

Bendigo SmartOptions Super

Product Disclosure Statement updates



This document contains updates to information in the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) dated 21 November 2016, the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide (Reference Guide) dated 1 July 2017, Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016 (Investment Guide) and the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Insurance Guide dated 1 July 2017, where the updated information is not materially adverse.

The updates below should be read in conjunction with the [Bendigo SmartOptions Super PDS](#) and the [Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide](#) and the [Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide](#) and the [Bendigo SmartOptions Insurance Guide](#).

13 March 2019 – Janus Henderson Australian Equity Fund is now terminated (IOF0048AU)

The responsible entity of the Janus Henderson Australian Equity Fund (previously referred to as the Henderson Australian Equity Fund) (Fund), Janus Henderson Investors (Australia) Funds Management Limited has terminated the Fund effective 29 January 2019.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

Page 3, the row referring to the Fund and the APIR code IOF0048AU is deleted; and

Page 20, the investment profile for the Fund is deleted.

21 February 2019

Change to the Bendigo SmartOptions Super investment menu

The Adelaide Cash Management Account (which is also referred to as the cash product) is no longer available to be chosen as an investment option and has been removed from the investment menu of Bendigo SmartOptions Super.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 (PDS) is amended as follows:

- All references to the cash product and the Adelaide Cash Management Account are deleted.

The Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide dated 1 July 2017 which forms part of the PDS is amended as follows:

- All references to the cash product are deleted.

The Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016 which forms part of the PDS is amended as follows:

All references to the cash product and the Adelaide Cash Management Account, including the Adelaide Cash Management Account investment profile on page 7, are deleted.

21 December 2018

Addition of the Fidelity Global Equities Fund to the investment menu

A new managed fund investment option, as listed below, has been added to the investment menu of Bendigo SmartOptions Super.

As a result the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016 is amended as follows:

Page 4 add the following to the International shares asset class

FIDELITY GLOBAL EQUITIES FUND	FID0007AU
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An investment profile is added to the Investment Guide for the 'Fidelity Global Equities Fund'. Please click on the link below to access the investment profile:

[Fidelity Global Equities Fund](#)

The Product Disclosure Statement for this new fund is available from our [website](#).

21 December 2018

Changes to Family Law Fees

Sandhurst will no longer charge a fee on an application for information in relation to Family Law requests from the date of this update.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 (the PDS) is updated by replacing the Family Law Fees section on page 6 with the following:

Family Law Fees

Family Law Fees may also apply where you request us to process family law related requests under the provisions of the Family Law Act 1975. Please refer to the Reference Guide for further information.

Additionally, the Bendigo SmartOptions Reference Guide dated 1 July 2017, which forms part of the PDS is updated by replacing the Family Law Fee section on page 12 with the following:

Family Law Fees

Family Law Fees may also apply where you request us to process family law related requests under the provisions of the Family Law Act 1975. We will charge \$125 per hour with the following minimum charges:

- Payment flagging – minimum \$100. When charged, this amount will be debited directly from your account.
- Payment splitting – minimum \$100. When charged, \$50 will be debited directly from each account at the time of the payment split.

There is no charge on an application for information.

8 October 2018

BlackRock Australian Equity Opportunities Fund is now terminated (MAL0072AU)

The responsible entity of the **BlackRock Australian Equity Opportunities Fund (Fund)**, BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited has terminated the Fund effective 8 October 2018.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

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The 'Australian shares (hedged)' heading in the table is deleted, and the row containing 'BlackRock Australian Equity Opportunities Fund' and the APIR code MAL0072AU is deleted.

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The investment profile for the 'BlackRock Australian Equity Opportunities Fund' is deleted.

13 August 2018

The Grant Samuel Epoch Global Equity Shareholder Yield (Hedged) Fund (GSF0001AU) is now closed to new investments

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The Grant Samuel Epoch Global Equity Shareholder Yield (Hedged) Fund (GSF0001AU) is closed to new investments and removed from the Bendigo SmartOptions Super investment menu.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

Page 4

Under the 'International shares (hedged)' heading of the table, the row containing 'Grant Samuel Epoch Global Equity Shareholder Yield (Hedged) Fund' APIR code GSF0001AU is deleted.

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The investment profile for the 'Grant Samuel Epoch Global Equity Shareholder Yield (Hedged) Fund' is deleted.

29 June 2018

Change to example of fees and costs

The product disclosure statement of the Bendigo Balanced Wholesale Fund has been updated to reflect changes to its fees and costs based on 2016-2017 financial year.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide dated 1 July 2017 which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 (PDS) is updated as follows:

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The example table is deleted and replaced with the following:

Example: Bendigo Balanced Wholesale Fund		Balance of \$50,000
Investment fees	NIL	For every \$50,000 you have invested in the super product you will be charged \$0 each year.
PLUS Administration fees (charged at the Plan level)	\$480	And , you will be charged \$480 [^] in administration fees.
PLUS management costs and transactional and operational costs of the selected investment	1.156% p.a.	And , management costs and transactional and operational costs of the selected investment of \$578 each year will be deducted from your investment.
EQUALS Cost of investing		If your balance was \$50,000 then for that year you will be charged fees of \$1,058 for investing in the selected investment option via the super product.

