

# **CBRE GROUP, INC.** Second Quarter 2019: Earnings Conference Call

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## **CONFERENCE CALL PARTICIPANTS**



# **Bob Sulentic**

**President and Chief Executive Officer** 



## Leah Stearns

**Chief Financial Officer** 



## **Brad Burke**

**SVP, Corporate Finance & Investor Relations** 

## **2Q 2019 FINANCIAL RESULTS**

\$ in millions except per share figures

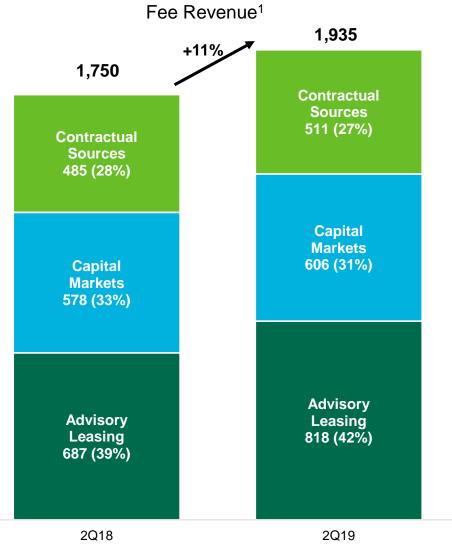
	Revenue	Fee Revenue <sup>1</sup>	Adj. EBITDA <sup>2</sup>	EPS <sup>3</sup>	Adj. EPS <sup>3,4</sup>
2Q19	5,714	2,849	468	\$0.66	\$0.81
2Q18	5,111	2,536	439	\$0.67	\$0.74
USD	<b>▲</b> 12%	<b>▲</b> 12%	▲ 7%	▼-1%	<b>▲</b> 11%
Local Currency	<b>▲</b> 15%	<b>▲</b> 15%	▲ 8%	◀►0%	<b>▲</b> 13%

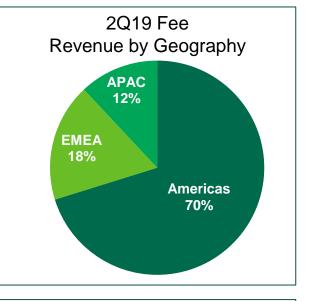
- Double-digit revenue growth in leasing, outsourcing and U.S. capital markets
  - Leasing benefiting from healthy market conditions and CBRE's increasingly differentiated capabilities
- Margin improvement in Advisory Services and GWS benefiting from reorganization
- REI segment Adj. EBITDA and margin decline was expected; mostly due to development timing

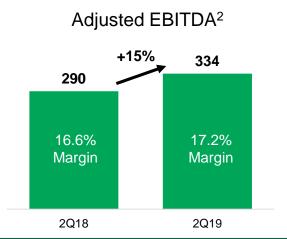
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## **ADVISORY SERVICES**

\$ in millions





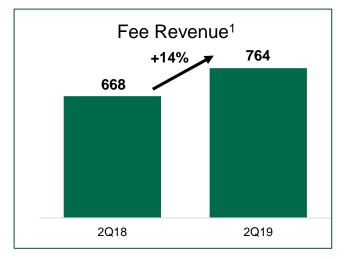


See Slide 13 for revenue detailed by line of business. See slide 21 for footnotes.

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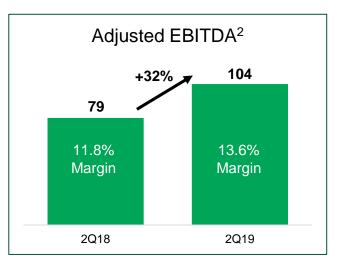
## **GLOBAL WORKPLACE SOLUTIONS**

\$ in millions



## 2Q 2019 HIGHLIGHTS

- Biggest "go-live" day ever
  - Onboarded 100 million square feet in a single day
- FacilitySource acquisition supporting penetration of key sectors
- Clients utilizing multiple GWS services have increased as percentage of business pipeline for six consecutive quarters



