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(the "Company")

Notification of Interest in Shares

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The Company has today received the following notification from The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.:

"We hereby notify you that as at close of business on 5 December 2006, the Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., ("GS Inc") of 85 Broad Street, New York, NY 10004, USA, was interested, by attribution only, in a total 5,010,782 shares.

Of these 5,010,782 shares,

- a. The interest in 25,000 shares arose from the interest held by Goldman Sachs & Co ("GS&Co"), a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of GS Inc, acting as custodian for its customers. These shares are, or will be, registered in the name of Goldman Sachs Securities (Nominees) Limited ("GSSN"),
- b. The interest in 4,985,782 shares arose from a beneficial interest held by Goldman Sachs International, a wholly-owned indirect subsidiary of GS Inc. These shares are, or will be, registered at CREST in account CREPTMP."

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