# **NBP GOVERNMENT SECURITIES SAVINGS FUND (NGSSF)**

(FORMERLY: NAFA GOVERNMENT SECURITIES SAVINGS FUND)



#### MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format)

May 2020

Unit Price (31/05/2020): Rs.10.3069

Performance %										
Performance Period	May-2020	FYTD - 2020	Rolling 12 Months	FY - 2019	FY - 2018	FY - 2017	FY - 2016	Last 3 Years*	Last 5 Years*	Since Launch July 10, 2014*
NBP GOVERNMENT SECURITIES SAVINGS FUND (FORMERLY: NAFA GOVERNMENT SECURITIES SAVINGS FUND)	2.5%	22.5%	21.7%	7.8%	5.0%	5.8%	6.5%	11.1%	9.0%	10.0%
BENCHMARK	7.8%	12.5%	12.5%	9.9%	6.2%	5.9%	6.2%	9.4%	8.0%	8.2%

Dealing Time:

July 10, 2014 Launch Date: Fund Size: Rs. 1.097 million Open-end - Income Fund Type: Dealing Days: Daily - Monday to Saturday

(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 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: 1.5% of Net Income (min: 0.2% p.a., max: 1.0%

p.a.) w.e.f. 12-Jul-19. 0.26% p.a. of average net

assets during the month.

Total Expense Ratio: 1.72% p.a (including 0.43% government levies)

Selling & Marketing Expenses: 0.7% p.a Risk Profile: Low

Fund Stability Rating: "AA- (f)" by PACRA Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

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

6-Month PKRV Benchmark:

Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM Fund Manager:

Minimum: Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-Subscription:

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

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	31-May-20	30-Apr-20
PIBs	53.0%	47.4%
T-Bills	22.1%	18.7%
Bank Deposits	19.0%	25.8%
Placement with Banks	3.1%	2.6%
Others including Receivables	2.8%	5.5%
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.4,399,231/-. If the same were not made the NAV per unit/last one year return of scheme would be higher by Rs. 0.0413/.49%. For details investors are advised to read note 5 of the latest financial statements of the Scheme

## 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 generated an annualized return of 2.5% p.a. against the Benchmark return of 7.8% p.a. Since its launch in July 2014, the Fund offered an annualized return of 10.0% p.a. against the Benchmark return of 8.2% p.a., hence an out-performance of 1.8% p.a. This out-performance is net of management fee and all other expenses.

NBP 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

As the asset allocation of the Fund shows, exposure in Government Securities was around 75% of the Total Assets and 77% of Net Assets at the end of the month. Last one year allocation in Government Securities was around 75% of net assets. The weighted average time-to-maturity of the Fund is 2.2 years.

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

Credit Quality of the Portfolio as of May 31 , 2020 (% of Total Assets)				
Government Securities (AAA rated)	75.1%			
AAA	0.7%			
AA+	1.5%			
AA-	2.2%			
A+	6.3%			
A	11.2%			
Un-rated	0.2%			
Others including Receivables	2.8%			
Total	100.0%			

### 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

<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.