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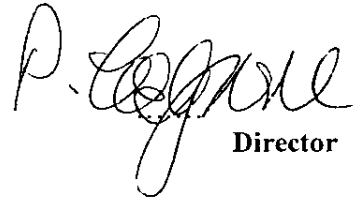
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PRIVATE COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES
COPY WRITTEN RESOLUTION
of
SPECIALIST CRANE HOLDINGS LIMITED
("Company")

PASSED ON 27 FEBRUARY 2015

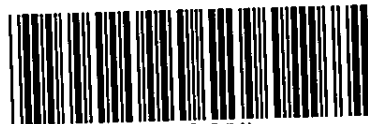
In accordance with the written resolution procedure in chapter 2 of part 13 of the Companies Act 2006, the following resolution was duly passed on **27 FEBRUARY** 2015 as special resolution as indicated below

SPECIAL RESOLUTION

- 1 **That** the draft articles of association in the form attached, and signed by a director for identification purposes, be adopted as the articles of association of the Company in substitution for, and to the exclusion of, the existing articles of association of the Company


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ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

OF

Specialist Crane Holdings Limited

(Adopted on 27 FEBRUARY 2015)

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ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

OF

**Specialist Crane Holdings Limited
("Company")**

(adopted by Written Resolution of the Company passed on **27 FEBRUARY 2015**)

PART 1: PRELIMINARY AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

1. Regulations and articles not to apply

No regulations or articles set out in any statute, or in any statutory instrument or other subordinate legislation made under any statute, concerning companies shall apply as the regulations or articles of the Company

2. Defined terms and interpretation

In these articles, unless the context requires otherwise

"Act" means the Companies Act 2006,

"appointor" has the meaning given in article 26 1,

"articles" means the Company's articles of association,

"bankruptcy" includes individual insolvency proceedings in a jurisdiction other than England and Wales or Northern Ireland which have an effect similar to that of bankruptcy,

"call" has the meaning given in article 37 1,

"call notice" has the meaning given in article 37 1,

"Cessation Date" means the date on which the Relevant Individual ceases to be an employee or director or consultant of any Group Member and is not continuing as an employee, director or consultant of any Group Member,

"chairman" has the meaning given in article 14 2,

"chairman of the meeting" has the meaning given in article 70 3,

"Companies Acts" means every statute for the time being in force concerning companies (including any statutory instrument or other subordinate legislation made under any such statute), so far as it applies to the Company;

"Company's lien" has the meaning given in article 35 1,

"Compulsory Sale Notice" means a notice served on a Compulsory Seller pursuant to article 49,

"Connected Persons" has the meaning given to it in section 1122 of the Corporation Taxes Act 2010,

"Controlling Interest" in relation to a person means the ownership by that person and his or its Connected Persons and/or persons acting in concert with such person, of shares carrying the right to more than 50% (fifty) per cent of the total number of votes which may be cast on a poll at a general meeting of the Company,

"director" means a director for the time being of the Company, and includes any person for the time being occupying the position of director, by whatever name called,

"distribution recipient" has the meaning given in article 57 2,

"document" includes, unless otherwise specified, any document sent or supplied in electronic form,

"electronic form" and **"electronic means"** have the meanings given to them in section 1168 of the Act,

"eligible director" means

- (a) in relation to a decision at a directors' meeting, a director who is to be counted as participating for quorum and voting purposes in the decision at the meeting, and
- (b) in relation to a directors' written resolution or a unanimous decision, a director who would have been counted as participating for quorum and voting purposes in the decision had the resolution or matter been proposed as a resolution at a directors' meeting,

"Family Trust" means, in relation to a shareholder or a deceased shareholder, a trust (whether arising under a settlement, declaration of trust, testamentary disposition or an intestacy) which does not permit any of the settled property or the income therefrom to be applied otherwise than for the benefit of

- (i) that shareholder and/or a Privileged Relation of that shareholder, or
- (ii) any charity or charities as default beneficiaries (meaning that such charity or charities have no immediately beneficial interest in any of the settled property or the income therefrom when the trust is created but may become so interested if there are no other beneficiaries from time to time except another such charity or charities), and no power of control over the voting powers conferred by any shares the subject of the trust is capable of being exercised by or subject to the consent of any person other than the trustees or such shareholder or his Privileged Relation,

"Founders" means each of Peter Cosgrove, Lynn Cosgrove, Joanna Loke, Royston Loke and John Chapell,

"fully paid" in relation to a share means that the nominal value and any premium to be paid to the Company in respect of that share have been paid to the Company,

"Group" means the Company, its subsidiary undertakings from time to time, any holding company of the Company and any subsidiary undertaking of any such holding company and references to a **"Group Member"** will be construed accordingly,

"hard copy form" has the meaning given in section 1168 of the Act,

"holder" in relation to shares means the person whose name is entered in the register of members as the holder of the shares,

"instrument" means a document in hard copy form,

"Lead Founders" means both of Peter Cosgrove and John Chappell,

"lien enforcement notice" has the meaning given in article 36 2,

"non-disclosable interest" has the meaning given in article 20 1,

"Nova" means Nova General Partner (Guernsey) Limited (registered in Guernsey under company number 44635) as general partner of Nova Capital Investments LP, Inc

"Nova Group" means Nova, its subsidiary undertakings, any holding company of Nova and any subsidiary of any such holding company,

"ordinary resolution" has the meaning given in section 282 of the Act,

"paid" means paid or credited as paid,

"participate", in relation to a directors' meeting, has the meaning given in article 12,

"partly paid" in relation to a share means that part of that share's nominal value or any premium at which it was issued has not been paid to the Company,

"Privileged Relation" in relation to a shareholder means the parents, spouse, widow or widower, children and grandchildren (including step and adopted children and their issue), step and adopted children of such children and grandchildren, siblings, brothers, sisters and nephews and nieces of the shareholder,

"proxy notice" has the meaning given in article 76 1,

"PRs" means the legal personal representatives of a deceased shareholder,

"Relevant Individual" means an employee or director or consultant of any Group Member but not, for the avoidance of doubt, any Privileged Relation of a Lead Founder,

"Sale Shares" means shares which a Seller wishes to transfer,

"Seller" means any shareholder who wishes to transfer any Shares,

"shareholder" means a person who is the holder of a share,

"Shareholders' Agreement" means the agreement dated on the date of adoption of these articles between (1) Nova (2) Jeremy Furniss and Timothy Lyle (3) the Founders (4) the Managers (5) the Remaining Shareholders and (6) the Company (such terms as defined therein),

"shares" means shares in the Company,

"special resolution" has the meaning given in section 283 of the Act,

"**subsidiary**" has the meaning given in section 1159 of the Act,

"**Total Transfer Condition**" means a condition in a Transfer Notice stipulating that such Transfer Notice is conditional upon all and not some only of the Sale Shares specified in it being sold,

"**Transfer Notice**" means a notice in writing by a Seller of his wish to transfer any shares

"**transmittee**" means a person entitled to a share by reason of the death or bankruptcy of a shareholder or otherwise by operation of law,

"**working day**" has the meaning given in section 1173(1) of the Act, and

"**writing**" and "**written**" means the representation or reproduction of words, symbols or other information in a visible form by any method or combination of methods, whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise

- 2 2 Unless the context requires otherwise, other words or expressions contained in these articles bear the same meaning as in the Act as in force on the date when these articles become binding on the Company
- 2 3 If, and for so long as, the Company has only one director, all references in these articles to "**directors**" (other than in those provisions which govern the decision-making by directors (articles 8 to 18) and directors' interests (articles 19 to 21)) shall be construed as a reference to that sole director
- 2 4 References in these articles to the day on which a notice is given are to the day on which the notice is deemed received in accordance with article 85
- 2 5 References to numbered "articles" are references to numbered provisions in these articles
- 2 6 Headings in these articles are used for convenience only and shall not affect the meaning of these articles
- 2 7 Where, for any purpose, an ordinary resolution of the Company is required, a special resolution is also effective for that purpose

3. Liability of members

The liability of the members of the Company is limited to the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares held by them

PART 2: OFFICERS

DIRECTORS' POWERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

4. Directors' general authority

Subject to the articles, the directors are responsible for the management of the Company's business, for which purpose they may exercise all the powers of the Company

5. Shareholders' reserve power

- 5 1 The shareholders may, by special resolution, direct the directors to take, or refrain from taking, specified action
- 5 2 No such special resolution invalidates anything which the directors have done before the passing of the resolution

6. Directors may delegate

- 6 1 Subject to the articles, the directors may delegate any of the powers which are conferred on them under the articles and which are not specifically reserved to the directors only
 - 6 1 1 to such person or committee,
 - 6 1 2 by such means (including by power of attorney),
 - 6 1 3 to such an extent,
 - 6 1 4 in relation to such matters or territories, and
 - 6 1 5 on such terms and conditions,

as they think fit

- 6 2 If the directors so specify, any such delegation may authorise further delegation of the directors' powers by any person to whom they are delegated
- 6 3 The directors may revoke any delegation in whole or part, or alter its terms and conditions

