



## Golden Arrow Selected Stocks Fund Limited

### Fund Manager's Comments

For the month of December 2017, NAV of the Golden Arrow Selected Stocks Fund Ltd decreased by 2.74% versus the benchmark KSE-100 Index which increased by 1.15%. The fiscal year to date return of the GASSFL stood at (14.36) % versus the benchmark KSE-100 Index returns (13.09)% .

### Fund Information

**Investment Objective:** Disciplined and balanced fund management strategy focusing on fundamentally strong companies offering deep-value, coupled with few cherry-picked growth companies.

|                                  |                                                              |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Fund Type                        | Close-End                                                    |
| Category                         | Equity                                                       |
| Date of Fund Launch              | May, 1983                                                    |
| Date of Management Takeover      | September, 2004                                              |
| Net Assets (PKR)                 | 1,458,888,076                                                |
| NAV                              | 9.5917                                                       |
| Market Price                     | 9.19                                                         |
| Benchmark                        | KSE-100 Index                                                |
| Pricing Mechanism                | NA                                                           |
| Management Fees                  | 2.00%                                                        |
| Total Expense Ratio (Absolute)++ | 1.45%                                                        |
| Risk Profile                     | High                                                         |
| Custodian                        | Central Depository Company (CDC)                             |
| Auditor                          | Deloitte Yousuf Adil                                         |
| Fund Rating                      | 4Star (1Year),4Star (3Year), 4Star (5Year) PACRA (25 SEP'17) |
| Asset Manager Rating             | AM3++ by PACRA (22 Dec'17)                                   |

### Fund Manager

Ms. Anum Dhedhi

### Investment Committee Members

|                     |                        |
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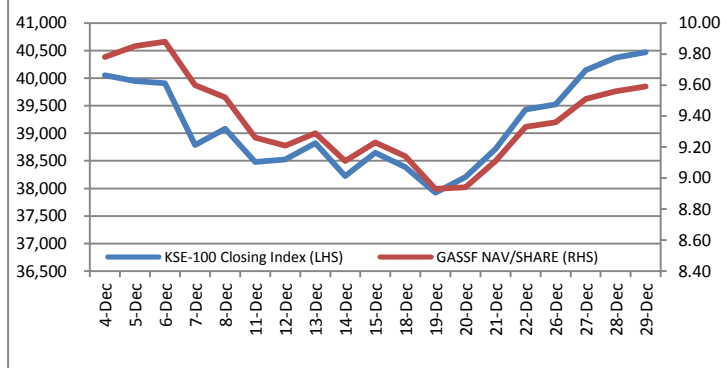
++Total Expense Ratio (TER) includes 0.19% representing government levy and SECP fee.

\* Cumulative Returns

\*\* Geometric Mean

The Fund's Returns are computed on NAV to NAV with dividends reinvested

### Fund Performance: December 2017



|         | FYTD     | MTD     | 365 Days (15.74) % | 3 Year* | 5 Year* | Since Inception** |
|---------|----------|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|-------------------|
| KSE 100 | (13.09)% | 1.15%   |                    | 26.65%  | 149.09% | 15.45%            |
| GASSFL  | (14.36)% | (2.74)% | 1.51%              | 83.14%  | 402.26% | 27.19%            |

|         | FY17   | FY16  | FY15   | FY14   | FY13   |
|---------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| KSE 100 | 23.24% | 9.84% | 16.01% | 41.16% | 52.20% |
| GASSFL  | 49.86% | 9.60% | 39.78% | 51.67% | 84.36% |

| Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets) | 29-Dec-17 | 30-Nov-17 |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Equities                             | 93.94%    | 88.60%    |
| TFCs                                 | 0.00%     | 0.00%     |
| Cash                                 | 5.33%     | 10.47%    |
| Other Assets                         | 0.73%     | 0.92%     |

| Top Ten Equity Holdings (% of Total Assets) |       |                                       |       |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited             | 9.35% | Ellcot Spinning Mills Limited         | 4.32% |
| Thal Limited                                | 9.13% | Pakistan Cables Limited               | 3.99% |
| Javedan Corporation Limited                 | 8.19% | Aisha Steel Mills Limited             | 3.74% |
| TRG Pakistan Limited                        | 7.02% | Oil & Gas Development Company Limited | 3.12% |
| K-Electric Limited                          | 6.54% | Punjab Oil Mills Limited              | 3.06% |

| Sector Allocation (% of Total Assets) | 29-Dec-17 | 30-Nov-17 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| INVESTMENT BANK/INV.COS/              | 12.20%    | 10.13%    |
| Automobile Parts & Accessories        | 9.13%     | 8.50%     |
| Technology & Communication            | 8.50%     | 9.70%     |
| Cement                                | 8.19%     | 7.68%     |
| Textile Spinning                      | 7.71%     | 6.70%     |
| Others                                | 54.27%    | 57.29%    |

### Details of Non-Compliant Investment

| Name of non-compliant investment | Type of Investment | Value of investment before provision | Provision held if any | Value of investment after provision | Percentage(%) of Net Assets | Percentage(%) of Gross Assets |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited  | Equity             | 146,534,035                          | -                     | 146,534,035                         | 10.04%                      | 9.35%                         |

#### Disclosure of Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund (SWWF):

"The Scheme has maintained provisions against Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund liability to the tune of Rs.27.54 million. If the same were not made the NAV per share return of the Scheme would be higher by Re .018 Or 1.89% ."

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