#### 2Q19 REPRESENTATIVE CLIENTS

Continued momentum in client wins driving growth



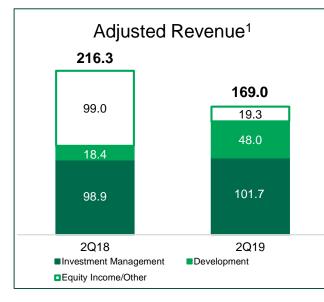




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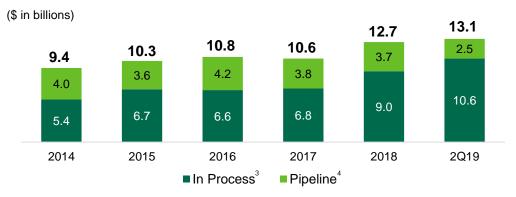
## **REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS**

\$ in millions



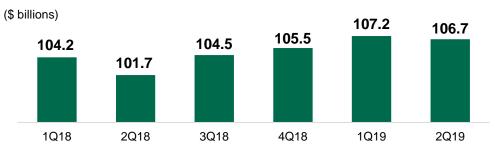
## DEVELOPMENT

#### Strong pipeline, positioned for continued strong results



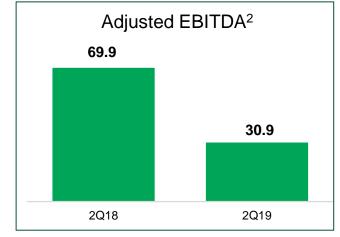
## **INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT**





#### FLEXIBLE-SPACE SOLUTIONS (HANA)

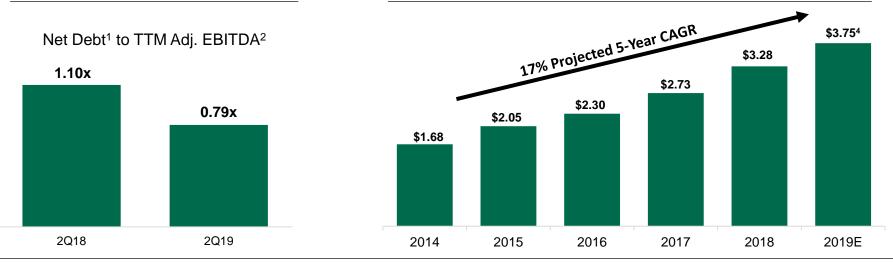
Expect first location to open in Dallas in 3Q 2019



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## **FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

### LEVERAGE SUMMARY



ADJUSTED EPS<sup>3</sup>

- Increasing 2019 Adj. EPS outlook to a range of \$3.70 to \$3.80
  - Improved outlook driven by better than expected business momentum, most notably in the Americas
  - Adj. EPS more weighted to Q4 than in prior year due to development timing
- Nearly \$1B of capital available to invest in remainder of 2019 taking into account planned acquisitions<sup>5</sup>

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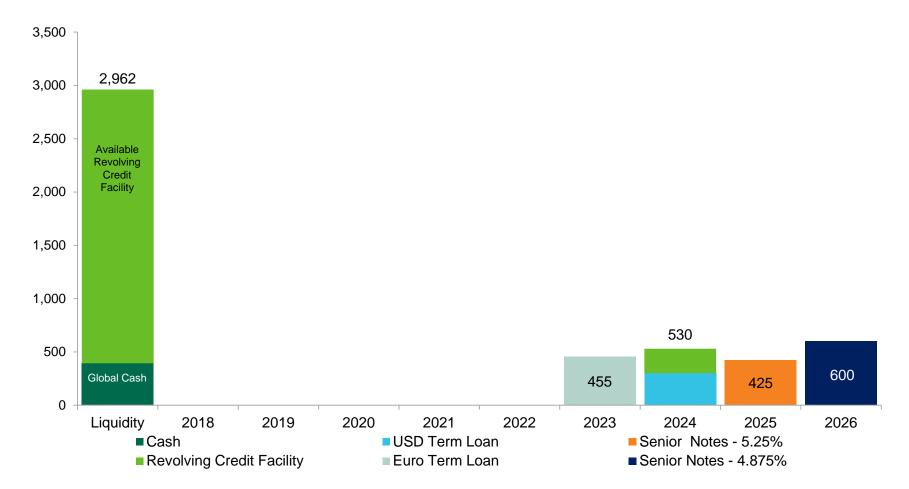
## **SUMMARY**