7. Committees

- 7 1 Committees to which the directors delegate any of their powers must follow procedures which are based as far as they are applicable on those provisions of the articles which govern decision-making by directors (articles 8 to 18)
- 7 2 The directors may make rules of procedure for all or any committees, which prevail over rules derived from the articles if they are not consistent with them

DECISION-MAKING BY DIRECTORS

8. Directors to take decisions collectively

- 8 1 Subject to the terms of the Shareholders Agreement, the general rule about decision-making by directors is that any decision of the directors must be
 - 8 1 1 a majority decision at a meeting,
 - 8 1 2 a majority decision by a directors' written resolution adopted in accordance with article 9, or
 - 8 1 3 a unanimous decision taken in accordance with article 10

- 8 2 If, and for so long as, the Company has only one director, the general rule does not apply, and the director may take decisions without regard to any of the provisions of the articles relating to directors' decision-making (articles 8 to 18)

9. Directors' written resolutions

- 9 1 Any director may propose a directors' written resolution and the company secretary (if any) must propose a directors' written resolution if a director so requests
- 9 2 Subject to article 9 3, a directors' written resolution is proposed by giving notice in writing of the proposed resolution to each director, unless the director is absent from the United Kingdom and has not given the Company an address to which such notices may be given by electronic means during his absence
- 9 3 Any director may waive his entitlement to notice of any proposed directors' written resolution, either prospectively or retrospectively, and any retrospective waiver shall not affect the validity of the directors' written resolution
- 9 4 A proposed directors' written resolution is adopted when a majority of the eligible directors have signed one or more copies of it, provided that those directors would have formed a quorum at a directors' meeting had the resolution been proposed at such a meeting. Once a directors' written resolution has been adopted, it must be treated as if it had been a decision taken at a directors' meeting in accordance with the articles
- 9 5 An alternate director may sign a proposed directors' written resolution (in addition to signing it in his capacity as a director in his own right, if relevant) on behalf of each of his appointors who
- 9 5 1 have not signed or are not to sign the directors' written resolution, and
- 9 5 2 are eligible directors in relation to the directors' written resolution,

provided that (a) the alternate director is himself an eligible director in relation to the directors' written resolution and (b) those persons actually signing the directors' written resolution would have formed a quorum at a directors' meeting had the resolution been proposed at such a meeting

10. Unanimous decisions

- 10 1 A unanimous decision of the directors is taken in accordance with this article when all eligible directors indicate to each other by any means that they share a common view on a matter. Once a unanimous decision of the directors has been taken, it must be treated as if it had been a decision taken at a directors' meeting in accordance with the articles
- 10 2 A decision may not be taken on a matter in accordance with this article if the eligible directors would not have formed a quorum at a directors' meeting had the matter been proposed as a resolution at such a meeting

10 3 An alternate director may participate in a unanimous decision of the directors (in addition to participating in his capacity as a director in his own right, if relevant) on behalf of each of his appointors who

10 3 1 are not participating in the unanimous decision, and

10 3 2 are eligible directors in relation to the decision,

provided that (a) the alternate director is himself an eligible director in relation to the decision and (b) those persons actually participating in the unanimous decision of the directors would have formed a quorum at a directors' meeting had the matter been proposed as a resolution at such a meeting

11. Calling a directors' meeting

11 1 Any director may call a directors' meeting by giving notice of the meeting to the directors or by authorising the company secretary (if any) to give such notice

11 2 Notice of any directors' meeting must indicate

11 2 1 its proposed date and time,

11 2 2 where it is to take place, and

11 2 3 if it is anticipated that directors participating in the meeting will not be in the same place, how it is proposed that they should communicate with each other during the meeting

11 3 Subject to article 11 4, notice of a directors' meeting must be given to each director, unless the director is absent from the United Kingdom and has not given the Company an address to which such notices may be given by electronic means during his absence. Notice does not need to be in writing. A director who participates in a meeting shall be deemed to have received proper notice of the meeting

11 4 Any director may waive his entitlement to notice of any directors' meeting, either prospectively or retrospectively, and any retrospective waiver shall not affect the validity of the meeting or of any business conducted at it

12. Participation in directors' meetings

12 1 Subject to the articles, directors participate in a directors' meeting, or part of a directors' meeting, when

12 1 1 the meeting has been called and takes place in accordance with the articles, and

12 1 2 they can each communicate to the others any information or opinions they have on any particular item of the business of the meeting

12 2 In determining whether directors are participating in a directors' meeting, it is irrelevant where any director is or how they communicate with each other

12 3 If all the directors participating in a meeting are not in the same place, they may decide that the meeting is to be treated as taking place wherever any of them is

13. Quorum for directors' meetings

- 13 1 At a directors' meeting, unless a quorum is participating, no proposal is to be voted on, except a proposal to call another meeting
- 13 2 The quorum for directors' meetings is two directors
- 13 3 Subject to the articles, a person who is an alternate director, but is not a director in his own right, may be counted as participating for the purposes of determining whether a quorum is participating in any decision at a directors' meeting, provided that his appointor (or one of his appointors)
 - 13 3 1 is not participating in the decision at the directors' meeting, and
 - 13 3 2 would have been an eligible director in relation to the decision if he had been participating in it
- 13 4 No alternate director may be counted as more than one director for the purposes of determining whether a quorum is participating in any decision at a directors' meeting

14. Chairing of directors' meetings

- 14 1 The directors may appoint a director to chair their meetings
- 14 2 The person so appointed for the time being is known as the chairman
- 14 3 The directors may terminate the chairman's appointment at any time
- 14 4 If the directors have not appointed a chairman, or if the chairman is not participating in a directors' meeting within 10 minutes of the time at which it was to start, the participating directors must appoint one of themselves to chair it

15. Voting at directors' meetings

- 15 1 A decision is taken at a directors' meeting by a majority of the votes of the eligible directors participating in the decision at the meeting
- 15 2 Subject to the articles, each director participating in a decision at a directors' meeting has one vote
- 15 3 Subject to the articles, an alternate director shall have one vote (in addition to his own vote in his capacity as a director in his own right, if relevant) on any decision at a directors' meeting for each of his appointors who
 - 15 3 1 are not participating in the decision at the directors' meeting, and
 - 15 3 2 would have been eligible directors in relation to the decision if they had been participating in it
- 15 4 If the numbers of votes for and against a proposal at a directors' meeting are equal, the chairman or other director chairing the meeting shall not have a casting vote But this does not apply if, in accordance with the articles, the chairman or other director chairing the meeting is not an eligible director in relation to the decision

16. Participating and voting when director interested

16 1 A director shall not be counted as participating for quorum and voting purposes in a decision at a directors' meeting to authorise a matter for the purposes of section 175 of the Act if, in accordance with section 175(6) of the Act, the matter is such that the authorisation would only be effective if

16 1 1 any requirement as to the quorum at the directors' meeting at which the matter is considered is met without him counting, and

16 1 2 the matter was agreed to without him voting or would have been agreed to if his vote had not been counted

16 2 Without prejudice to the obligations of any director

16 2 1 to disclose any interest in proposed or existing transactions or arrangements with the Company in accordance with the Companies Acts, and

16 2 2 to disclose any interest in accordance with article 20 1,

and subject always to article 16 1 and the terms on which any authorisation by the directors for the purposes of section 175 of the Act has been given, a director shall be counted as participating for quorum and voting purposes in any decision at a directors' meeting that is concerned with a matter in which he has, directly or indirectly, an interest

16 3 Subject to article 16 4, if a question arises at a directors' meeting as to the right of a director to be counted as participating for quorum or voting purposes in the meeting (or part of the meeting), the question may, before the conclusion of the meeting, be referred to the chairman, or other director chairing the meeting, whose ruling in relation to any director (other than himself) is to be final and conclusive

16 4 If any question arises at a directors' meeting as to the right of the chairman, or other director chairing the meeting, to be counted as participating for quorum or voting purposes in the meeting (or part of the meeting), the question is to be decided by a decision of the directors at that meeting, for which purpose the chairman, or other director chairing the meeting, is not to be counted as participating for quorum or voting purposes

17. Directors' discretion to make further rules

Subject to the articles and the Shareholders Agreement, the directors may make any rule which they think fit about how they take decisions, and about how such rules are to be recorded or communicated to directors

18. Records of directors' decisions to be kept

The directors must ensure that the Company keeps a record, in writing, for at least 10 years from the date of the decision recorded, of every unanimous or majority decision taken by the directors

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS

19. Transactions or arrangements with the Company

Subject to compliance with the Companies Acts (including sections 177 (*Duty to declare interest in proposed transaction or arrangement*) and 182 (*Declaration of interest in existing transaction or arrangement*) of the Act), a director may be a party to, or otherwise (directly or indirectly) interested in, any transaction or arrangement with the Company

