

SCHEDULE OF MATTERS RESERVED TO THE BOARD

Approved by the Board on 17 April 2013

The following matters are reserved to the Board for its decision:

- 1. Approval of the Group's long term objectives and strategy.
- 2. Approval of the Group vision, values and overall Governance framework.
- 3. Approval of the Company's Annual Report and Accounts, including the Remuneration Report and Audit Committee Report.
- 4. Approval of half-yearly report and interim management statements.
- 5. Approval of the Company's dividend policy and any declaration of an interim dividend and recommendation of a final dividend.
- 6. Approval of Group financial policy.
- 7. Approval of major capital projects, material contracts, contracts not in the ordinary course of business, investments, acquisitions and disposals by any Group company.
- 8. Approval of the Company's long-term finance plan and annual capital and revenue budgets.
- 9. Approval of any significant change in Group accounting policies or practices.
- 10. Setting the nature and extent of significant risks it is willing to take to achieve its strategic objectives.
- 11. Ensuring the maintenance of sound risk management and internal control systems.
- 12. Major changes to the Company's corporate structure.
- 13. Review of performance in light of the Group's strategy, objectives, business plans and budgets.
- 14. Approval of the remuneration policy, on the recommendation of the Remuneration Committee, for the Directors, Company Secretary and other senior executives as defined in the Remuneration Committee's terms of reference.
- 15. Approval of the non-executive directors' remuneration, subject to the Articles of Association.

- 16. Approval of the introduction of new share incentive plans or major changes to existing plans to be put to shareholders for approval.
- 17. Approval of all circulars, listing particulars, resolutions and corresponding documentation sent to shareholders.
- 18. Approval of changes in the capital structure of the Company, its listed status or its status as a plc and, in particular, the issue or allotment of shares in the Company otherwise than pursuant to Company-approved employee share schemes.
- 19. Approval to extend the Group's activities into new business areas or to cease to operate any material part of the Group's business.
- 20. Approval of Group policies including:
 - Code of Business Conduct and Ethics
 - Anti-Bribery Policy
 - Share Dealing Code
 - Disclosure Policy
 - Health, Safety and Environmental policies.
- 21. Approval of material changes to the Company's pension schemes rules, any change of a Trustee, or material changes to funding and management arrangements.
- 22. Appointments to the Board following recommendation of the Nomination Committee.
- 23. Selection (from suitable candidiates proposed by the Nomination Committee) of the Chairman, Senior Independent Director and Chief Executive Officer.
- 24. Continuation in office of Directors when they are due to be re-elected by shareholders at the AGM, on the recommendation of the Nomination Committee.
- 25. Determination of the independence of non-executive directors, on the recommendation of the Nomination Committee.
- 26. Suspension or termination of service/employment of an executive director, subject to service/employment contract, on the recommendation of the Nomination Committee
- 27. Approval of changes to the structure, size and composition of the Board following recommendations of the Nomination Committee.
- 28. Ensuring that the Nomination Committee has adequate succession planning in place for the Board and senior management.
- 29. The appointment and removal of the Company Secretary.

- 30. Approval of the division of responsibilities between the Chairman, the Chief Executive and the Senior Independent Director.
- 31. Establishing committees of the Board, approving their terms of reference (including membership and financial authority), reviewing their activities and, where appropriate, ratifying their decisions.
- 32. Recommendation to shareholders for the appointment, re-appointment or removal of the Auditors, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee.
- 33. Approval of the terms of reference for Board committees.
- 34. Settlement of litigation which is material to the interests of the Group.
- 35. Undertaking a review of its own performance, that of its committees and individual directors.
- 36. Approval of this schedule of matters reserved to the Board.