- Financial performance reflects strong strategic position and business momentum
- Commercial real estate market fundamentals remain healthy
  - The Americas, our largest market, is particularly strong
- Ongoing investments in people, capabilities and technology to drive great client outcomes
- Telford acquisition, if approved, would expand development business internationally
  - The U.K. market is in early stages of secular shift in institutionally owned urban rental housing
- CBRE is well-positioned to drive strong, consistent growth

# SUPPLEMENTAL SLIDES, GAAP RECONCILIATION TABLES AND FOOTNOTES

## MANDATORY AMORTIZATION AND MATURITY SCHEDULE AS OF JUNE 30, 2019<sup>1</sup>

(\$ in millions)



1. \$2,800 million revolving credit facility matures in March 2024. As of June 30, 2019, the revolving credit facility balance was \$230 million.

## **DEBT & LEVERAGE**

	June 30				
(\$ in millions)	2019	2018			
Cash <sup>1</sup>	\$ 394	\$ 419			
Revolving credit facility	230	598			
Senior term loans <sup>2</sup>	750	744			
Senior notes <sup>2</sup>	1,016	1,015			
Other debt <sup>3,4</sup>	3	5			
Total debt	\$ 1,999	\$ 2,362			
Total net debt⁵	\$ 1,605	\$ 1,943			
TTM Adjusted EBITDA <sup>6</sup>	\$ 2,037	\$ 1,772			
Net debt to TTM Adjusted EBITDA	0.79x	1.10x			

1. Excludes \$141.8 million and \$112.7 million of cash in consolidated funds and other entities not available for company use at June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

- 2. Outstanding amount is reflected net of unamortized debt issuance costs.
- 3. Excludes \$1,350.0 million and \$1,471.6 million of warehouse facilities for loans originated on behalf of the FHA and other government sponsored enterprises outstanding at June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively, which are non-recourse to CBRE Group, Inc.
- 4. Excludes non-recourse notes payable on real estate, net of unamortized debt issuance costs, of \$10.1 million and \$3.1 million at June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.
- 5. Total net debt is calculated as total debt (excluding non-recourse debt) less cash available for company use, as disclosed above.
- 6. Adjusted EBITDA excludes (from EBITDA) the impact of a one-time non-cash gain associated with remeasuring CBRE's investment in an unconsolidated subsidiary in New England to fair value as of the date it acquired the remaining controlling interest, costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives, costs incurred in connection with a litigation settlement, integration and other costs related to acquisitions, and certain carried interest incentive compensation expense to align with the timing of associated revenue.

## **Q2 2019 BUSINESS LINE REVENUE**

# CONTRACTUAL REVENUE AND LEASING, WHICH IS LARGELY RECURRING OVER TIME<sup>1</sup>, IS 77% OF FEE REVENUE

(\$ in millions)

	·										
		Contra	actual Revenue	& Leasing							
	Global Workplace Solutions	Property & Advisory Project Management	Investment Management (excl. Carried Interest)	Valuation	Loan Servicing	Advisory Leasing	Advisory Sales	Commercial Mortgage Origination	Development Services	Carried Interest	Total
Revenue											
Q2 2019	\$ 3,385	\$ 556	\$ 100	\$ 149	\$ 50	\$ 818	\$ 467	\$ 140	\$ 48	<b>\$</b> 1	\$ 5,714
Fee Reven	ue <sup>2</sup>										
Q2 2019	\$ 764	\$ 312 77	\$ 100 % of total fee r	\$ 149 evenue	\$ 50	\$ 818	\$ 467	\$ 140	\$ 48	<b>\$</b> 1	\$ 2,849
% of Q2 201 Total Fee Revenue		11%	3%	5%	2%	29%	16%	5%	2%	<1%	100%
Fee Reven	ue Growth R	ate (Change Q	2 2019-over-0	Q2 2018)							
USD	<b>1</b> 4%	▲ 7%	<b>1</b> %	<b>1</b> %	<b>1</b> 3%	<b>1</b> 9%	<b>2</b> %	<b>1</b> 6%	<b>1</b> 60%	n/a	<b>1</b> 2%
Local Currency	<b>1</b> 9%	<b>1</b> 0%	▲ 6%	▲ 5%	<b>1</b> 4%	<b>1</b> 21%	<b>4</b> %	<b>1</b> 6%	<b>1</b> 60%	n/a	15%