20. Directors' conflicts of interest

20 1 Provided that a director has declared the nature and extent of his interest (other than a non-disclosable interest) to the other directors, he shall be authorised for the purposes of section 175 of the Act

20 1 1 to hold office as a director or other officer of, be employed or engaged by, hold shares or other securities in, or otherwise be interested in, whether directly or indirectly, any Group Member or any other undertaking in which the Company is otherwise (directly or indirectly) interested,

20 1 2 to participate in any scheme, transaction or arrangement for the benefit of employees or former employees of the Company or any Group Member (including any pension fund or retirement, death or disability scheme or other bonus or employee benefit scheme),

20 1 3 to act as a trustee of any scheme for the benefit of employees or former employees of the Company or any Group Member (including any pension, retirement, death or disability scheme or other bonus or employee benefit scheme),

20 1 4 to enter into, or otherwise be interested in, whether directly or indirectly, any transaction or arrangement in which the Company is (directly or indirectly) interested (other than a transaction or arrangement with the Company), and

20 1 5 to be a party to any transaction or arrangement with any Group Member or any other undertaking in which the Company is otherwise (directly or indirectly) interested

A "non-disclosable interest" is an interest which cannot reasonably be regarded as likely to give rise to a conflict of interest or one that the other directors are already aware of or ought reasonably to be aware of

20 2 The following provisions of this article apply to any authorisation of a matter by the directors for the purposes of section 175 of the Act

20 2 1 an authorisation may extend to any actual or potential conflict of interest (including a conflict of interest and duty and a conflict of duties) which may reasonably be expected to arise out of the matter so authorised,

20 2 2 an authorisation shall be subject to such conditions or limitations as the directors may determine, whether at the time such authorisation is given or subsequently, and may be terminated by the directors at any time, and

20 2 3 a director must comply with any obligations imposed on him by the directors pursuant to any authorisation

20 3 If a matter, office, employment, engagement, position, transaction or arrangement or interest has been authorised either pursuant to article 20 1 or by the directors in accordance with section 175 of the Act, then the director in question shall not be required to disclose to the Company any confidential information received by him (other than by virtue of his position as a director) relating to such matter, office, employment, engagement, position, transaction or arrangement or interest, or to use such information in relation to the Company's affairs, if to do so would result in a breach of a duty or obligation of confidence owed by him in relation to or in connection with that matter, office, employment, engagement, position, transaction or arrangement or interest

21. Accounting for profit when interested

21 1 Subject always to the obligation of the director to disclose his interest in proposed or existing transactions or arrangements with the Company in accordance with the Companies Acts

21 1 1 a director shall not be accountable to the Company for any profit, remuneration or other benefit which he (or a person connected with him as defined in section 252 of the Act) derives from or in connection with any interest (whether directly or indirectly) in any transaction or arrangement with the Company,

21 1 2 no such transaction or arrangement shall be liable to be avoided on the grounds of any such interest, profit, remuneration or benefit, and

21 1 3 the receipt of any such profit, remuneration or other benefit shall not constitute a breach of his duty under section 176 of the Act

21 2 Subject always to the obligation of the director to disclose his interest in accordance with article 20 1 and to the terms on which any authorisation for the purposes of section 175 of the Act has been given

21 2 1 a director shall not be accountable to the Company for any profit, remuneration or other benefit which he (or a person connected with him as defined in section 252 of the Act) derives from or in connection with anything authorised pursuant to article 20 1 or by the directors for the purposes of section 175 of the Act,

21 2 2 no such thing authorised shall be liable to be avoided on the grounds of any such interest, profit, remuneration or benefit, and

21 2 3 the receipt of any such profit, remuneration or other benefit shall not constitute a breach of his duty under section 176 of the Act

DIRECTORS' TERMS OF OFFICE

22. Methods of appointing directors

- 22 1 Any person who is willing to act as a director, and is permitted by law to do so, may be appointed to be a director
 - 22 1 1 by ordinary resolution,
 - 22 1 2 by notice in writing to the Company signed by (or, in the case of a corporation, signed on its behalf by a director or by a person authorised by a decision of the directors or other governing body) the holder or holders of a majority in nominal value of the shares (and may consist of several documents in similar form each signed by or on behalf of one or more holders), such appointment to take effect when the notice is received by the Company or on such later date (if any) specified in the notice, or
 - 22 1 3 by a decision of the directors
- 22 2 Nova will have the right to appoint one person as a non-executive director of the Company ("**Nova Director**") Any such appointment must be effected by notice in writing to the Company by Nova who may in a similar manner remove from office the Nova Director and appoint another person in his place
- 22 3 In any case where, as a result of death or bankruptcy, the Company has no shareholders and no directors, the transmittee(s) of the last shareholder to have died or to have a bankruptcy order made against him (as the case may be) have the right, by notice in writing to the Company, to appoint a person who is willing to act as a director, and is permitted by law to do so, to be a director, such appointment to take effect when the notice is received by the Company or on such later date (if any) specified in the notice
- 22 4 For the purposes of article 22 2, where two or more shareholders die in circumstances rendering it uncertain who was the last to die, a younger shareholder is deemed to have survived an older shareholder

23. Termination of director's appointment

- 23 1 A person ceases to be a director as soon as
 - 23 1 1 that person is removed as a director
 - 23 1 1 1 by ordinary resolution, or
 - 23 1 1 2 by notice in writing to the Company signed by (or, in the case of a corporation, signed on its behalf by a director or by a person authorised by a decision of the directors or other governing body) the holder or holders of a majority in nominal value of the shares (and may consist of several documents in similar form each signed by or on behalf of one or more holders), such removal to take effect when the notice is received by the Company or on such later date (if any) specified in the notice,

provided that any such removal shall be without prejudice to any claim such director may have for breach of any contract of service between him and the Company,

23 1 2 that person ceases to be a director by virtue of any provision of the Companies Acts (including pursuant to section 168 of the Act) or is prohibited from being a director by law,

23 1 3 a bankruptcy order is made against that person,

23 1 4 a composition or arrangement is made with that person's creditors generally in satisfaction of that person's debts,

23 1 5 a registered medical practitioner who is treating that person gives a written opinion to the Company stating that that person has become physically or mentally incapable of acting as a director and may remain so for more than three months,

23 1 6 notice in writing is received by the Company from the director that he is resigning from office, and such resignation has taken effect in accordance with its terms, or

23 2 save that, articles 23 1 1 and 23 1 2 shall not apply to the Nova Director who shall be removed by Nova in accordance with article 22 2

24. Directors' remuneration

24 1 Directors may undertake any services for the Company that the directors decide

24 2 Directors are entitled to such remuneration as the directors determine

24 2 1 for their services to the Company as directors, and

24 2 2 for any other service which they undertake for the Company

24 3 Subject to the articles, a director's remuneration may

24 3 1 take any form, and

24 3 2 include any arrangements in connection with the payment of a pension, allowance or gratuity, or any death, sickness or disability benefits, to or in respect of that director

24 4 Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors' remuneration accrues from day to day

24 5 An alternate director is not entitled to receive any remuneration from the Company for serving as an alternate director, except such part of his appointor's remuneration as the appointor may direct by notice in writing made to the Company

25. Directors' expenses

The Company may pay any reasonable expenses which the directors properly incur in connection with their attendance at

- 25 1 meetings of directors or committees of directors,
- 25 2 general meetings, or
- 25 3 separate meetings of the holders of any class of shares or of debentures of the Company,

or otherwise in connection with the exercise of their powers and the discharge of their responsibilities in relation to the Company

ALTERNATE DIRECTORS

26. Appointment and removal of alternate directors

- 26 1 Any director (other than an alternate director) ("appointor") may appoint as an alternate any person willing to act to

- 26 1 1 exercise that director's powers, and

- 26 1 2 carry out that director's responsibilities,

in relation to the taking of decisions by the directors in the absence of the alternate's appointor, and may remove from office an alternate so appointed by him

- 26 2 Any appointment or removal of an alternate must be effected by notice in writing to the Company signed by the appointor, or in any other manner approved by the directors. The appointment or removal shall take effect when the notice is received by the Company or on such later date (if any) specified in the notice

- 26 3 The notice must

- 26 3 1 identify the proposed or existing alternate, and

- 26 3 2 in the case of a notice of appointment, contain (or be accompanied by) a statement signed by the proposed alternate that the proposed alternate is willing to act as the alternate of the director giving the notice

- 26 4 A person may act as an alternate for more than one director

27. Rights and responsibilities of alternate directors

- 27 1 Except as the articles specify otherwise, alternate directors

- 27 1 1 are deemed for all purposes to be directors,

- 27 1 2 are liable for their own acts and omissions,

- 27 1 3 are subject to the same restrictions as their appointors, and

27 1 4 are not deemed to be agents of or for their appointors

27 2 Subject to the articles, an alternate director has the same rights in relation to any decision of the directors and any meetings of committees of directors as each of the alternate's appointors. In particular, each alternate director is entitled to receive notice of all proposed directors' written resolutions and of all directors' meetings and meetings of committees of directors which each of his appointors is entitled to receive (disregarding, for these purposes, any absence of such appointor from the United Kingdom), unless the alternate director is absent from the United Kingdom and has not given the Company an address to which such notices may be given by electronic means during his absence