7 May 2018

BT has changed its name to Pental

BT Investment Management has changed its company name to Pental Group Limited. It also changed the names of its funds, responsible entity and investment manager, and consequently issued new product disclosure statements to reflect the new Pental brand.

As a result the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

References to:

- “BT Investment Management (Institutional) Limited” are replaced with “Pandal Institutional Limited”
- “BT Wholesale Conservative Outlook Fund” are replaced with “Pandal Active Conservative Fund”
- “BT Wholesale International Share Fund” are replaced with “Pandal International Share Fund”
- “BT Wholesale Property Securities Fund” are replaced with “Pandal Property Securities Fund”
- “BT’s website” are replaced with “Pandal’s website”.

4 October 2017

The Generation Wholesale Global Share Fund (FSF0908AU) is now closed to new investments

The Generation Wholesale Global Share Fund (FSF0908AU) is closed to new investments and removed from the Bendigo SmartOptions Super investment menu.

The Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide dated 1 July 2017 is updated as follows:

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In the ‘Concentration risk’ row of the table, the reference to ‘Generation Wholesale Global Share Fund’ is deleted.

The Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

Page 4

Under the ‘International shares’ heading of the table, the row containing ‘Generation Wholesale Global Share Fund’ APIR code FSF0908AU is deleted.

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The investment profile for the ‘Generation Wholesale Global Share Fund’ is deleted.

4 October 2017

The UBS International Share Fund (SBC0822AU) is now closed to new investments

The UBS International Share Fund (SBC0822AU) is closed to new investments and removed from the Bendigo SmartOptions Super investment menu.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

Page 4

Under the ‘International shares’ heading of the table, the row containing ‘UBS International Share Fund’ APIR code SBC0822AU is deleted.

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The investment profile for the ‘UBS International Share Fund’ is deleted.

30 September 2017

The following class of Challenger Guaranteed Income Fund is now closed to applications: 4.85 cents p.a. 30 September 2018 (MV\$1) (MLT0006AU)

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- The Challenger Guaranteed Income Fund – 4.85 cents p.a. 30 September 2018 (MV\$1) (MLT0006AU) is now closed to all applications.

The Challenger Guaranteed Income Fund has a minimum investment period of one year, therefore investors will no longer be able to invest in this investment option from 30 September 2017.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

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Under the Annuity funds heading of the table, the row containing Challenger Guaranteed Income Fund – 4.85 cents p.a. 30 September 2018 (MV\$1) MLT0006AU is deleted.

30 September 2017

Changes to prescribed fee wording

Following legislative changes, some of the 'Defined fees' descriptions contained in the 'Additional explanation of fees and costs' section of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide have changed.

As a result the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Reference Guide dated 1 July 2017, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is updated as follows:

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The '**Administration fees**' definition is deleted and replaced with:

"An **administration fee** is a fee that relates to the administration or operation of the super entity and includes costs that relate to that administration or operation, other than:

- (a) borrowing costs; and
- (b) indirect costs that are not paid out of the super entity that the trustee has elected in writing will be treated as indirect costs and not fees, incurred by the trustee of the entity or in an interposed vehicle or derivative financial product; and
- (c) costs that are otherwise charged as an investment fee, a buy-sell spread, a switching fee, an exit fee, an activity fee, an advice fee or an insurance fee."

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Under the 'Note' under the '**Indirect cost ratio**' definition, is deleted and replaced with:

"**Note:** A fee deducted from a member's account or paid out of the super entity is not an indirect cost."

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Paragraph b) under the '**Investment fees**' definition is deleted and replaced with:

"b) costs that relate to the investment of assets of the entity, other than:

- (i) borrowing costs; and
- (ii) indirect costs that are not paid out of the super entity that the trustee has elected in writing will be treated as indirect costs and not fees, incurred by the trustee of the entity or in an interposed vehicle or derivative financial product; and
- (iii) costs that are otherwise charged as an administration fee, a buy-sell spread, a switching fee, an exit fee, an activity fee, an advice fee or an insurance fee."

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The '**Switching fees**' definition is deleted and replaced with:

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"A **switching fee** for a super product other than a MySuper product, is a fee to recover the costs of switching all or part of a member's interest in the super entity from one investment option or product in the entity to another."

31 August 2017

Changes to the BlackRock Wholesale Balanced Fund (PWA0822AU)

BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited, the responsible entity for the BlackRock Wholesale Balanced Fund (the Fund), has made changes to the Fund including: changing the name of the Fund, and updating the Fund's investment objective, investment strategy asset allocations and performance benchmarks effective from 31 August 2017. The updated product disclosure statement for the Fund is available [here](#).

