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The Directors of the Company, whose names appear in the Prospectus under the section "DIRECTORY", accept responsibility for the information contained in this document.

## SUPPLEMENT

## LORD ABBETT INNOVATION GROWTH FUND

(A Fund of Lord Abbett Global Funds I plc, an open-ended investment company with variable capital constituted as an umbrella fund with segregated liability between its Funds)

The date of this Supplement is 18 April 2023

This Supplement contains specific information in relation to the Lord Abbett Innovation Growth Fund (the "Fund"), a sub-fund of Lord Abbett Global Funds I plc (the "Company"). It forms part of and must be read in the context of and together with the Prospectus of the Company dated 18 April 2023.

Words and expressions defined in the Prospectus shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the same meaning when used in this Supplement.

## INTRODUCTION

This Supplement comprises information relating to the Shares of the Fund to be issued in accordance with the Prospectus and this Supplement.

The general details set out in the Prospectus apply to the Fund save where otherwise stated in this Supplement. To the extent that there is any inconsistency between this Supplement and the Prospectus this Supplement shall prevail.

Investors should read the section "RISK FACTORS" before investing in the Fund.

As the Directors may, at their discretion, impose an initial sales charge and/or a CDSC with respect to particular Classes, Shareholders in these Classes should view their investment as medium to long-term.

An investment in the Fund should not constitute a substantial proportion of an investment portfolio and may not be appropriate for all investors.

The Fund is actively managed.

#### THE FUND

#### **Investment Objective**

The investment objective of the Fund is to seek capital appreciation.

#### **Investment Policies**

The Fund invests in equity securities of U.S. and non-U.S. domiciled companies that the portfolio management team believes demonstrate above-average, long-term growth potential in all market capitalization ranges. Under normal conditions, the Fund invests at least 50% of its net assets in companies having a market capitalization range within the range of companies in the Russell 1000® Index. The Russell 1000 Index measures the performance of approximately 1000 of the largest U.S. equity securities based on a combination of their market cap and current index membership. The Russell 1000 represents approximately 92% of the U.S. market and is constructed to provide a comprehensive and unbiased barometer for the large-cap segment. It is completely reconstituted annually and further details relating to it may be found at www.russell.com.

Subject to the above and the general UCITS investment restrictions, the Fund may invest without limitation in other types of equity instruments that do not meet the above criteria but which do represent economic exposure to markets outside the U.S., including securities of companies that are organized or operated in a non-US country but primarily trade on a US securities exchange.

Such investments will be pursued where the Investment Manager believes that they increase the likelihood of successfully achieving the investment objective.

The Fund's principal investments are equity securities of large, mid-sized and small companies. Equity securities include common stocks, preferred stocks, equity interests in trusts (including real estate investment trusts ("REITs") and privately offered trusts), partnerships, joint ventures, limited liability companies, vehicles with similar legal structures, and other instruments with similar equity characteristics which reflects an ownership stake in an enterprise. The Fund considers equity securities to include rights offerings and investments that convert into the equity securities described above, i.e. options and warrants.

The Fund may invest up to 10% of its net assets in equity securities of non-U.S. (including emerging market) companies and depositary receipts such as American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs") and Global Depositary Receipts ("GDRs"). The Fund defines non-U.S. companies as those whose securities are traded primarily on non-U.S. securities exchanges.

The Fund engages in active and frequent trading of its portfolio securities.

The Fund may invest up to 10% of its net assets in Underlying Collective Investment Schemes, subject to the requirements of the Central Bank and the Regulations. Such Underlying Collective Investment Schemes will have investment policies consistent with the investment policies of the Fund. For the avoidance of doubt, the Fund shall not invest more than 10% of its net assets in any Underlying Collective Investment Schemes, individually or in aggregate.

In pursuing its investment objective, the Fund may invest in FDIs. The Fund may use FDIs in order to seek to enhance returns, to attempt to hedge some of its investment or currency risk or as a substitute position for holding the underlying asset on which the FDI is based. The FDIs that the Fund may use consist of futures contracts, forward contracts and option agreements. The underlying reference security for FDIs which will, at all times, reflect the investment policies of the Fund may be a single security, a basket of securities or an index of securities. FDIs may also use currencies as a reference. Where the Fund invests in FDIs that are based on financial indices it will do so in accordance with the requirements of the Central Bank. Furthermore, the financial indices such FDIs are based upon will be consistent with the investment policies of the Fund and generally will not be rebalanced more frequently than monthly. It is not anticipated that such rebalancing will increase Fund costs or impact the Fund's ability to comply with its investment restrictions. Details of these FDIs are set out in the Prospectus under the section "USE OF FINANCIAL DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS" In relation to each category of assets in which the Fund may invest it may take long and short positions, provided that it will not take uncovered short positions and any such short positions in total shall not exceed 5% of the Fund's Net Asset Value (with the balance of the portfolio being long) and shall be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Central Bank. Short exposure, if any, will be achieved through synthetic short exposure through the use of derivatives.

