NEWTON INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT NOMINEES LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS 31 DECEMBER 2005

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NEWTON INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT NOMINEES LIMITED

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and the accounts for the year ended 31 December 2005.

The Company did not trade during the year to 31 December 2005 and was dormant within the meaning of Section 249AA of the Companies Act 1985.

Directors and directors' interests

The directors who served during the year were:

Greg Brisk Andrew Downs

No director had any beneficial interest in the shares of the Company at any time during the year.

By order of the Board

Andrew Downs

Director Date:

NEWTON INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT NOMINEES LIMITED (the "Company")

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 December	2005 £	2004 £
Current Assets Amounts owed by group undertakings	25	25
Capital And Reserves	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>
Share Capital: Authorised: 100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
Called up, issued and fully paid: 100 ordinary shares of £1 each Profit and loss account	100 (75)	100 (75)
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Notes:

- 1. For the year ended 31 December 2005, the Company was entitled to exemption under section 249AA(1) of the Companies Act 1985 (the "Act").
- 2. Members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 249B(2) of the Act.
- 3. The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for:
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Act; and
 - (ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at the end of the financial year, and of its profit and loss for the financial year, in accordance with section 226 of the Act and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the Company.
- 4. At 31 December 2005, the Company was a wholly owned subsidiary of Newton Management Limited, a company incorporated in England. The accounts of this company are available to the public and may be obtained from Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff CF14 3UZ. The ultimate parent company was Mellon Financial Corporation, a company incorporated in the United States of America. The consolidated accounts of the ultimate parent company can be obtained from The Secretary, Mellon Financial Corporation, One Mellon Center, Room 4826, Pittsburgh, PA 15258 0001, United States.

These accounts were approved by the Board on September 2006 and signed on its behalf by:

Andrew Downs

Director