See slide 22 for footnotes.

## **OTHER FINANCIAL METRICS**

	Three Months Ended									
(\$ in thousands)	June 30, 2019	March 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	September 30, 2018	June 30, 2018	March 31, 2018				
OMSR Gains	44,309	38,270	56,760	45,623	39,237	32,117				
Amortization	(29,282)	(27,698)	(31,949)	(30,280)	(26,623)	(26,893)				

(\$ in thousands)	Q2 2019 over Q2 2018	Q1 2019 over Q1 2018	Q4 2018 over Q4 2017	Q3 2018 over Q3 2017	Q2 2018 over Q2 2017	Q1 2018 over Q1 2017
OMSR Gains	5,072	6,153	7,674	10,175	6,645	4,141
Amortization	2,658	805	5,898	4,522	2,211	4,556

		As of									
(\$ in billions)	June 30, 2019	March 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	September 30, 2018	June 30, 2018	March 31, 2018					
Loan Servicing Balance <sup>1</sup>	210.3	201.6	192.8	186.9	179.6	175.0					

1. Prior quarter loan servicing balance has been restated.

## **NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES**

The following measures are considered "non-GAAP financial measures" under SEC guidelines:

- i. fee revenue
- ii. contractual fee revenue
- iii. adjusted revenue for the Real Estate Investments segment
- iv. net income attributable to CBRE Group, Inc., as adjusted (which we also refer to as "adjusted net income")
- v. diluted income per share attributable to CBRE Group, Inc. shareholders, as adjusted (which we also refer to as "adjusted earnings per share" or "adjusted EPS")
- vi. Adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA on fee revenue margin

These measures are not recognized measurements under United States generally accepted accounting principles, or "GAAP." When analyzing our operating performance, investors should use them in addition to, and not as an alternative for, their most directly comparable financial measure calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. Because not all companies use identical calculations, our presentation of these measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.

Our management generally uses these non-GAAP financial measures to evaluate operating performance and for other discretionary purposes. The company believes that these measures provide a more complete understanding of ongoing operations, enhance comparability of current results to prior periods and may be useful for investors to analyze our financial performance because they eliminate the impact of selected charges that may obscure trends in the underlying performance of our business. The company further uses certain of these measures, and believes that they are useful to investors, for purposes described below.

With respect to fee revenue: the company believes that investors may find these measures useful to analyze the financial performance of our Global Workplace Solutions segment and Property & Advisory Project Management business line and our business generally. Fee revenue excludes costs reimbursable by clients, and as such provides greater visibility into the underlying performance of our business.

With respect to adjusted revenue: the company believes that investors may find this measure useful to analyze the financial performance of our Real Estate Investments segment because it is more reflective of this segment's total operations.

With respect to contractual fee revenue: the company believes that investors may find this measure useful to analyze our overall financial performance because it identifies revenue streams that are typically more stable over time.

With respect to adjusted net income, adjusted EPS, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA on fee revenue margin: the company believes that investors may find these measures useful in evaluating our operating performance compared to that of other companies in our industry because their calculations generally eliminate the accounting effects of acquisitions, which would include impairment charges of goodwill and intangibles created from acquisitions—and in the case of adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA fee revenue margin—the effects of financings and income tax and the accounting effects of capital spending. All of these measures and adjusted revenue may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to overall operating performance. In the case of adjusted EBITDA, this measure is not intended to be a measure of free cash flow for our management's discretionary use because they do not consider cash requirements such as tax and debt service payments. The EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA and adjusted herein may also differ from the amounts calculated under similarly titled definitions in our credit facilities and debt instruments, which amounts are further adjusted to reflect certain other cash and non-cash charges and are used by us to determine compliance with financial covenants therein and our ability to engage in certain activities, such as incurring additional debt and making certain restricted payments. The company also uses adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EPS as significant components when measuring our operating performance under our employee incentive compensation programs.

