as required by International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

Commentary

- Improved total return of £89.1 million, or 8.6% on shareholders' equity, compared to £56.0 million, or 5.6%, in 2012
- 9.3% increase in the dividend over the prior year, with a total dividend of 6.49p per share, or 5.5% on opening shareholders' equity, exceeding the 5% objective for the year
- Strong portfolio income generation of £72.8 million, broadly in line with last year
- Steady asset performance, with growth in EBITDA of underlying investments of 2.8% over the prior year
- Updated financial objectives to a total return of 10% per annum, of which 5.5% to be delivered through dividends to shareholders

Peter Sedgwick, Chairman of 3i Infrastructure plc, said: "This was a successful year for 3i Infrastructure, which delivered a total return of 8.6% on shareholders' equity and strong portfolio income. Our investments in the European portfolio continued to perform in line with, or above, our expectations. The performance of the India Fund, however, continued to be affected by challenging conditions.

In its annual strategic update, the Board assessed the Company's investment strategy in light of the likely evolution of the portfolio in the current market. As a result of this review, we updated our return and dividend objectives to 10% and 5.5% respectively. We are confident that we have a strategy in place to deliver these objectives."

Cressida Hogg, Managing Partner, Infrastructure, 3i Investments plc, added: "Last year we continued to grow the value of our portfolio, crystallising some of this through the profitable sale of Alpha Schools. We are developing our investment pipeline, assessing a number of opportunities in our target areas of core and social infrastructure."

² For the consolidated IFRS basis, the total return in this measure is the total comprehensive income attributable to equity holders of the parent and does not include non-controlling interests. The gross consolidated total return for the year to 31 March 2013 was £111.8 million (2012: £70.9 million).

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For further information regarding the announcement of results for 3i Infrastructure plc please see www.3i-infrastructure.com. The analyst presentation will be made available on this website during the day.

Notes to editors

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