28. Termination of alternate directorship

An alternate director's appointment as an alternate for an appointor terminates

28 1 when that appointor removes his alternate director in accordance with article 26,

28 2 on the occurrence in relation to the alternate director of any event which, if it occurred in relation to that appointor, would result in the termination of that appointor's appointment as a director,

28 3 on the death of that appointor,

28 4 when that appointor's appointment as a director terminates, or

28 5 when notice in writing is received by the Company from the alternate director that he is resigning as an alternate director of that appointor, and such resignation has taken effect in accordance with its terms

COMPANY SECRETARY

29. Secretary's terms of office

The directors may appoint any person who is willing to act to be the company secretary for such term and on such conditions as they think fit, and may remove any company secretary so appointed

PART 3: SHARES AND DISTRIBUTIONS

SHARES

30. Issue of shares

30 1 In accordance with section 567(1) of the Act, sections 561 and 562 of the Act shall not apply to an allotment of equity securities (within the meaning of section 560 of the Act) by the Company

30 2 Notwithstanding article 30 1, unless the Company by special resolution directs otherwise, any new shares will be offered by the directors for subscription to the holders of the existing shares pro rata to the nominal amount of the shares held by such holders respectively at that time

- 30 3 The offer will be made by notice specifying the number of shares offered, the price per share and a time (being not less than 14 days) within which the offer, if not accepted, will deemed to be declined
- 30 4 At the end of that period, the directors will offer the declined shares ("**Declined Shares**") to the holders of shares who have accepted all the shares initially offered to them, inviting such holders to apply for such number of the Declined Shares as they may specify in their application. This further offer will be made in the same manner as the original offer after which it will (to the extent that any shares remain unaccepted) be deemed to have been withdrawn
- 30 5 After the expiry of the relevant offer period prescribed by Article 30 4, the Board will within seven days allocate the Declined Shares as follows
- 30 5 1 if the total number of Declined Shares applied for is equal to or less than the available number of Declined Shares, each offeree will be allocated the number applied for in accordance with his application, or
- 30 5 2 if the total number of Declined Shares applied for is greater than the available number of Declined Shares, applications will be satisfied pro rata by reference to the proportion that the number of shares held by each such applicant for Declined Shares bears to the total number of shares held by all such applicants

31. Powers to issue different classes of share

- 31 1 Subject to the articles, but without prejudice to the rights attached to any existing share, the Company may issue shares with such rights or restrictions as may be determined by ordinary resolution
- 31 2 The Company may issue shares which are to be redeemed, or are liable to be redeemed at the option of the Company or the holder. The terms, conditions and manner of redemption of any such shares may be determined by the directors or otherwise shall be set out in the articles

32. Company not bound by less than absolute interests

Except as required by law, no person is to be recognised by the Company as holding any share upon any trust, and except as otherwise required by law or the articles, the Company is not in any way to be bound by or recognise any interest in a share other than the holder's absolute ownership of it and all the rights attaching to it

33. Share certificates

- 33 1 The Company must issue each shareholder, free of charge, with one or more certificates in respect of the shares which that shareholder holds
- 33 2 Every certificate must specify
- 33 2 1 in respect of how many shares, of what class, it is issued,
- 33 2 2 the nominal value of those shares,

33 2 3 the amount paid up on them (including both the nominal value and any share premium), and

33 2 4 any distinguishing numbers assigned to them

33 3 No certificate may be issued in respect of shares of more than one class

33 4 If more than one person holds a share, only one certificate may be issued in respect of it

33 5 Certificates must be executed in accordance with the Companies Acts

34. Replacement share certificates

34 1 If a certificate issued in respect of a shareholder's shares is

34 1 1 damaged or defaced, or

34 1 2 said to be lost, stolen or destroyed,

that shareholder is entitled to be issued with a replacement certificate in respect of the same shares

34 2 A shareholder exercising the right to be issued with such a replacement certificate

34 2 1 may at the same time exercise the right to be issued with a single certificate or separate certificates,

34 2 2 must return the certificate which is to be replaced to the Company if it is damaged or defaced, and

34 2 3 must comply with such conditions as to evidence, indemnity and the payment of a reasonable fee as the directors decide

35. Company's lien

35 1 The Company has a lien ("**Company's lien**") over every share which is not fully paid for any part of

35 1 1 that share's nominal value, and

35 1 2 any premium at which it was issued,

which has not been paid to the Company, and which is payable immediately or at some time in the future, whether or not a call notice has been sent in respect of it

35 2 The Company's lien over a share

35 2 1 takes priority over any third party's interest in that share, and

35 2 2 extends to any dividends or other sums payable by the Company in respect of that share and (if the lien is enforced and the share is sold by the Company) the proceeds of sale of that share

- 35 3 The directors may at any time decide that a share which is or would otherwise be subject to the Company's lien shall not be subject to it, either wholly or in part

36. Enforcement of the Company's lien

- 36 1 Subject to the provisions of this article, if

36 1 1 a lien enforcement notice has been given in respect of a share, and

36 1 2 the person to whom the notice was given has failed to comply with it,

the Company may sell that share in such manner as the directors decide

- 36 2 A lien enforcement notice

36 2 1 may only be given in respect of a share which is subject to the Company's lien, in respect of which a sum is payable and the due date for payment of that sum has passed,

36 2 2 must specify the share concerned,

36 2 3 must be in writing and require payment of the sum payable within 14 clear days of the notice (that is, excluding the day on which the notice is given and the day on which that 14 day period expires),

36 2 4 must be addressed either to the holder of the share or to a transmittee entitled to it, and

36 2 5 must state the Company's intention to sell the share if the notice is not complied with

- 36 3 Where shares are sold under this article

36 3 1 the directors may authorise any person to execute an instrument of transfer of the shares to the purchaser or a person nominated by the purchaser, and

36 3 2 the transferee is not bound to see to the application of the consideration, and the transferee's title is not affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to the sale.

- 36 4 The net proceeds of any such sale (after payment of the costs of sale and any other costs of enforcing the lien) must be applied

36 4 1 first, in payment of so much of the sum for which the lien exists as was payable at the date of the lien enforcement notice, and

36 4 2 secondly, to the person entitled to the shares immediately before the sale, but only after the certificate for the shares sold has been surrendered to the Company for cancellation or an indemnity in a form reasonably satisfactory to the directors has been given for any lost certificates, and provided that the Company's lien shall also apply to such proceeds for any money payable in respect of the shares after the date of the lien enforcement notice

36 5 A statutory declaration by a director or the company secretary (if any) that the declarant is a director or the company secretary (as applicable) and that a share has been sold to satisfy the Company's lien on a specified date

36 5 1 is conclusive evidence of the facts stated in it as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share, and

36 5 2 subject to compliance with any other formalities of transfer required by the articles or by law, constitutes a good title to the share

37. Call notices

37 1 Subject to the articles and the terms on which shares are allotted, the directors may send a notice (a "**call notice**") to a shareholder requiring the shareholder to pay the Company a specified sum of money (a "**call**") which is payable in respect of shares which that shareholder holds (whether solely or jointly with others) at the date when the directors decide to send the call notice

37 2 A call notice

37 2 1 may not require a shareholder to pay a call which exceeds the total sum unpaid on that shareholder's shares (whether as to the share's nominal value or any amount payable to the Company by way of premium),

37 2 2 must be in writing and state when and how any call to which it relates it is to be paid, and

37 2 3 may permit or require the call to be paid by instalments

37 3 A shareholder must comply with the requirements of a call notice, but no shareholder is obliged to pay any call before 14 clear days have passed since the notice was sent (that is, excluding the day on which the call notice is given and the day on which that 14 day period expires)

37 4 Before the Company has received any call due under a call notice, the directors may

37 4 1 revoke it wholly or in part, or

37 4 2 specify a later time for payment than is specified in the notice,

by a further notice in writing to the shareholder in respect of whose shares the call is made

38. Liability to pay calls

38 1 Liability to pay a call is not extinguished or transferred by transferring the shares in respect of which it is required to be paid

38 2 Joint holders of a share are jointly and severally liable to pay all calls in respect of that share

38 3 Subject to the terms on which shares are allotted, the directors may, when issuing shares, provide that call notices sent to the holders of those shares may require them

38 3 1 to pay calls which are not the same, or

38 3 2 to pay calls at different times

39. When call notice need not be issued

39 1 A call notice need not be issued in respect of sums which are specified, in the terms on which a share is issued, as being payable to the Company in respect of that share (whether in respect of nominal value or premium)

