# NAFA Government Securities Savings Fund (NGSSF)



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (31/08/2017): Rs. 10.3898

August 2017

Performance %						
Performance Period	Aug 2017	FYTD 2018	Trailing 12 months Sep 16 - Aug 17	FY 2017	FY 2016	Since Launch July 10, 2014*
NAFA Government Securities Savings Fund	4.6%	4.9%	5.8%	5.8%	6.5%	8.5%
Benchmark**	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%	5.9%	6.2%	7.0%

<sup>\*</sup> Annualized Return Based on Morning Star Methodology The performance reported is net of management fee & all other expenses All other returns are Annualized Simple Return and based on dividend reinvestment gross of with-holding tax where applicable.

#### **General Information**

Launch Date: July 10, 2014 Rs. 158 million Fund Size:

Open-end - Income Fund Type: 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 Forward Pricing Pricing Mechanism

Load:\*\*\* Front End Load (Individual): without life insurance 1%, with life insurance 3% (Nil on

investment above Rs. 26 million) Front End Load (Other): 1% (Nil on investment above Rs. 16 million)

Back End Load: NIL

Management Fee: 10% of Net Income (Min 0.5% p.a., Max

1.78% p.a.(including 0.27% government Total Expense Ratio:

Risk Profile: Low

Benchmark:\*\*

Fund stability rating "AA- (f)" by PACRA Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC) KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co. Auditors:

Chartered Accountants

6-Month PKRV

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)

deposit rates (A+ & above rated banks)
\*\*\* effective from January 02, 2017

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	31-Aug-17	31-July-1 <i>7</i>
Tbills	73.4%	69.1%
Bank Deposits	25.9%	29.8%
Others including receivables	0.7%	1.1%
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. 420,332/- If the same were not made the NAV per unit/last one year return of scheme would be higher by Rs. 0.0277/0.28%. For details investors are advised to read note 5 of the Financial Statements of the Scheme for the period ended March 31, 2017.

## 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 provide competitive return from portfolio of low credit risk by investing primarily in Government Securities.

#### **Fund Manager Commentary**

During the month under review, the Fund has generated an annualized return of 4.6% against the benchmark return of 6.0%. Since its launch in July 2014, the Fund offered an annualized return of 8.5% against the Benchmark return of 7.0%, hence an outperformance of 1.5% p.a. This outperformance is net of management fee and all other expenses.

NAFA Government Securities Savings Fund (NGSSF) invests a minimum of 70% in Government Securities. The Fund invests a minimum 10% of its assets in less than 90 days T-Bills or saving accounts with banks, which enhances liquidity profile of the Fund.

As the asset allocation of the Fund shows, exposure in Government Securities was 73% of the Total Assets and 76% of Net Assets at the end of the month with average Yield to Maturity of 5.87% p.a. Last one year allocation in Government Securities was around 78% of net assets. The weighted average time-to-maturity of the Fund is 24 days.

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

## Credit Quality of the Portfolio as of August 31, 2017 (% of Total Assets)

Government Securities (AAA rated)	73.4%
AAA	0.8%
AA+	3.1%
AA-	7.9%
A+	13.6%
A-	0.5%
Others including receivables	0.7%
Total	100.0%

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effective from September 01, 2016; Previously 70% average 6-Month PKRV & 30% average 3-Month