The leverage exposure of the Fund through the use of FDIs will not exceed 100% of the Fund's Net Asset Value, as measured using the commitment approach.

The Investment Manager operates a risk management process on behalf of the Fund in relation to its use of FDIs, details of which are set out in the Prospectus under the section "USE OF FINANCIAL DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS: Risk Management".

The Fund seeks to remain fully invested in accordance with its investment objective. To respond to adverse economic, market, political or other conditions that are unfavorable for investors, however, the Fund may invest its assets in a temporary defensive manner by holding all or a substantial portion of its assets in cash, cash equivalents (such as U.S. government Treasury bills) or other high quality short-term investments (including bank certificates of deposit, bankers' acceptances and corporate commercial paper), money market fund shares, and other money market instruments. The Fund also may invest in these types of securities or hold cash while looking for suitable investment opportunities or to maintain liquidity. When investing in this manner, the Fund may be unable to achieve its investment objective.

#### Investment Process

The Fund's portfolio management team seeks to invest in companies demonstrating aboveaverage, long-term growth potential. The Fund's portfolio management team follow a growth style of investing and look for companies that they believe exhibit faster than average gains in earnings and have the potential to continue profit growth at a high level. The Fund's portfolio management team use a "bottom-up" investment approach, meaning that it identifies and selects securities for investment by the Fund based on in-depth company, industry, and market research and analysis, as well as an evaluation of conditions within the broader economy. The Investment Manager attempts to reduce investment risk for the Fund through portfolio diversification and attention to current developments and trends in economic conditions.

The Fund may sell a security when the Fund believes the security is less likely to benefit from the current market and economic environment, shows signs of deteriorating fundamentals, no longer meets the Fund's investment criteria, to increase cash or to satisfy redemption requests, among other reasons. In considering whether to sell a security, the Fund may evaluate factors including, but not limited to, the condition of the economy, changes in the issuer's competitive position or financial condition and changes in the outlook for the issuer's industry.

## **Base Currency**

The Base Currency of the Fund is USD.

#### **Investment Restrictions and Risk Management**

The general investment restrictions as set out in the "INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS" section of the Prospectus shall apply. The Fund will only invest in assets that are permitted under the Regulations.

## Profile of a Typical Investor

The Fund is intended to serve as a long-term investment option and should not be viewed as an appropriate investment vehicle for short-term gain or trading. The Fund may be suitable for investors seeking the opportunity for capital appreciation

## **RISK FACTORS**

Investment in the Fund carries with it a degree of risk including, but not limited to, the risks described in the "INVESTMENT RISKS AND SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS" section of the Prospectus. The Investment Manager considers that the investment risks that are ticked in the "INVESTMENT RISKS APPLICABLE TO EACH FUND" section of the Prospectus are relevant to an investment in the Fund. These investment risks are not purported to be exhaustive and potential investors should review the Prospectus and this Supplement carefully and consult with their professional advisers before making an application for Shares. There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

## FEES AND EXPENSES

The Fund shall bear its attributable portion of the fees and operating expenses of the Company. The fees and operating expenses of the Company are set out in detail under the section "Fees and Expenses" in the Prospectus.

#### Management Fee and Expense Limitation

Under the Management Agreement, the Company will pay to the Manager a maximum fee at an annual rate equal to the percentage of the average daily Net Asset Value of the relevant Class of the Fund as set out in the Schedule to this Supplement. The management fee shall accrue daily and be calculated and payable monthly in arrears. The Manager will remunerate the Investment Manager, from its management fee, together with any reasonable vouched out of pocket expenses. The Manager or the Investment Manager may from time to time at its sole discretion, use part of its fee to remunerate the Distributors. The Investment Manager may, at its sole discretion, use part of its investment management fee to remunerate certain other financial intermediaries, including Distribution Agents, and may pay reimbursements or rebates to certain institutional Shareholders.

In addition, the Manager shall be entitled to be reimbursed its reasonable vouched out-ofpocket expenses. Each Fund shall bear pro rata its share of such out-of-pocket expenses.