39 1 1 on allotment,

39 1 2 on the occurrence of a particular event, or

39 1 3 on a date fixed by or in accordance with the terms of issue

39 2 But if the due date for payment of such a sum has passed and it has not been paid, the holder of the share concerned is treated in all respects as having failed to comply with a call notice in respect of that sum, and is liable to the same consequences as regards the payment of interest and forfeiture

40. Failure to comply with call notice: automatic consequences

40 1 If a person is liable to pay a call and fails to do so by the call payment date

40 1 1 the directors may issue a notice of intended forfeiture to that person, and

40 1 2 until the call is paid, that person must pay the Company interest on the call from the call payment date at the relevant rate

40 2 For the purposes of this article

40 2 1 "**call payment date**" means the time when the call notice states that a call is to be paid, unless the directors give a notice in writing specifying a later date, in which case the "**call payment date**" is that later date,

40 2 2 "**relevant rate**" means

40 2 2 1 the rate fixed by the terms on which the share in respect of which the call is due was allotted,

40 2 2 2 such other rate as was fixed in the call notice which required payment of the call, or has otherwise been determined by the directors, or

40 2 2 3 if no rate is fixed in either of these ways, five per cent per annum

40 3 The relevant rate must not exceed by more than five percentage points the base lending rate most recently set by the Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England in connection with its responsibilities under Part 2 of the Bank of England Act 1998

40 4 The directors may waive any obligation to pay interest on a call wholly or in part

41. Notice of intended forfeiture

A notice of intended forfeiture

- 41 1 may be sent in respect of any share in respect of which a call has not been paid as required by a call notice,
- 41 2 must be in writing and sent to the holder of that share or to a transmittee entitled to it,
- 41 3 must require payment of the call and any accrued interest by a date which is not less than 14 clear days after the date of the notice (that is, excluding the day on which the notice is given and the day on which that 14 day period expires),
- 41 4 must state how the payment is to be made, and
- 41 5 must state that if the notice is not complied with, the shares in respect of which the call is payable will be liable to be forfeited

42. Directors' power to forfeit shares

If a notice of intended forfeiture is not complied with before the date by which payment of the call is required in the notice of intended forfeiture, the directors may decide that any share in respect of which such notice was given is forfeited, and the forfeiture is to include all dividends or other sums payable in respect of the forfeited shares and not paid before the forfeiture

43. Effect of forfeiture

- 43 1 Subject to the articles, the forfeiture of a share extinguishes
 - 43 1 1 all interests in that share, and all claims and demands against the Company in respect of it, and
 - 43 1 2 all other rights and liabilities incidental to the share as between the person whose share it was before the forfeiture and the Company
- 43 2 Any share which is forfeited in accordance with the articles
 - 43 2 1 is deemed to have been forfeited when the directors decide that it is forfeited,
 - 43 2 2 is deemed to be the property of the Company, and
 - 43 2 3 may be sold, re-allotted or otherwise disposed of as the directors think fit
- 43 3 If a person's shares have been forfeited
 - 43 3 1 the Company must send that person notice in writing that forfeiture has occurred and record it in the register of members,
 - 43 3 2 that person ceases to be a shareholder in respect of those shares,
 - 43 3 3 that person must surrender the certificate for the shares forfeited to the Company for cancellation,

43 3 4 that person remains liable to the Company for all sums payable by that person under the articles at the date of forfeiture in respect of those shares, including any interest (whether accrued before or after the date of forfeiture), and

43 3 5 the directors may waive payment of such sums wholly or in part or enforce payment without any allowance for the value of the shares at the time of forfeiture or for any consideration received on their disposal

43 4 At any time before the Company disposes of a forfeited share, the directors may decide to cancel the forfeiture on payment of all calls and interest due in respect of it and on such other terms as they think fit

44. Procedure following forfeiture

44 1 If a forfeited share is to be disposed of by being transferred, the Company may receive the consideration for the transfer and the directors may authorise any person to execute the instrument of transfer

44 2 A statutory declaration by a director or the company secretary (if any) that the declarant is a director or the company secretary (as applicable) and that a share has been forfeited on a specified date

44 2 1 is conclusive evidence of the facts stated in it as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share, and

44 2 2 subject to compliance with any other formalities of transfer required by the articles or by law, constitutes a good title to the share

44 3 A person to whom a forfeited share is transferred is not bound to see to the application of the consideration (if any), nor is that person's title to the share affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to the forfeiture or transfer of the share

44 4 If the Company sells a forfeited share, the person who held it before its forfeiture is entitled to receive from the Company the net proceeds of such sale, after payment of the costs of sale and any other costs relating to the forfeiture of the share, and excluding any amount which

44 4 1 was, or would have become, payable, and

44 4 2 had not, when that share was forfeited, been paid by that person in respect of that share,

but no interest is payable to such a person in respect of such proceeds, and the Company is not required to account for any money earned on them

45. Surrender of shares

45 1 A shareholder may surrender any share

45 1 1 in respect of which the directors may issue a notice of intended forfeiture,

45 1 2 which the directors may forfeit, or

45 1 3 which has been forfeited

45 2 The directors may accept the surrender of any such share

45 3 The effect of surrender on a share is the same as the effect of forfeiture on that share

45 4 A share which has been surrendered may be dealt with in the same way as a share which has been forfeited

46. Share transfers

46 1 Shares may be transferred by means of an instrument of transfer in any usual form or any other form approved by the directors, which is executed by or on behalf of the transferor and (if any of the shares are not fully paid) by and on behalf of the transferee

46 2 No fee may be charged for registering any instrument of transfer or other document relating to or affecting the title to any share

46 3 The Company may retain any instrument of transfer which is registered

46 4 The transferor remains the holder of a share until the transferee's name is entered in the register of members as holder of it

46.5 General Prohibitions

The directors will not register any transfer of shares to any person who, in the opinion of the directors, is carrying on business directly or indirectly in competition with any member of the Group, except this restriction will not apply to any transfer of shares pursuant to articles 53 or 54 (Tag Along Rights and Drag Along Rights)

46.6 Prohibition unless in accordance with these articles

46 6 1 Subject to article 46 5, the directors will not register a transfer of shares unless the transfer is permitted by article 47 (Permitted Transfers) or has been made in accordance with article 48 (Pre-emption),

46 6 2 For the purposes of ensuring that a particular transfer of shares is permitted under the provisions of these articles, the Board may request the transferor, or the person named as transferee in any transfer lodged for registration, to furnish the Company with such information and evidence as the Board may reasonably think necessary or relevant. Failing such information or evidence being furnished to the satisfaction of the Board within a period of 14 days after such request, the Board shall be entitled to refuse to register the transfer in question

47. Permitted Transfers

47 1 Where any shares are the subject of a Transfer Notice, no transfers of any such shares shall be permitted pursuant to this article 47

47 2 Subject to article 47 1, any Share may be transferred without following the pre-emption procedure in article 48

- 47 2 1 when required by, and in accordance with, article 49 (Compulsory Transfers),
or
- 47 2 2 to a Buyer in acceptance of and in accordance with an Approved Offer
pursuant to article 53 (Tag Along Rights) or article 54 (Drag Along Rights),
or
- 47 2 3 with the consent in writing of the Lead Founders and Nova, each of whom
are at that time the registered holders of any shares in the Company,
- 47 2 4 by Nova to any member of the Nova Group In the event that the transferee
ceases to be a member of the Nova Group whilst it holds any shares, such
transferee shall before the cessation transfer the shares held by it to a member
of the Nova Group, or
- 47 2 5 to a Privileged Relation or Family Trust of a shareholder, save that any shares
transferred pursuant to this article may only be transferred by such Privileged
Relation or Family Trust pursuant to this article, to another Privileged
Relation or Family Trust of the shareholder who originally transferred such
shares

48. Pre-Emption

48.1 Transfer Notices

- 48 1 1 Except in the case of a transfer pursuant to article 47, and subject to
article 46, any shareholder wishing to transfer any shares must give a
Transfer Notice to the Company
- 48 1 2 Each Transfer Notice will (except as provided in article 49 (Compulsory
Transfers)) specify
 - 48 1 2 1 the number and class of Sale Shares, and
 - 48 1 2 2 whether or not the Transfer Notice is subject to a Total Transfer
Condition In the absence of any such stipulation, it will be
deemed not to be so conditional No Total Transfer Condition
will apply in respect of any Transfer Notice deemed to have been
given pursuant to article 49
- 48 1 3 A separate Transfer Notice shall be given or be deemed to be given in respect
of each class of Sale Share
- 48 1 4 No Transfer Notice will be capable of variation or cancellation without the
consent of the Board

48.2 Transfer Price

- 48 2 1 The Transfer Notice will constitute the Company as the agent of the Seller for
the transfer of the Sale Shares in accordance with this article 48 at the
following price ("**Transfer Price**")
 - 48 2 1 1 the price agreed between (a) the Seller and (b) the Board, or

