Investment Risk Warnings



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- The price and value of investments and any income from them can fluctuate and may fall, so you may get back less than you invest. Past performance is not a reliable guide to future performance.
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• There is an extra risk of losing money when buying Shares in some smaller companies, including penny Shares. There may be a significant difference between the bid and offer price of these Shares. If you need to sell them, you may get back less than you paid. The price can change quickly, and may go down as well as up.

• We may deal for you in Shares that have been subject to 'stabilisation', which permits the market price of a new issue to be supported artificially for a time. The Financial Conduct Authority allows stabilisation as it helps avoid short-term price falls when a new issue comes onto the market and buyers are still to come forward. Stabilisation is carried out by a 'stabilisation manager' – normally the firm chiefly responsible for bringing the new issue to market. As long as it follows a strict set of rules, the stabilisation manager is entitled to buy back securities previously sold to investors or allotted to institutions that have decided not to keep them. This can affect the prices of both the new issue and other securities connected to it, and in particular may keep prices higher during the stabilisation period than they would otherwise be.

• We may decide that, due to market conditions, we are not able to purchase or sell Shares for you within a reasonable time. In such a case, we will try to contact you for instructions. Alternatively, if the market counterparty recommends that it be given more time to complete the order, we may allow this.

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