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## Private and Confidential

The Directors
ATE Group Limited
Boundary Industrial Estate
Stafford Road
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West Midlands WV10 7ER

22 December 2003

Our ref: 012179/rpt/cas

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Dear Sirs

## Notice of resignation as auditors of ATE Group Limited (Registered Number 002976493)

In accordance with Section 392 of the Companies Act 1985, we hereby give notice of our resignation as auditors of the above company with effect from 31 December 2003.

In accordance with Section 394 of the Companies Act 1985, we are pleased to confirm that there are no circumstances connected with our resignation which we consider should be brought to the attention of the members or creditors of the company.

Yours faithfully

BDO Stoy Hayward

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