As a result the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement is amended as follows:

Page 3

Under the 'Growth' heading, the reference to 'BlackRock Wholesale Balanced Fund' is deleted and replaced with 'BlackRock Tactical Growth Fund';

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The investment profile table for BlackRock Wholesale Balanced Fund is deleted and replaced as follows:

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Investment option name	BlackRock Tactical Growth Fund	
Investment return objective	<p>The investment objective of the fund aims to outperform peer performance consistent with a “growth” orientated investment strategy encompassing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a broadly diversified exposure to Australian and international assets; • active asset allocation, security selection and risk management; and • flexibility to deviate meaningfully from the strategic asset allocation to help manage total portfolio risk. <p>The fund aims to outperform its benchmark indices over a 5-year rolling period before fees.</p>	
Investment strategy	<p>The investment strategy of the Fund is to provide investors with a diversified exposure to the best investment teams and strategies that the BlackRock Group has globally within the context of an Australian based “growth” investment portfolio.</p> <p>The fund’s strategy is built around two steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • establishing the most appropriate strategic benchmark subject to the growth/income splits and market risk exposures of the fund; and • enhancing the returns of the fund relative to the benchmark indices to the maximum extent possible by utilising investment teams, strategies and techniques from the BlackRock Group’s resources around the globe, subject to a risk budgeting framework. <p>The investment manager is BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited.</p>	
Target asset allocation	Australian shares	30%
	International shares	29%
	International listed property	9%
	Emerging market equities	3%
	Australian fixed income	15%
	International fixed income	6%
	Emerging market bonds	3%
	Cash	5%
Performance benchmarks	S&P/ASX 300 Total Return Index	30%
	MSCI World ex-Australia Net TR Index (Unhedged in AUD)	18%
	MSCI World ex-Australia (hedged in AUD) Index	11%
	MSCI Emerging Market IMI ex Tobacco Net TR Index (Unhedged in AUD)	3%
	FTSE Developed Core Infrastructure Net TR Index (Unhedged in AUD)	3%
	FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Rental net TR Index (Unhedged in AUD)	6%
	Bloomberg AusBond Composite 0+ Yr IndexSM	15%
	Barclays Global Aggregate 500 Index (Hedged in AUD)	6%
	J.P. Morgan EMBI Global Core Index (Hedged in AUD)	3%
	Bloomberg AusBond Bank Bill IndexSM	5%
Risk level (using a Standard Risk Measure)	Medium to high (Risk band 5)	

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1 July 2017

Change to the age limit for TPD cover

Sandhurst Trustees Limited (Sandhurst) has updated the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Insurance Guide effective 1 July 2017.

As a result the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) is amended as follows:

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Under the heading 'Group cover', the second bullet point is replaced as follows:

- Death and Total and Permanent Disablement (TPD) cover (if you are aged 15 to 69); and/or

13 June 2017

Changes in fund name for Henderson Australian Equity Fund and Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund - Institutional

Effective 31 May 2017 the following investments had a change in fund name:

APIR code	Previous name	New name
IOF0048AU	Henderson Australian Equity Fund	Janus Henderson Australian Equity Fund
IOF0113AU	Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund - Institutional	Janus Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund – Institutional

As a result the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is amended as follows:

Page 3

Under the 'Australian shares' heading, the reference to 'Henderson Australian Equity Fund' is deleted and replaced with 'Janus Henderson Australian Equity Fund'.

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Under the 'Australian fixed interest' heading, the reference to 'Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund – Institutional' is deleted and replaced with 'Janus Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund - Institutional'.

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In the row titled 'Investment option name', the reference to 'Henderson Australian Equity Fund' is replaced with 'Janus Henderson Australian Equity Fund'.

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In the row titled 'Investment option name', the reference to 'Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund – Institutional' is replaced with 'Janus Henderson Australian Fixed Interest Fund – Institutional'.

1 May 2017

Change to the Bendigo SmartOptions investment menu

The following investment options are no longer available to be chosen as an investment option and have been removed from the Bendigo SmartOptions Super investment menu:

- Aberdeen Multi-Asset Income Fund (CRS0001AU)

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- Aberdeen Multi-Asset Real Return Fund (CRS0002AU)

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is amended as follows:

Page 3

Under the 'Multi-asset class funds' heading of the table, the reference to Aberdeen Multi-Asset Income Fund and the APIR code CRS0001AU are deleted, and the reference to Aberdeen Multi-Asset Real Return Fund and the APIR code CRS0002AU are deleted.

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The investment profile for Aberdeen Multi-Asset Income Fund is deleted.

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The investment profile for Aberdeen Multi-Asset Real Return Fund is deleted.

5 April 2017

The BlackRock Hedged Global Small Cap Fund (Class D Units) is now terminated (MAL0135AU)

The responsible entity of the **BlackRock Hedged Global Small Cap Fund (Class D Units) (Fund)**, BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited (BlackRock Australia) has terminated the Fund effective 29 March 2017.

As a result, the Bendigo SmartOptions Investment Guide dated 21 November 2016, which forms part of the Bendigo SmartOptions Super Product Disclosure Statement dated 21 November 2016 is amended as follows:

Page 4

Under the 'International shares (hedged)' heading of the table, the reference to BlackRock Hedged Global Small Cap Fund (Class D Units) and the APIR code MAL0135AU are deleted.

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The investment profile for BlackRock Hedged Global Small Cap Fund (Class D Units) is deleted.