



BROMPTON AMENDS REDEMPTION PRICE CALCULATION

Toronto, December 2, 2004: **Brompton VIP Income Trust (TSX: VIP.UN); Brompton MVP Income Fund (TSX: MVP.UN); Brompton Stable Income Fund (TSX: BSR.UN); Brompton Equal Weight Income Fund (TSX: EWI.UN); and Business Trust Equal Weight Income Fund (TSX: BWI.UN)** (collectively, the “Funds” and individually a “Fund”) each announces that it has changed the method by which the annual unit redemption price of its trust units will be calculated. **Effective immediately, in order to calculate the unit redemption price to be paid to a Fund’s unitholder in respect of an annual redemption, each Fund will value securities in its portfolio which are listed or traded on a stock exchange by taking the weighted average trading price of the securities for the last three business days of the month in which the Redemption Date occurs.**

This method for calculating the unit redemption price for each Fund is intended to maintain a fair unit redemption price for the unitholders of a Fund who redeem their units, while minimizing the likelihood that long-term unitholders of a Fund will be adversely affected by unusual short-term increases in the values of portfolio securities held by the Fund. The manager of each Fund believes that the foregoing will provide added protection to the unitholders of the Fund it manages and is also consistent with the current practice of other closed-end funds in valuing portfolio securities including Brompton Equal Weight Oil & Gas Income Fund (TSX: OGF.UN).

Accordingly, the declaration of trust of each Fund has been amended in order to expressly establish the method described above for calculating the annual unit redemption price. Where circumstances warrant, the portfolio manager or the manager, as specified in the declaration of trust of each Fund, may also, in good faith, determine the fair market value of portfolio securities in a different manner.

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