

For Immediate Release

### MAPLETREELOG ACQUIRES 6 MARSILING LANE FOR S\$18.0 MILLION

**Singapore, 22 November 2006** – Mapletree Logistics Trust Management Ltd. ("MLTM"), manager of Mapletree Logistics Trust ("MapletreeLog"), is pleased to announce that MapletreeLog, through its Trustee, HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Singapore) Limited, has signed a put and call option agreement to purchase an industrial warehouse-cum-office property for S\$18.0 million from Winstant & Co. Pte Ltd ("Winstant").

The property, located at 6 Marsiling Lane, Singapore, has been acquired on a sale and leaseback basis and will be leased back to Winstant for seven years with an option to extend for a further term of up to seven years.

The acquisition will be accretive to MapletreeLog's distribution per unit ("DPU") and the pro forma financial effect of the acquisition on the DPU for the financial year ended 31 December 2005 would be an additional 0.10 Singapore cents per unit<sup>1</sup>.

#### Benefits and rationale of the Acquisition

Mr. Chua Tiow Chye, Chief Executive Officer of MLTM, said, "This accretive deal is consistent with our strategy of strengthening the Trust's portfolio in its core market in Singapore, with the objective of delivering stable cash distributions to unitholders through medium to long-term leases. This acquisition will also further diversify the Trust's property portfolio and tenant mix."

Mapletree Logistics Trust Management Ltd.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Assuming that MapletreeLog had purchased, held and operated the subject property for the whole of the financial year ended 31 December 2005 (based on 18 properties) and that the acquisition is fully funded by debt

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Winstant's principal business includes the trading of engineering hardware. Tenants currently occupying the premises at 6 Marsiling Lane include reputable companies such as Borneo Motors, one of Singapore's leading car distributors, and ABB Industry Pte Ltd, a subsidiary of the New York Stock Exchange-listed ABB Group.

#### Funding

The acquisition is expected to be completed by February 2007. The Manager is confident that at its completion, MapletreeLog will have sufficient debt capacity to fund the acquisition wholly by debt. However, as part and parcel of the Manager's capital management strategy to optimise the funding of the Trust, the Manager may consider alternative funding options such as the issuance of new units in MapletreeLog to complete this acquisition and/or to refinance the debt taken to complete this acquisition.

#### **General Description of the property**

6 Marsiling Lane comprises three blocks of industrial warehousing cum ancillary office and a twostorey ancillary office building. It is located within an established industrial and warehousing cluster in Marsiling, in the northern part of Singapore. The area is well served by the public transportation network and urban amenities in the vicinity. The property is also easily accessible via the Seletar Expressway.

The property has been valued at S\$18.4 million by Chesterton International Property Consultants Pte Ltd as at 20 November 2006. It has a floor area of about 16,207.0 sqm and is located on leasehold land which measures about 19,347.4 sqm. Lease tenure for the land will expire in 2038.

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#### About MapletreeLog (www.mapletreelogisticstrust.com)

MapletreeLog, the first Asia-focused logistics REIT in Singapore, was listed on the SGX-ST main board on 28 July 2005. The Trust is also listed in the Global Property Research (GPR) 250 Index. Its principal strategy is to invest in a diversified portfolio of income-producing logistics real estate and real estate-related assets. It has a portfolio of 36 logistics assets located in Singapore, Hong Kong, China and Malaysia with a total value of S\$1,145.4 million as at 30 September 2006. MapletreeLog is managed by Mapletree Logistics Trust Management Ltd., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Mapletree Investments Pte Ltd.

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#### **Important Notice**

The value of units in MapletreeLog ("Units") and the income from them may fall as well as rise. Units are not obligations of, deposits in, or guaranteed by, the Manager or any of its affiliates. An investment in Units is subject to investment risks, including the possible loss of the principal amount invested. Investors have no right to request the Manager to redeem their Units while the Units are listed. It is intended that Unitholders may only deal in their Units through trading on the SGX-ST. Listing of the Units on the SGX-ST does not guarantee a liquid market for the Units. The past performance of MapletreeLog is not necessarily indicative of its future performance.

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