

Voting policy

We consider good and responsible corporate governance to be a driver for sustainable business growth and for the achievement of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

We represent the valuable voting rights of our fund investors to the companies with responsibility and prudence. ESG Portfolio Management acts exclusively in the interest of the funds concerned.

Our mission statement requires us to thoroughly assess how sustainably companies operate. We continuously update our findings and actively engage to achieve improvements. Through constructive dialogue with company management, we aim to reduce investment risk and increase performance opportunities. **We use proxy voting as an important stage of our engagement. If our engagement on issues relevant to us is not satisfactory, we vote against the discharge of management.**