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Dear Sirs

NOTICE OF AUDITORS RESIGNATION COMPANY NAME:- IKO PIC COMPANY NUMBER:- 02678296

We hereby resign as auditors of IKO Plc with effect from 5 February 2010

Appended to this letter is a statement of circumstances on our resignation as required by section 519 Companies Act 2006

We take this opportunity to remind you that you are required to file a copy of this notice with the Registrar of Companies within 14 days

Yours faithfully

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STATEMENT TO THE DIRECTORS OF IKO PLC ON CEASING TO HOLD OFFICE AS AUDITORS

In accordance with section 519 of the Companies Act 2006, 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

In accordance with section 522 of the Companies Act 2006, we are sending a separate statement of reasons in relation to our ceasing to hold office to the appropriate audit authority. We would remind you that you are also required to send a copy of this notification to the same audit authority in accordance with section 523 of the Companies Act 2006.

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