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COMPANIES FORM No. 155(6)a

Declaration in relation to assistance for the acquisition of shares



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The company is proposing to give financial assistance in connection with the acquisition of shares in the KINGANN [company's holding company Linden Holdings Limited

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And X/we make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act 1835.

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LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

COMPANY NO:

3193571

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COMPANY: LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company") 3193571

RIDER 2

The number and class of shares acquired is:

6,200,003 "A" ordinary shares x £1; 3,182,683 "B" ordinary shares x £1 in the Parent

COMPANY: COMPANY NO: LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

3193571

RIDER 3

The Company is proposing to give financial assistance in connection with the acquisition by the Purchaser of the Parent's entire issued share capital (the "Acquisition").

The Acquisition was supported by banking facilities provided under the Facility Agreement (as defined below).

The execution by the Company of those documents listed below may constitute financial assistance under section 151 of the Companies Act 1985:

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COMPANY: COMPANY NO:

LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

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RIDER 4

Facility Agreement

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Legal Charge

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The date on which the assistance is to be given is within 8 weeks of the date hereof

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And X/we make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act 1835.

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COMPANY:

LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

COMPANY NO: 3193571

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LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

COMPANY NO:

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RIDER 2

The number and class of shares acquired is:

6,200,003 "A" ordinary shares x £1; 3,182,683 "B" ordinary shares x £1 in the Parent

LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

COMPANY NO:

3193571

RIDER 3

The Company is proposing to give financial assistance in connection with the acquisition by the Purchaser of the Parent's entire issued share capital (the "Acquisition").

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(the Accession Letter, the Facility Agreement and the Legal Charge together the "Finance Documents").

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COMPANY: COMPANY NO:

LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

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RIDER 4

Facility Agreement

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COMPANIES FORM No. 155(6)a

Declaration in relation to assistance for the acquisition of shares

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COMPANY:

LINDEN HOMES CHILTERN LIMITED (the "Company")

COMPANY NO:

3193571

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Declaration in relation to assistance for the acquisition of shares



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And **X**/we make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act 1835.

Declared at

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A Commissioner for Oaths or Notary Public or Justice of the Peace or a Solicitor having the powers conferred on

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David Kenneth Marcilen, Solicitor Matthew Arnold and Baldwin

21 Station Road Watford Hertfordshire WD17 1HT

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COMPANY NO:

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The Directors Linden Homes Chiltern Limited c/o Linden House Guards' Avenue Caterham-on-the-Hill Surrey, CR3 5XL

22 March 2007

Dear Sirs

Report of the Independent Auditor to the directors of Linden Homes Chiltern Limited pursuant to Section 156(4) of the Companies Act 1985

We report on the attached statutory declaration of the directors dated 22 March 2007, prepared pursuant to the Companies Act 1985, in connection with the proposal that the company should give financial assistance for the purchase of all of the ordinary shares of the company's intermediate holding company, Linden Holdings Limited. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company and the company's directors in accordance with Section 156 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving the opinion set out below, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

Basis of opinion

We have enquired into the state of the company's affairs in order to review the bases for the statutory declaration.

Opinion

We are not aware of anything to indicate that the opinion expressed by the directors in their statutory declaration as to any of the matters mentioned in Section 156(2) of the Companies Act 1985 is unreasonable in all the circumstances.

Yours faithfully

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors