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**Interim Dividend of 4.0 cents per ordinary share - Dividend no 31 – amount payable in sterling**

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Further to the Half Yearly Financial Report of 24 August 2010, the sterling equivalent of the recommended interim dividend of 4.0 cents will be 2.5681 pence per ordinary share. This is based on an exchange rate of £1 = US\$ 1.5576.

Payment of the dividend is scheduled for Thursday 7 October 2010.

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