## **RECONCILIATION OF ADJUSTED EBITDA TO NET INCOME**

	Thre	e Months 30		d June		Twelve Months Ended June 30,				
(\$ in millions)	2019		2	018	2	2019	2	018	2	2014
Net income attributable to CBRE Group, Inc.	\$	223.7	\$	228.7	\$	1,072.4	\$	737.3	\$	382.2
Add:										
Depreciation and amortization		106.5		113.4		442.7		433.3		229.0
Intangible asset impairment		-		-		89.0		-		98.1
Interest expense, net of interest income		24.6		25.4		93.9		112.0		106.3
Write-off of financing costs on extinguished debt		-		-		2.6		28.0		-
Provision for income taxes		62.5		70.3		303.0		460.4		224.4
EBITDA	\$	417.3	\$	437.8	\$	2,003.6	\$	1,771.0	\$	1,040.0
Adjustments:										
Costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives		33.8		-		87.5		-		-
Integration and other costs related to acquisitions		9.1		-		18.2		-		11.1
Carried interest incentive compensation expense to align with the timing of associated revenue		8.3		1.5		18.9		1.0		10.7
One-time gain associated with remeasuring an investment in an unconsolidated subsidiary to fair value as of the date the remaining controlling interest was acquired		-		-		(100.4)		-		-
Costs incurred in connection with litigation settlement		-		-		8.8		-		-
Cost-elimination expenses		-		-		-		-		17.6
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	468.5	\$	439.3	\$	2,036.6	\$	1,772.0	\$	1,079.4
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## **RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME TO ADJUSTED NET INCOME** AND ADJUSTED EARNINGS PER SHARE

	Th	ree Mont June		ded
(\$ in millions, except share and per share amounts)	2	019	20	18
Net income attributable to CBRE Group, Inc.	\$	223.7	\$	228.7
Non-cash depreciation and amortization expense related to certain assets attributable to acquisitions		19.6		29.4
Costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives		33.8		-
Carried-interest incentive compensation expense (reversal) to align with the timing of associated revenue		8.3		1.5
Integration and other costs related to acquisitions		9.1		-
Tax impact of adjusted items		(17.4)		(7.0)
Adjusted net income	\$	277.1	\$	252.6
Adjusted diluted earnings per share	\$	0.81	\$	0.74
Weighted average shares outstanding for diluted income per share	340	,508,931	343,	471,513

# **RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME TO ADJUSTED NET INCOME AND ADJUSTED EARNINGS PER SHARE**

			Twelve	e Months En	ded				
		Dec	ember 31,				June	30,	
(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)	2018 2017 2016 2015 2014		2014	2019		2014			
Net income attributable to CBRE Group, Inc.	\$ 1,063.2 \$	697.1 \$	573.1 \$	547.1 \$	484.5	\$	1,072.4	\$	382.2
One-time gain associated with remeasuring an investment in an unconsolidated subsidiary to fair value as of the date the remaining controlling interest was acquired	(100.4)	-	-	-	-		(100.4)		-
Non-cash depreciation and amortization expense related to certain assets attributable to acquisitions	113.1	112.9	111.1	86.6	66.1		96.6		50.3
Write-off of financing costs on extinguished debt	28.0	-	-	2.7	23.1		2.6		-
Costs associated with our reorganization, including cost- savings initiatives	38.0	-	-	-	-		87.5		-
Costs incurred in connection with litigation settlement	8.8	-	-	-	-		8.8		-
Carried-interest incentive compensation (reversal) expense to align with the timing of associated revenue	(5.2)	(8.5)	(15.6)	26.1	23.8		18.9		10.7
Integration and other costs related to acquisitions	9.1	27.3	125.7	48.9	-		18.2		11.1
Cost-elimination expenses	-	-	78.5	40.4	-		-		17.6
Intangible Asset Impairment	-	-	-	-	-		89.0		98.1
Tax impact of adjusted items	(44.2)	(42.1)	(93.2)	(62.6)	(36.4)		(76.9)		(47.9)
Impact of U.S. tax reform	13.3	143.4	-	-	-		12.8		-
Adjusted net income	\$ 1,123.7 \$	930.1 \$	779.6 \$	689.2 \$	561.1	\$	1,229.5	\$	522.1
Adjusted diluted earnings per share	\$ 3.28 \$	2.73 \$	2.30 \$	2.05 \$	1.68	\$	3.60 \$	\$	1.57
Weighted average shares outstanding for diluted income per share	343.1	340.8	338.4	336.4	334.2		341.8		333.0