The Manager has committed to waive its management fee and, if necessary, reimburse the Fund's operating expenses, in order to keep the Fund's total operating expenses (including the fees and out of pocket expenses of the Manager, Administrator and Depositary) from exceeding an annual rate of the daily Net Asset Value of the Fund as set out in the Schedule to this Supplement (the "Expense Limitation"). Operating expenses do not include the cost of buying and selling investments, withholding tax, stamp duty or other taxes on investments, commissions and brokerage fees incurred with respect to investments and such extraordinary or exceptional costs and expenses (if any) as may arise from time to time, such as material litigation in relation to the Company as may be determined by the Directors in their discretion. The expenses subject to the Expense Limitation shall include the management fee and out-of-pocket expenses. The Manager may renew or discontinue this arrangement at any time upon prior notification to Shareholders.

To the extent that the Manager waives its fee or reimburses the Fund's operating expenses under the Expense Limitation, the Fund's overall expense ratio will be lower than it would have been without the Expense Limitation. This reduction in operating expenses may increase the Fund's investment return and such returns may not be achieved without the benefit of the Expense Limitation.

## **Depositary's Fee**

The Depositary is entitled to receive out of the assets of the Fund a fee at an annual rate which will not exceed 0.03% of the average annual Net Asset Value of the Fund (plus any applicable taxes) in any fiscal year. This fee accrues and is calculated based on the Net Asset Value of the Fund as at the Valuation Point on each Dealing Day and payable monthly in arrears. The Depositary shall, subject to a minimum annual fee of USD 30,000 per Fund, also be entitled to receive out of the assets of the Fund all agreed sub-custodian fees, transaction charges (which will be charged at normal commercial rates) together with reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the Depositary in the performance of its duties under the Depositary Agreement. Such depositary fees shall accrue daily and be calculated and payable monthly in arrears. This fee will be included within the Expense Limitation.

## Administrator's Fee

The Administrator is entitled to receive out of the assets of the Fund a fee at an annual rate which will not exceed 0.035% of the average annual Net Asset Value of the Fund, subject to a minimum fee of USD 7,000 per month per Fund (plus any applicable taxes) in any fiscal year. This fee accrues and is calculated based on the Net Asset Value of the Fund as at the Valuation Point on each Dealing Day and payable monthly in arrears. The Administrator is also entitled to charge to the Fund all agreed fees and transaction charges, at normal commercial rates, together with reasonable out-of-pocket expenses (plus any applicable taxes), it incurs on behalf of the Fund in the performance of its duties under the Administration Agreement. This fee will be included within the Expense Limitation.

#### Initial Sales Charge

An initial sales charge of up to 5% of the amount subscribed in respect of subscriptions to Class A Shares and of up to 3% of the amount subscribed in respect of subscriptions to Class N Shares shall be payable, as more particularly described in the "SHARE CLASSES" section of the Prospectus and the Schedule to this Supplement. Where an initial sales charge applies, Shareholders should view their investment as medium to long-term.

## CDSC

Class C Shares are subject to a CDSC of 1% of the lesser of the Net Asset Value of the Shares being sold or the Net Asset Value of those Shares when purchased if an investor sells Shares within one (1) year of purchase as more particularly described in the "SHARE CLASSES" section of the Prospectus.

## SUBSCRIPTIONS

#### Purchase of Shares

Full details on how to purchase Shares are set out in the "ADMINISTRATION OF THE COMPANY: Subscription Procedure" section of the Prospectus.

Details in relation to the Class Currency, management fee, Initial Offer Price, minimum initial investment, minimum holding and initial sales charge are set out in the Schedule to this Supplement.

The Distributors are authorised by the Directors to accept subscriptions in relation to the Fund notwithstanding that the amount subscribed for may fall below the minimum initial investment and minimum holding as set out in the Schedule to this Supplement.

#### Initial Offer Period

The initial offer period for the Class A EUR Accumulating Shares, Class A EUR Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class A GBP Accumulating Shares, Class A GBP Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class A CHF Accumulating Shares, Class A CHF Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class C USD Accumulating Shares, Class I EUR Accumulating Shares, Class I GBP Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class I CHF Accumulating Shares, Class I CHF Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class Z EUR Accumulating Shares, Class Z EUR Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class Z GBP Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class Z CHF Accumulating Shares, Class Z CHF Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class Z CHF Accumulating Shares, Class Z CHF Accumulating (Hedged) Shares, Class Z CHF Accumulating Shares and Class Z CHF Accumulating (Hedged) Shares shall conclude upon the earlier of: (i) the first investment by a

Shareholder in such Class; or (ii) 4pm (Dublin time) on 18 October 2023 (the "**Closing Date**"). The initial offer period in respect of each Class may be shortened or extended by the Directors. The Central Bank will be notified in advance of any such shortening or extension if subscriptions for Shares have been received and otherwise shall be notified subsequently on an annual basis.

