

# NAFA Riba Free Savings Fund (NRFSF)

# NBP Fullerton Asset Management Limited

(Formerly National Fullerton Asset Management Limited)

Unit Price (30/09/2010): Rs. 10.0952

September 2010

Performance			
Performance % *	September 2010	Since Launch August 21, 2010	
NAFA Riba Free Savings Fund	7.48%	8.80%	
Benchmark	7.81%	9.66%	
* Represent Annualized Return	7.01 /0	9.00 /6	

(Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses)

### **General Information**

Launch Date: August 21, 2010 Fund Size: Rs. 128 million

Type: Open-end – Shariah Compliant Income

fund

Dealing Days:
Dealing Time:
Settlement:
Pricing Mechanism
Daily – Monday to Friday
9:00 A.M to 4:30 P.M
2-3 business days
Forward Pricing

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

Management Fee: 1.5% per annum

Risk Profile: Low

Fund Stability Rating: A+(f) by PACRA Listing: Lahore Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

Auditors: A. F. Ferguson & Ćo. Chartered Accountants

Benchmark: Average 3-month deposit rate of

Islamic Banks Irfan Malik, CFA

Fund Manager: Irfan Malik, CFA
Minimum Subscription: Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-

Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-

Asset Manager Rating: AM2- by PACRA

Asset Allocation %	30-Sep-10	31-Aug-10
Cash Equivalents	99.15%	99.48%
Other Assets	0.85%	0.52%
Total	100.00%	100.00%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

#### Name of the Members of Investment Committee

Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA Irfan Malik, CFA Ahmad Nouman, CFA Sajjad Anwar, CFA Tanvir Abid, CFA, FRM

## **Investment Objective**

To provide preservation of capital and earn a reasonable rate of return along with a high degree of liquidity by investing in short-term Shariah compliant banks and money market / debt securities.

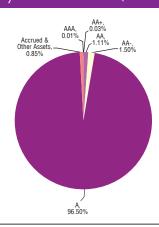
## **Fund Manager Commentary**

The annualized return of NRFSF for the month of September, 2010 is 7.48%. This is expected to improve with increase in the Fund Size and as the Fund deploys in short dated term deposits at expected higher rates after the increase in the Discount Rate.

NRFSF is an Islamic Income Scheme that invests only in Shariah compliant avenues. The Fund has been awarded a stability rating of A+(f) by PACRA which denotes a strong capacity to maintain stability in returns and low exposure to risks.

The Fund intends to outperform the rate of return available to individual investors in Islamic Banks, while providing them flexibility to withdraw their money at any time, hence no lock-in period. The Fund aims to meet this objective by investing the pooled assets in Islamic Banks / Islamic windows of conventional banks (minimum A rated), and short-term Shariah compliant money market instruments (minimum AA- rated). The Fund will maintain a strong liquidity profile with a minimum 25% in cash at all times. Also, investments will only be made in avenues with a maximum maturity of six months. The Fund also intends to allocate a considerably significant portion of its portfolio in short term Shariah Complaint Government Securities when these are launched by the State Bank of Pakistan. The Fund is not authorized to invest in corporate Sukuks and will not take direct or indirect exposure to the Stock Market.

# **Credit Quality of the Portfolio (% of Net Assets)**



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