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European Financial Reporting Advisory Group (EFRAG) 5 Square de Meeûs, 1000 Brussels, Belgium

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Dear Sirs,

<u>Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions - Amendments to IFRS 2 - Invitation to Comment on EFRAG's Initial Assessments</u>

Introduction

We are the Quoted Companies Alliance, the independent membership organisation that champions the interests of small to mid-size quoted companies. Their individual market capitalisations tend to be below £500m.

The Quoted Companies Alliance is a founder member of European**Issuers**, which represents over 9,000 quoted companies in fourteen European countries.

The Quoted Companies Alliance Financial Reporting Expert Group has examined your proposals and advised on this response. A list of members of the Expert Group is at Appendix A.

Response

We welcome the opportunity to respond to EFRAG's invitation to comment relating to the endorsement for use in the EU of Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions - Amendments to IFRS 2.

We fully support EFRAG's endorsement of the Amendments to IFRS 2.

If you would like to discuss our response in more detail, we would be happy to attend a meeting.

Yours faithfully,

Tim Ward
Chief Executive

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