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## ASX Announcement

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### Notice of change of interests of substantial holder for Perpetual Limited (ASX: PPT)

Washington H. Soul Pattinson and Company Limited ('Soul Patts') announces today that after market on 27 February 2025 it unwound all of the short equity derivative positions that were hedging its exposure to PPT. Separately, a physically settled swap expired on 28<sup>th</sup> February with delivery of 1 million shares.

Soul Patts has reduced its long holding in PPT to 8.46%, of which 5.36% is held via physical shares.

Please find attached Form 604 - Notice of change of interests of substantial holder ('Notice') required to be lodged under the Corporations Act 2001 ('the Act').

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P Longstaff'.

Pamela Longstaff  
Company Secretary

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This ASX announcement has been authorised for release by the Company Secretary.

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#### About Soul Patts

Washington H. Soul Pattinson and Company Limited ("Soul Patts") is an Australian public company that first listed on the Sydney Stock Exchange (now ASX) on 21 January 1903. With origins in owning and operating Australian pharmacies, Soul Patts has since evolved into an investment house with a diversified and uncorrelated portfolio of assets across multiple industries. Soul Patts takes a long-term approach to investing with an objective to deliver superior returns by creating capital growth and regular dividends. Through owning SOL shares, an investor gains access to the following asset classes: listed equities, private markets, credit, and property. More information: [SoulPatts.com.au](https://SoulPatts.com.au)

# Form 604

Corporations Act 2001  
Section 671B

## Notice of change of interests of substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme PERPETUAL LIMITED (ASX: PPT)

ACN/ARSN ACN 000 431 827

### 1. Details of substantial holder(1)

Name WASHINGTON H. SOUL PATTINSON AND COMPANY LIMITED (Soul Patts)

ACN/ARSN (if applicable) ACN 000 002 728

There was a change in the interests of the substantial holder on 27/02/2025

The previous notice was given to the company on 12/12/2023

The previous notice was dated 12/12/2023

### 2. Previous and present voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in when last required, and when now required, to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme, are as follows:

| Class of securities (4) | Previous notice         |                  | Present notice   |                  |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                         | Person's votes          | Voting power (5) | Person's votes   | Voting power (5) |
| Ordinary Shares         |                         |                  |                  |                  |
| Soul Patts              | Up to 13,214,115        | 11.66%           | 6,139,115        | 5.36%            |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>Up to 13,214,115</b> | <b>11.66%</b>    | <b>6,139,115</b> | <b>5.36%</b>     |

In addition, Soul Patts has an existing economic interest in 3,547,541 fully paid ordinary shares in Perpetual Limited through cash settled equity swaps, which when combined with the shares in which Soul Patts has a relevant interest as disclosed above amount to an aggregate economic interest of 8.46% of Perpetual. Under the cash settled equity swaps Soul Patts does not have a relevant interest in the shares.

### 3. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in, or change in the nature of, a relevant interest of the substantial holder or an associate in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company are as follows:

| Date of change | Person whose relevant interest changed | Nature of change (6)                                                             | Consideration given in relation to change (7) | Class and number of securities affected | Person's votes affected |
|----------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 27/02/2025     | Soul Patts                             | Sale of shares                                                                   | \$128,668,500.00                              | (6,075,000)                             | (6,075,000)             |
| 28/02/2025     | Soul Patts                             | Expiry of physically settled equity swap transaction ('Physically Settled Swap') | N/A                                           | (2,000,000)                             | (2,000,000)             |
| 28/02/2025     | Soul Patts                             | Delivery of ordinary shares following expiry of Physically Settled Swap          | \$20,030,000.00                               | 1,000,000                               | 1,000,000               |

### 4. Present relevant interests

Particulars of each relevant interest of the substantial holder in voting securities after the change are as follows:

| Holder of relevant interest | Registered holder of securities | Person entitled to be registered as holder (8) | Nature of relevant interest (6) | Class and number of securities | Person's votes |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Soul Patts                  | Soul Patts                      | Soul Patts                                     | Fully paid ordinary shares      | 6,139,115                      | 6,139,115      |

**5. Changes in association**

The persons who have become associates (2) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (9) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

| Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable) | Nature of association |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
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**6. Addresses**

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

| Name       | Address                                        |
|------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Soul Patts | Level 14, 151 Clarence Street, Sydney NSW 2000 |

**Signature**

print name Pamela Longstaff

capacity Company Secretary

sign here



Date 03/03/2025

**DIRECTIONS**

- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 6 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (5) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.
- (6) Include details of:
  - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances because of which the change in relevant interest occurred. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
  - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).
- See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (7) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.
- (8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. if the relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".
- (9) Give details, if appropriate, of the present association and any change in that association since the last substantial holding notice.