Note: 2016 and 2017 figures were restated for change in revenue guidance (ASC 606). We have not made a similar restatement for 2014-2015, and such periods continue to be reported under the accounting standards in effect for such periods. 2018 figures reflect ASC 606.

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## **RECONCILIATION OF REVENUE TO FEE REVENUE AND CONTRACTUAL FEE REVENUE**

	Three I	Months End	ed June	30
(\$ in millions)	2019		2018	
Consolidated revenue	\$	5,714.1	\$	5,111.4
Client reimbursed costs largely associated with employees dedicated to client facilities and subcontracted vendor work performed for clients		2,864.6		2,575.8
Consolidated fee revenue	\$	2,849.5	\$	2,535.6
Less: Non-contractual fee revenue		1,473.8		1,284.1
Contractual fee revenue	\$	1,375.7	\$	1,251.5
Global Workplace Solutions revenue Less: Client reimbursed costs largely associated with employees dedicated to client facilities and subcontracted	\$	3,385.4	\$	3,035.0
vendor work performed for clients		2,621.1		2,366.9
Global Workplace Solutions fee revenue	\$	764.3	\$	668.1
Property & Advisory Project Management revenue Less:	\$	555.8	\$	502.2
Client reimbursed costs largely associated with employees dedicated to client facilities and subcontracted				
vendor work performed for clients		243.5		208.9
Property & Advisory Project Management fee revenue	\$	312.3	\$	293.3

## RECONCILIATION OF ADJUSTED EBITDA ON FEE REVENUE MARGIN AND REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS REVENUE TO ADJUSTED REVENUE

	Three Months Ended			ne 30,
(\$ in millions)	201	9	201	8
Combined Advisory Services & GWS Adjusted EBITDA	\$	437.6	\$	369.4
Combined Advisory Services & GWS Fee Revenue		2,699.8		2,418.2
Adjusted EBITDA on fee revenue margin		16.2%		15.3%
Real Estate Investments Revenue	\$	149.7	\$	117.4
Add:				
Equity income from unconsolidated subsidiaries		19.0		88.2
Gain on disposition of real estate		-		12.3
Less:				
Non-controlling interest		(0.3)		1.5
Real Estate Investments Adjusted Revenue	\$	169.0	\$	216.4

## FOOTNOTES

Notes – Local currency percent changes versus prior year is a non-GAAP measure noted on slides 4 and 13. These percent changes are calculated by comparing current year results at prior year exchange rates versus prior year results.

We have not reconciled the (non-GAAP) adjusted earnings per share guidance referenced in this presentation to the most directly comparable GAAP measure because this cannot be done without unreasonable effort due to the variability and low visibility with respect to costs related to acquisitions, carried interest incentive compensation and financing costs, which are potential adjustments to future earnings. We expect the variability of these items to have a potentially unpredictable, and a potentially significant, impact on our future GAAP financial results.