Investors may apply to subscribe for Shares during the initial offer period at the Initial Offer Price for each Class as set out in the Schedule to this Supplement.

During the initial offer period, subscriptions may be made by way of signed original Application Forms, duly completed in accordance with the instructions contained in the Application Form, or by such other electronic means (including applications made via a Clearing System) as the Directors and the Administrator shall approve by the Closing Date.

Subscription monies should be paid to the account specified in the Application Form (or such other account specified by the Administrator) so as to be received in cleared funds no later than three Business Days after a Dealing Day or such other time as may be agreed with the Administrator and notified to Shareholders. Any initial Application Form sent by facsimile (or other electronic means) must be confirmed promptly by receipt of an original Application Form and supporting anti-money laundering documentation.

#### Following the Initial Offer Period

Once the initial offer period for any Share Class is closed, Shares in those Classes will be available at the Subscription Price for the relevant Class calculated as of the Valuation Point in respect of the relevant Dealing Day.

Following the close of the initial offer period, all applications for Shares must be received by the Dealing Deadline in the manner set out in the "ADMINISTRATION OF THE COMPANY: "Subscriptions Following the Initial Offer Period" and "Subscription Procedure" sections of the Prospectus.

## REDEMPTIONS

#### How to Redeem Shares

Shares in the Fund may be redeemed on every Dealing Day at the Net Asset Value per Share of the relevant Class subject to the procedures, terms and conditions set out in the "ADMINISTRATION OF THE COMPANY: How to Redeem Shares" sections of the Prospectus.

## SCHEDULE

# Subscription and Fee Information

Class	Class Currency	Management Fee	Expense Limitatio n	Initial Offer Price/ Current Offer Price	Minimum Initial Investment and Minimum Holding	Initial Sales Charge	CDSC
Class A USD Accumulating	USD	1.65%	1.80%	NAV per Share	USD 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class A EUR Accumulating	EUR	1.65%	1.80%	EUR 10	EUR 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class A EUR Accumulating (Hedged)	EUR	1.65%	1.80%	EUR 10	EUR 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class A GBP Accumulating	GBP	1.65%	1.80%	GBP 10	GBP 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class A GBP Accumulating (Hedged)	GBP	1.65%	1.80%	GBP 10	GBP 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class A CHF Accumulating	CHF	1.65%	1.80%	CHF 10	CHF 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class A CHF Accumulating (Hedged)	CHF	1.65%	1.80%	CHF 10	CHF 2,500	Up to 5%	N/A
Class C USD Accumulating	USD	1.95%	2.20%	USD 10	USD 2,500	N/A	1%
Class I USD Accumulating	USD	0.53%	0.68%	NAV per Share	USD 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class I EUR Accumulating	EUR	0. 53%	0.68%	EUR 10	EUR 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class I EUR Accumulating (Hedged)	EUR	0. 53%	0.68%	NAV per Share	EUR 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class I GBP Accumulating	GBP	0. 53%	0.68%	NAV per Share	GBP 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class I GBP Accumulating (Hedged)	GBP	0. 53%	0.68%	GBP 10	GBP 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class I CHF Accumulating	CHF	0. 53%	0.68%	CHF 10	CHF 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class I CHF Accumulating (Hedged)	CHF	0. 53%	0.68%	CHF 10	CHF 1,000,000	N/A	N/A
Class N USD Accumulating	USD	2.15%	2.40%	NAV per Share	USD 2,500	Up to 3%	N/A

Class	Class Currency	Management Fee	Expense Limitatio n	Initial Offer Price/ Current Offer Price	Minimum Initial Investment and Minimum Holding	Initial Sales Charge	CDSC
Class Z USD Accumulating	USD	.90%	1.15%	NAV per share	N/A	N/A	N/A
Class Z EUR Accumulating	EUR	0.90%	1.15%	EUR 10	N/A	N/A	N/A
Class Z EUR Accumulating (Hedged)	EUR	0.90%	1.15%	EUR 10	N/A	N/A	N/A
Class Z GBP Accumulating	GBP	0.90%	1.15%	GBP 10	N/A	N/A	N/A
Class Z GBP Accumulating (Hedged)	GBP	0.90%	1.15%	GBP 10	N/A	N/A	N/A
Class Z CHF Accumulating	CHF	0.90%	1.15%	CHF 10	N/A	N/A	N/A
Class Z CHF Accumulating (Hedged)	CHF	0.90%	1.15%	CHF 10	N/A	N/A	N/A