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The Directors
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30 June 2004

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Dear Sirs

Notice of resignation as auditors

In accordance with Section 392 of the Companies Act 1985, we give notice that we are resigning as auditors of Bede Intermediate Company Limited, registered number 4154919 with effect from the date of this letter.

In accordance with Section 394 of the Companies Act 1985, we confirm that there are no circumstances connected with our resignation which we consider should be brought to the notice of the shareholders or creditors of Bede Intermediate Company Limited.

Yours faithfully,

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

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