48 2 1 2 in default of agreement within 14 days after the date of service or deemed service of the Transfer Notice under article 48 1 1, the price which the Company's auditors (acting as experts and not as arbitrators) shall certify to be in their opinion a fair value thereof on a going concern basis as between a willing seller and a willing buyer (i) ignoring any reduction in value which may be ascribed to the Sale Shares by virtue of the fact that they represent a minority interest and (ii) on the assumption that the Sale Shares are capable of transfer without restriction as at the date of service or deemed service of the Transfer Notice

48 2 2 If the Company's auditors are asked to certify the fair value as aforesaid their certificate shall be delivered to the Company and as soon as the Company receives the certificate it shall furnish a certified copy thereof to the Seller and save for shares sold pursuant to a deemed Transfer Notice, the Seller shall be entitled by notice in writing given to the Company within five days of the service upon him of the certified copy, to cancel the Company's authority to sell the Sale Shares. The cost of obtaining the certificate shall be borne by the Company unless the Seller shall give notice of cancellation as aforesaid in which case the Seller shall bear the cost

48.3 Pre-emption Procedure

48 3 1 Within 14 days after its receipt of a Transfer Notice or, where later, on the determination of the Transfer Price, the Company (in its capacity as agent for the Seller) will give notice in writing to each of the shareholders (other than the Seller and any other shareholders who has served or who is deemed to have served a Transfer Notice in respect of his entire holding of shares pursuant to which the sale of such shares has not then been concluded) offering the Sale Shares for sale to such shareholders giving details of the number and the Sale Price of such Sale Shares

48 3 2 It will be a term of the offer that, if there is competition between the shareholders for the Sale Shares offered, such Sale Shares will be treated as offered among the shareholders to whom the relevant offer has been made in proportion (as nearly as possible) to their existing holdings of shares ("**Proportionate Entitlement**") The offer will also invite the offerees to indicate in their application for Sale Shares, whether they would be willing to buy shares in excess of their Proportionate Entitlement should any such shares be available and, if so, how many ("**Extra Shares**")

48.4 Allocation of shares

After the expiry of the offer period specified in article 48 3 the Board will within seven days allocate the Sale Shares as follows

48 4 1 if the total number of Sale Shares applied for (including Extra Shares) is equal to or less than the available number of Sale Shares, each offeree will be allocated the number applied for in accordance with his application (subject to article 48 8), or

48 4 2 if the total number of Sale Shares applied for is greater than the available number of Sale Shares, each offeree will be allocated his Proportionate

Entitlement, or, if less, the number of Sale Shares which he has applied for, and

48 4 3 applications for Extra Shares will be allocated in accordance with such applications or, in the event of competition between the shareholders among those applying for Extra Shares, in such proportions as equal (as nearly as possible) the proportions of all the shares held by such offerees

provided that no person will be obliged to take more than the maximum number of Sale Shares which he has indicated to the Company he is willing to purchase

48.5 Completion of sale and purchase of Sale Shares

48 5 1 The Company will immediately upon allocating any Sale Shares give notice in writing ("**Allocation Notice**") to the Seller and to each person to whom Sale Shares have been allocated specifying

48 5 1 1 the number of Sale Shares so allocated,

48 5 1 2 the aggregate price payable for them,

48 5 1 3 any additional information required by article 48 7 (if applicable), and

48 5 2 (Subject to article 48 7) the place and time (being not later than seven days after the date of the Allocation Notice) at which the sale of the Sale Shares will be completed

48 6 Subject to article 48 7, completion of the sale and purchase of Sale Shares in accordance with the Allocation Notice will take place at the place and time specified in the Allocation Notice when the Seller will, upon payment of the due price, transfer those Sale Shares specified in the Allocation Notice and deliver the relevant share certificates to the persons to whom they have been allocated

48 7 If the Transfer Notice included a Total Transfer Condition and the total number of shares applied for is less than the number of Sale Shares

48 7 1 the Allocation Notice will refer to such Total Transfer Condition and will contain a further offer, open for 14 days, to those persons to whom Sale Shares have been allocated to apply for further Sale Shares, and

48 7 2 completion of the transfer in accordance with the preceding paragraphs of this article 48 will be conditional upon all such Sale Shares being so allocated

48.8 Default by the Seller

If the Seller fails by the due completion date to execute and deliver transfers in respect of any of the Sale Shares which he is due to transfer, the Board may (and will if requested by Nova) authorise any director to

48 8 1 execute and deliver the necessary transfer(s) on the Seller's behalf, and

48 8 2 against receipt by the Company of the Transfer Price payable for the relevant Sale Shares (the receipt being a good discharge to the offeree who will not be bound to see to the application of it), deliver such transfer(s) to the relevant offeree(s)

The Board will authorise registration of the transfer(s), and of the offeree(s) as the holder(s) of the Sale Shares so transferred, once appropriate stamp duty has been paid. After registration, the title of such offeree(s) as registered holder(s) of such Sale Shares will not be affected by any irregularity in, or invalidity of such proceedings, which will not be questioned by any person

48.9 Exhaustion of pre-emption rights - rights and restrictions with regard to sale to a third party

Immediately after the exhaustion of any pre-emption process followed in accordance with this article 48, if any Sale Shares remain unallocated, the Company will notify the Seller of that fact. The Seller may, at any time within one calendar month after receiving such notice, transfer any unsold Sale Shares to, subject to article 46 5, any person at any price which is not less than the Transfer Price in respect of the relevant class of Sale Shares, except that if the Seller included a Total Transfer Condition in a Transfer Notice which has not been satisfied, the Seller will only be entitled to transfer all (but not some only) of the Sale Shares the subject of that Transfer Notice

49. Compulsory Transfers

49 1 If a Relevant Individual ceases to be an employee and/or director and/or consultant of any member of the Group and is not continuing as either an employee, director or consultant of any member of the Group

49 1 1 in the case of the Lead Founders, due to summary dismissal or summary termination of his contract of employment or the contract under which he is engaged by the relevant member of the Group (as the case may be) by reason of (a) fraud or (b) gross misconduct, and

49 1 2 in the case of any other person, for any reason,

there shall, unless the directors agree otherwise within one month of the Cessation Date, be deemed to have been served Transfer Notice(s) by the Relevant Individual (and the PRs of that deceased shareholder or the trustee in bankruptcy of that bankrupt shareholder) (each a "**Compulsory Seller**" and together "**Compulsory Sellers**") in respect of all the shares held by the Relevant Individual and all the shares held by the Privileged Relations, Family Trusts or other persons to whom the Relevant Individual has transferred shares pursuant to article 47 2 3

49 2 The shares which are the subject of such a deemed Transfer Notice will be offered for sale (other than to any Compulsory Seller or any other shareholder who has served or who is deemed to have served a Transfer Notice in respect of his entire holding of shares which is still outstanding) in accordance with the provisions of article 48, which will apply except to the extent that they are varied by this article 49, as if the Transfer Notice were deemed served on the date 40 days after the Cessation Date. If a Transfer Notice is deemed served in accordance with article 49 1, no further Transfer Notice shall be issued in respect of such shares during the process set out in article 48 and the Board may also determine, in its absolute discretion, to revoke any

Transfer Notice previously given by the Compulsory Seller(s) in accordance with article 48 which is still outstanding at the Cessation Date

49.3 Sale Price

The price for any shares the subject of a Transfer Notice deemed given in accordance with this article 49 will be as follows

49 3 1 if the Relevant Individual is a Bad Leaver, the price shall be the lower of (a) the issue price of the relevant shares (or, where any of the shares were acquired by a Compulsory Seller by way of transfer, the lower of the issue price (including any premium) and the amount paid by such Compulsory Seller on the transfer) and (b) the Market Value of the shares on the Cessation Date,

49 3 2 if the Relevant Individual is a Good Leaver, the price shall be the Market Value of the shares on the Cessation Date

49 4 For the purposes of article 49 3

49 4 1 "**Market Value**" will be

(a) the price agreed between (i) the Compulsory Seller(s) and (ii) the Board, or

(b) if they fail to agree a price within 21 days of the Cessation Date, the price determined by the Auditors to be the Market Value of such shares on the Cessation Date, according to the principles set out in article 48 2 1 2,

49 4 2 a "**Good Leaver**" is a Relevant Individual who ceases to be an employee and/or director and/or consultant (a) because of his death or permanent illness or incapacity or (b) his retirement at normal retirement age in accordance with the terms of his contract of employment or engagement or retirement earlier than such normal retirement age with the prior agreement and consent of the Board or (c) who the Board categorises in their absolute discretion as a Good Leaver, and

49 4 3 a "**Bad Leaver**" is a Relevant Individual who ceases to be an employee and/or director and/or consultant and who is not a Good Leaver

50. Transmission of shares

50 1 If title to a share passes to a transmittee, the Company may only recognise the transmittee as having any title to that share, but nothing in the articles releases the estate of a deceased shareholder from any liability in respect of a share solely or jointly held by that shareholder

