# NAFA Government Securities Liquid Fund (NGSLF)



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (31/10/2018): Rs. 10.3975

October 2018

Performance %											
Performance Period	Oct 2018	FYTD 2019	Rolling 12 months	FY 2018	FY 2017	FY 2016	FY 2015	FY 2014	ı		Since Launch May 15, 2009*
NAFA Government Securities Liquid Fund	7.6%	6.9%	5.9%	5.3%	7.6%	5.7%	8.3%	8.1%	6.4%	7.0%	8.5%
Benchmark**	7.5%	6.8%	5.9%	5.4%	5.3%	6.0%	8.7%	8.6%	5.6%	6.7%	8.4%

<sup>\*</sup> Annualized Return Based on Morning Star Methodology All other returns are Annualized Simple Return

The performance reported is net of management fee & all other expenses and based on dividend reinvestment gross of with-holding tax where applicable.

#### **General Information**

Launch Date: May 15, 2009 Fund Size: Rs. 4,578 million

Type: Open-end – Money Market Fund
Dealing Days: Daily – Monday to Saturday
Dealing Time: (Mon - Thr) 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M
(Friday) 9:00 A.M to 5:30 P.M
(Saturday) 9:00 A.M to 1:00 P.M

Settlement: 2-3 business days Pricing Mechanism: Forward Pricing

Load: Front end: 0%, Back end: 0%

Management Fee: 8% of Net Income (Min 0.5% p.a., Max

1.0% p.a.)

Total Expense Ratio: 1.15% p.a. (including 0.31% government

levies)

Risk Profile: Exceptionally Low
Fund Stability Rating: "AAA (f)" by PACRA
Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

Auditors: Deloitte Yousuf Adil Chartered Accountants

Benchmark:\*\* 70% 3-Month PKRV & 30% average 3-Month

deposit rates of three AA rated banks as

selected by MUFAP

Fund Manager: Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM Minimum Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-Subscription: Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-

Asset Manager Rating: AM1 by PACRA (Very High Quality)

<sup>\*\*</sup> effective from September 01, 2016; previously 70% 3-Month T-Bills & 30% average 3-Month deposit rates (AA & above rated banks)

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	31-Oct-18	29-Sep-18
T-Bills	74.5%	80.4%
Placement with DFIs	19.0%	9.7%
Bank Deposits	6.2%	9.6%
Others including receivables	0.3%	0.3%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

## Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund (SWWF)

The scheme has maintained provisions against Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund's liability to the tune of Rs. 14,660,674/-. If the same were not made the NAV per unit/last one year return of scheme would be higher by Rs. 0.0333/0.34%. For details investors are advised to read note 8 of the financial statements of the Scheme for the period ended Sep 30, 2018

### Name of the Members of Investment Committee

Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA Sajjad Anwar, CFA Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM Hassan Raza, CFA

**Notes:** 1) The calculation of performance does not include cost of front end load. 2) Taxes apply. Further, tax credit also available as per section 62 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001.

## **Investment Objective**

To generate optimal return with minimum risk, to provide easy liquidity and reasonable income to its unit holders by investing primarily in short-term Government Securities.

### **Fund Manager Commentary**

The Fund earned an annualized return of 7.6% during October 2018 versus the Benchmark return of 7.5%. The return generated by the Fund is net of management fee and all other expenses.

NGSLF's stability rating is 'AAA (f)' awarded by PACRA. NGSLF is the largest Fund in Pakistan with this rating. The rating reflects exceptionally strong credit and liquidity profile of the Fund. Average daily allocation for the last 365 days in short-term T-Bills was 79% of net assets. While at the end of the month, T-Bills comprised around 74.5% of the Total Assets and around 79% of Net Assets. Weighted average time to maturity of the Fund is 55 days.

We will rebalance the allocation of the Fund proactively based on the capital market outlook.

### Credit Quality of the Portfolio as of October 31, 2018 (% of Total Assets)

T-Bills (AAA rated)	74.5%
AAA	5.6%
AA+	9.9%
AA	9.3%
AA-	0.2%
A-	0.2%
Others including receivables	0.3%
Total	100.0%

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