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The Directors

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Contact Michelle Hinchliffe

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01 October 2001

Dear Sirs

Notice of resignation - Charterhouse Development Capital Holdings Limited (no. 616189)

We hereby give notice of our resignation as auditors of the company with effect from today.

We enclose our statutory statement given in connection with our ceasing to act.

Yours faithfully

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Dear Sirs

Statement to the directors of Charterhouse Development Capital Holdings Limited (no. 616189) on ceasing to hold office as auditors pursuant to section 394 of the Companies Act 1985

In accordance with section 394 of the Companies Act 1985, we confirm that there are no circumstances connected with our ceasing to hold office that we consider should be brought to the attention of the company's members or creditors.

Yours faithfully

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