50 2 A transmittee who produces such evidence of entitlement to shares as the directors may properly require

50 2 1 may, subject to the articles, choose either to become the holder of those shares or to have them transferred to another person, and

50 2 2 subject to the articles, and pending any transfer of the shares to another person, has the same rights as the holder had

50 3 But transmittes do not have the right to attend or vote at a general meeting, or to agree to a proposed written resolution, in respect of shares to which they are entitled, by reason of the holder's death or bankruptcy or otherwise, unless they become the holders of those shares

51. Exercise of transmittes' rights

51 1 Transmittes who wish to become the holders of shares to which they have become entitled must notify the Company in writing of that wish

51 2 If the transmittes wishes to have a share transferred to another person, the transmittes must execute an instrument of transfer in respect of it

51 3 Any transfer made or executed under this article is to be treated as if it were made or executed by the person from whom the transmittes has derived rights in respect of the share, and as if the event which gave rise to the transmission had not occurred

52. Transmittes bound by prior notices

If a notice, document or other information is served on or sent or supplied to a shareholder in respect of shares and a transmittes is entitled to those shares, the transmittes is bound by the notice, document or other information if it was served on or sent or supplied to the shareholder before the transmittes's name, or the name of any person nominated under article 50 2 1, has been entered in the register of members

53. Tag Along Rights

53 1 No transfer of shares which would result, if made and registered, in a person or persons acting in concert (as defined in the City Code) obtaining a Controlling Interest, will be made or registered unless

53 1 1 an Approved Offer is made by the proposed transferee(s) ("**Buyer**") or, at the Buyer's written request, by the Company as agent for the Buyer, and

53 1 2 the Buyer complies in all respects with the terms of the Approved Offer and any acceptances of it at the time of completion of the sale and purchase of shares pursuant to it

53 2 For the purposes of this article 53 and article 54 "**Approved Offer**" means an offer in writing served on all shareholders holding shares (including the proposing transferor), offering to purchase all the shares held by such shareholders (including any shares which may be allotted pursuant to the exercise of options to subscribe for shares in existence at the date of such offer) which

53 2 1 is stipulated to be open for acceptance for at least 21 days,

53 2 2 offers the same consideration for each share as is being paid for the shares whose proposed transfer has given rise to the obligation to make the Approved Offer, and

53 2 3 is on terms that the sale and purchase of shares in respect of which the offer is accepted will be completed at the same time

54. Drag Along Rights

54 1 Whenever an Approved Offer is made, the holders of 75% or more of the shares shall have the right ("**Drag Along Right**") to require (in the manner set out in article 54 2) all of the other holders of shares ("**Other Shareholders**") to accept the Approved Offer in full

54 2 The Drag Along Right may be exercised by the service of notice to that effect on the Other Shareholders at the same time as, or within seven days following the making of the Approved Offer. Such notice will be accompanied by all documents required to be executed by the Other Shareholders to give effect to the relevant transfer

54 3 On the exercise of the Drag Along Right, each of the Other Shareholders will be bound to accept the Approved Offer in respect of its or his entire holding of shares

54 4 If any of the Other Shareholders fails to accept the Approved Offer or, having accepted such offer, fails to take any action required of it under the terms of the Approved Offer, any person so authorised by the Board may accept the offer on behalf of the Other Shareholder in question, or undertake any action required under the terms of the Approved Offer on the part of the Other Shareholder who has accepted such offer. In particular, such person may execute the necessary transfer(s) on that Other Shareholder's behalf and against

54 4 1 receipt by the Company (on trust for such Other Shareholder) of the consideration payable for the relevant shares (the receipt being a good discharge to the Buyer, who will not be bound to see to the application of it), and

54 4 2 compliance by the Buyer and, where relevant, the Company with all other terms of the Approved Offer

deliver such transfer(s) to the Buyer (or its nominee). After registration, the title of the Buyer (or its nominee) as registered holder of such shares will not be affected by any irregularity in, or invalidity of such proceedings, which will not be questioned by any person. The Other Shareholder will in such a case be bound to deliver up its certificate for its shares to the Company, or a statutory declaration of loss (as appropriate) whereupon the Other Shareholder will be entitled to receive the purchase price for such shares

DIVIDENDS AND OTHER DISTRIBUTIONS

55. Procedure for declaring dividends

55 1 The Company may by ordinary resolution declare dividends, and the directors may decide to pay interim dividends

55 2 A dividend must not be declared unless the directors have made a recommendation as to its amount. Such a dividend must not exceed the amount recommended by the directors

- 55 3 No dividend may be declared or paid unless it is in accordance with shareholders' respective rights
- 55 4 Unless the shareholders' resolution to declare or directors' decision to pay a dividend, or the terms on which shares are issued, specify otherwise, a dividend must be paid by reference to each shareholder's holding of shares on the date of the resolution or decision to declare or pay it
- 55 5 If the Company's share capital is divided into different classes, no interim dividend may be paid on shares carrying deferred or non-preferred rights if, at the time of payment, any preferential dividend is in arrears
- 55 6 The directors may pay at intervals any dividend payable at a fixed rate if it appears to them that the profits available for distribution justify the payment
- 55 7 If the directors act in good faith, they do not incur any liability to the holders of shares conferring preferred rights for any loss they may suffer by the lawful payment of an interim dividend on shares with deferred or non-preferred rights

56. Calculation of dividends

- 56 1 Except as otherwise provided by the articles or the rights attached to shares, all dividends must be declared and paid in proportions based on the amounts paid up on the nominal value of the shares during any portion or portions of the period in respect of which the dividend is paid
- 56 2 If any share is issued on terms providing that such share shall be entitled to a dividend as if the nominal value of it were fully paid or partly paid from a particular date (in the past or the future), then such share shall be entitled to a dividend on that basis

57. Payment of dividends and other distributions

- 57 1 Where a dividend or other sum which is a distribution is payable in respect of a share, it must be paid by one or more of the following means
 - 57 1 1 transfer to a bank or building society account specified by the distribution recipient either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide,
 - 57 1 2 sending a cheque made payable to the distribution recipient by post to the distribution recipient at the distribution recipient's registered address (if the distribution recipient is a holder of the share), or (in any other case) to an address specified by the distribution recipient either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide,
 - 57 1 3 sending by post a cheque made payable to such person, and sent to such person at such address, as the distribution recipient has specified either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide, or
 - 57 1 4 any other means of payment as the directors agree with the distribution recipient either in writing or by such other means as the directors decide

57 2 In the articles, the "**distribution recipient**" means, in respect of a share in respect of which a dividend or other sum is payable

57 2 1 the holder of the share, or

57 2 2 if the share has two or more joint holders, whichever of them is named first in the register of members, or

57 2 3 if the holder is no longer entitled to the share by reason of death or bankruptcy, or otherwise by operation of law, the transmittee

58. Deductions from distributions in respect of sums owed to the Company

58 1 If

58 1 1 a share is subject to the Company's lien, and

58 1 2 the directors are entitled to issue a lien enforcement notice in respect of it,

they may, instead of issuing a lien enforcement notice, deduct from any dividend or other sum payable in respect of the share any sum of money which is payable to the Company in respect of that share to the extent that they are entitled to require payment under a lien enforcement notice

58 2 Money so deducted must be used to pay any of the sums payable in respect of that share

58 3 The Company must notify the distribution recipient in writing of

58 3 1 the fact and amount of any such deduction,

58 3 2 any non-payment of a dividend or other sum payable in respect of a share resulting from any such deduction, and

58 3 3 how the money deducted has been applied

59. No interest on distributions

The Company may not pay interest on any dividend or other sum payable in respect of a share unless otherwise provided by

59 1 the terms on which the share was issued, or

59 2 the provisions of another agreement between the holder of that share and the Company

60. Unclaimed distributions

60 1 All dividends or other sums which are

60 1 1 payable in respect of shares, and

60 1 2 unclaimed after having been declared or become payable,

may be invested or otherwise made use of by the directors for the benefit of the Company until claimed

60 2 The payment of any such dividend or other sum into a separate account does not make the Company a trustee in respect of it

60 3 If

60 3 1 12 years have passed from the date on which a dividend or other sum became due for payment, and

60 3 2 the distribution recipient has not claimed it,

the distribution recipient is no longer entitled to that dividend or other sum and it ceases to remain owing by the Company

61. Non-cash distributions

61 1 Subject to the terms of issue of the share in question, the Company may, by ordinary resolution on the recommendation of the directors, decide to pay all or part of a dividend or other distribution payable in respect of a share by transferring non-cash assets of equivalent value (including, without limitation, shares or other securities in any company)

61 2 For the purposes of paying a non-cash distribution, the directors may make whatever arrangements they think fit, including, where any difficulty arises regarding the distribution

61 2 1 fixing the value of any assets,

61 2 2 paying cash to any distribution recipient on the basis of that value in order to adjust the rights of recipients, and

61 2 3 vesting any assets in trustees

62. Waiver of distributions

Distribution recipients may waive their entitlement to a dividend or other distribution payable in respect of a share by giving the Company notice in writing to that effect, but if

62 1 the share has more than one holder, or

62 2 more than one person is entitled to the share, whether by reason of the death or bankruptcy of one or more joint holders, or otherwise,

the notice is not effective unless it is expressed to be given, and signed, by all the holders or persons otherwise entitled to the share

63. Information

Any shareholder, if asked by the directors, must give all information in his possession or power (supported, if required by the directors, by a statutory declaration) relating to or which, in the opinion of the directors, might relate to the status of the Company as a close company within the meaning of section 439 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010 or any statutory

modification or re-enactment of it. If a shareholder fails to comply with any such request by the directors to the satisfaction of the directors within a period of three months from the date of any such request, no dividends declared on any shares in the Company held by him shall be paid to such shareholder until he has complied, but all such dividends shall, in the meantime, be retained by the Company without any liability to pay interest in respect of them.