#### Slide 4

- 1. Fee revenue is gross revenue less both client reimbursed costs largely associated with employees that are dedicated to client facilities and subcontracted vendor work performed for clients.
- 2. EBITDA represents earnings before net interest expense, write-off of financing costs on extinguished debt, income taxes, depreciation, amortization and intangible asset impairments. Amounts shown for adjusted EBITDA further remove (from EBITDA) costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives, integration and other costs related to acquisitions and certain carried interest incentive compensation expense to align with the timing of associated revenue.
- 3. All EPS information is based on diluted shares.
- 4. Adjusted EPS excludes depreciation and amortization expense related to certain assets attributable to acquisitions, costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives, integration and other costs related to acquisitions and certain carried interest incentive compensation expense to align with the timing of associated revenue as well as adjusts the provision for income taxes for such charges.

#### Slide 5, 6

- 1. Fee revenue is gross revenue less both client reimbursed costs largely associated with employees that are dedicated to client facilities and subcontracted vendor work performed for clients.
- 2. Adjusted EBITDA excludes costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives, and integration and other costs related to acquisitions.

#### Slide 7

- 1. Adjusted revenue is revenue plus equity income from unconsolidated subsidiaries and gain on disposition of real estate, net of non-controlling interests. See slide 20 for computation.
- 2. Adjusted EBITDA excludes integration and other costs related to acquisitions and certain carried interest incentive compensation expense to align with the timing of associated revenue.
- 3. In-Process figures include Long-Term Operating Assets (LTOA) of \$0.03 billion for 2Q 19 and \$0.1 billion for 2Q 18. LTOA are projects that have achieved a stabilized level of occupancy or have been held 18-24 months following shell completion or acquisition.
- 4. Pipeline deals are projects we are pursuing which we believe have a greater than 50% chance of closing or where land has been acquired and the projected construction start is more than 12 months out.

## FOOTNOTES

#### Slide 8

- 1. Net debt is calculated as total debt (excluding non-recourse debt) less cash available for company use. See slide 12.
- 2. Adjusted EBITDA excludes costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives, a one-time gain associated with remeasuring CBRE's investment in an unconsolidated subsidiary in New England to fair value as of the date it acquired the remaining controlling interest, costs incurred in connection with litigation settlement, integration and other costs related to acquisitions and certain carried interest incentive compensation expense (reversal) to align with the timing of associated revenue.
- 3. Adjusted EPS excludes intangible asset impairments, depreciation and amortization expense related to certain assets attributable to acquisitions, costs associated with our reorganization, including cost-savings initiatives, cost elimination expenses, a one-time gain associated with remeasuring CBRE's investment in an unconsolidated subsidiary in New England to fair value as of the date it acquired the remaining controlling interest, costs incurred in connection with litigation settlement, integration and other costs related to acquisitions, write-off of financing costs on extinguished debt and certain carried interest incentive compensation expense (reversal) to align with the timing of associated revenue as well as adjusts the provision for income taxes for such charges. Adjusted EPS for 2018 and 2017 also excludes the estimated tax impact of U.S. tax reform.
- 4. Represents mid-point of 2019 earnings guidance range of \$3.70 \$3.80
- 5. Assumes approximately 1.0x Net Debt to TTM Adjusted EBITDA at 12/31/19.

#### Slide 13

- 1. Contractual revenue refers to revenue derived from our Global Workplace Solutions, Property & Advisory Project Management, Investment Management (excl. carried interest), Valuation and Loan Servicing businesses. We regard advisory leasing revenue as largely recurring over time because unlike most other transaction businesses, leasing activity normally takes place when leases expire. The average lease expires in five to six years. This means that, on average, in a typical year approximately 17% to 20% of leases roll over and a new leasing decision must be made. When a lease expires in the ordinary course, we expect it to be renewed, extended or the tenant to vacate the space to lease another space in the market. In each instance, a transaction is completed. If there is a downturn in economic activity, some tenants may seek a short term lease extension, often a year, before making a longer term commitment. In this scenario, that delayed leasing activity tends to be stacked on top of the normal activity in the following year. Thus, we characterize advisory leasing as largely recurring over time because we expect an expiration of a lease, in the ordinary course, to lead to an opportunity for a leasing commission from such completed transaction even if delayed by a year or two during an economic downturn.
- 2. Fee revenue is gross revenue less both client reimbursed costs largely associated with employees that are dedicated to client facilities and subcontracted vendor work performed for clients.