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**For the attention of the
chairman/senior partner/compliance officer,
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STOCK EXCHANGE NOTICE

AMENDMENTS TO THE ADMISSION AND DISCLOSURE STANDARDS

1. This Notice outlines changes to the Admission and Disclosure Standards (the "Standards") that describe admission standards and continuing obligations for issuers that are seeking admission, or are already admitted, to trading on the Exchange's markets (other than AIM).
2. The Exchange has revised the definition of a block admission and updated Rule 2.7 accordingly. The amendments clarify the definition and offer issuers the option of making a block admission application if the securities are not allotted and do not require prospectus or listing particulars. We have also provided Guidance on the application of Rule 2.7 so it is clear what typically constitutes a block admission application.
3. Attachment 1 to this Notice highlights the changes that are being made to the Standards. Such changes will be effective from 1 April 2009. A brochure containing the revised Standards will be available shortly on the Exchange's website at:
<http://www.londonstockexchange.com/mainmarket/usefuldocuments>
4. Any comments or queries on this Notice should be addressed to Satty Bains, Product Management, telephone + 44 (0)20 7797 3252 (STX 33252) or email:
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