CAPITALISATION OF PROFITS AND RESERVES

64. Authority to capitalise and appropriation of capitalised sums

- 64 1 Subject to the articles, the directors may, if they are so authorised by an ordinary resolution
 - 64 1 1 decide to capitalise any profits of the Company (whether or not they are available for distribution) which are not required for paying a preferential dividend, or any sum standing to the credit of any other reserve of the Company (including any share premium account, capital redemption reserve or other undistributable reserve), and
 - 64 1 2 appropriate any sum which they so decide to capitalise (a "**capitalised sum**") to the persons who would have been entitled to it if it were distributed by way of dividend ("**persons entitled**") and in the same proportions as their entitlement to dividends ("**relevant proportions**")
- 64 2 Capitalised sums must be applied on behalf of the persons entitled and in the relevant proportions
- 64 3 Any capitalised sum may be applied in paying up new shares of a nominal amount equal to the capitalised sum, which are then allotted, credited as fully paid, to the persons entitled or as they may direct
- 64 4 A capitalised sum which was appropriated from profits available for distribution may be applied
 - 64 4 1 in or towards paying up any amounts unpaid on existing shares held by the persons entitled (whether as to the nominal value of the shares or any amount payable to the Company by way of premium), or
 - 64 4 2 in paying up new debentures of the Company which are then allotted, credited as fully paid, to the persons entitled or as they may direct
- 64 5 Subject to the articles, the directors may
 - 64 5 1 apply capitalised sums in accordance with articles 64 3 and 64 4 partly in one way and partly in another,
 - 64 5 2 make such arrangements as they think fit where any difficulty arises with regard to any distribution of any capitalised sum, and, in particular, in the case of shares or debentures becoming distributable under this article 64 in fractions, the directors may decide that the benefit of fractional entitlements belongs to the Company, that fractions are to be ignored, to make payments in cash in lieu of fractional entitlements, or otherwise deal with fractions as they think fit,

64 5 3 authorise any person to enter into an agreement with the Company on behalf of all the persons entitled which is binding on them in respect of the allotment of shares and debentures to them under this article 64, and

64 5 4 generally do all acts and things required to give effect to the ordinary resolution

65. Capitalisation to deal with fractions arising on a consolidation of shares

Whenever, as the result of any consolidation or consolidation and division of shares, any shareholders would become entitled to fractions of shares, the directors may, subject to the provisions of the Companies Acts, allot to each such shareholder, credited as fully paid by way of capitalisation, the minimum number of new shares required to round up his holding following the consolidation to a whole number (such allotment being deemed to have been effected immediately before consolidation) For such purpose, the directors may

65 1 capitalise a sum equal to the aggregate nominal amount of the new shares to be allotted on that basis out of any profits or reserve referred to in article 64 1 1, and

65 2 appropriate and apply such sum in paying up in full the appropriate number of new shares for allotment and distribution to such shareholders on that basis, and

65 3 generally do all acts and things required to give effect to any capitalisation pursuant to this article 65

PART 4: DECISION-MAKING BY SHAREHOLDERS

WRITTEN RESOLUTIONS

66. Written resolutions

A resolution of the shareholders (or a class of shareholders) may be passed as a written resolution in accordance with Chapter 2 of Part 13 of the Act

GENERAL MEETINGS

ORGANISATION OF GENERAL MEETINGS

67. Calling general meetings

67 1 If there are not within the United Kingdom sufficient directors to call a general meeting, any director or any shareholder of the Company may call a general meeting

67 2 If, and for so long as, the Company has only a single shareholder, such shareholder shall be entitled at any time to call a general meeting

67 3 A shareholder present in person or by proxy at a general meeting shall be deemed to have received proper notice of the meeting and, if required, of the purposes for which it was called

68. Attendance and speaking at general meetings

- 68 1 A person is able to exercise the right to speak at a general meeting when that person is in a position to communicate to all those attending the meeting, during the meeting, any information or opinions which that person has on the business of the meeting
- 68 2 A person is able to exercise the right to vote at a general meeting when
- 68 2 1 that person is able to vote, during the meeting, on resolutions put to the vote at the meeting, and
- 68 2 2 that person's vote can be taken into account in determining whether or not such resolutions are passed at the same time as the votes of all the other persons attending the meeting
- 68 3 ~~The directors may make whatever arrangements they consider appropriate to enable those attending a general meeting to exercise their rights to speak or vote at it~~
- 68 4 In determining attendance at a general meeting, it is immaterial whether any two or more shareholders attending it are in the same place as each other
- 68 5 Two or more persons who are not in the same place as each other attend a general meeting if their circumstances are such that if they have (or were to have) rights to speak and vote at that meeting, they are (or would be) able to exercise them

69. Quorum for general meetings

No business other than the appointment of the chairman of the meeting is to be transacted at a general meeting if the persons attending it do not constitute a quorum

70. Chairing general meetings

- 70 1 If the directors have appointed a chairman, the chairman shall chair general meetings if present and willing to do so
- 70 2 If the directors have not appointed a chairman, or if the chairman is unwilling to chair the general meeting or is not present within 10 minutes of the time at which a meeting was due to start
- 70 2 1 the directors present, or
- 70 2 2 (if no directors are present within 10 minutes of the time at which the meeting was due to start) the meeting,
- must appoint a director or shareholder to chair the meeting, and the appointment of the chairman of the meeting must be the first business of the meeting
- 70 3 The person chairing a general meeting in accordance with this article is referred to as **"the chairman of the meeting"**

71. Attendance and speaking by directors and non-shareholders

- 71 1 Directors may attend and speak at general meetings, whether or not they are shareholders

- 71 2 The chairman of the meeting may permit other persons who are not
- 71 2 1 shareholders of the Company, or
- 71 2 2 otherwise entitled to exercise the rights of shareholders in relation to general meetings,
- to attend and speak at a general meeting

72. Adjournment

- 72 1 If the persons attending a general meeting within half an hour of the time at which the meeting was due to start do not constitute a quorum, or if during a meeting a quorum ceases to be present, the chairman of the meeting must adjourn it. If at such an adjourned meeting the persons attending within half an hour of the time at which the meeting was due to start do not constitute a quorum, or if during such an adjourned meeting a quorum ceases to be present, the meeting shall be dissolved.
- 72 2 The chairman of the meeting may adjourn a general meeting at which a quorum is present if
- 72 2 1 the meeting consents to an adjournment, or
- 72 2 2 it appears to the chairman of the meeting that an adjournment is necessary to protect the safety of any person attending the meeting or ensure that the business of the meeting is conducted in an orderly manner.
- 72 3 The chairman of the meeting must adjourn a general meeting if directed to do so by the meeting
- 72 4 When adjourning a general meeting, the chairman of the meeting must
- 72 4 1 either specify the time and place to which it is adjourned or state that it is to continue at a time and place to be fixed by the directors, and
- 72 4 2 have regard to any directions as to the time and place of any adjournment which have been given by the meeting
- 72 5 If the continuation of an adjourned meeting is to take place more than 14 days after it was adjourned, the Company must give at least seven clear days' notice of it (that is, excluding the day on which the notice is given and the day of the adjourned meeting)
- 72 5 1 to the same persons to whom notice of the Company's general meetings is required to be given, and
- 72 5 2 in the same manner in which such notice is required to be given and containing the same information which such notice is required to contain
- 72 6 No business may be transacted at an adjourned general meeting which could not properly have been transacted at the meeting if the adjournment had not taken place

VOTING AT GENERAL MEETINGS

73. Voting: general

- 73 1 A resolution put to the vote of a general meeting must be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is duly demanded in accordance with the articles
- 73 2 In the case of an equality of votes, whether on a show of hands or on a poll, the chairman will not be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any other vote which he may have
- 73 3 A director (including an alternate director) is not required to hold any qualification shares in the Company, but nevertheless shall be entitled to attend and speak at any general meeting of, and at any separate meetings of the holders of any class of shares in, the Company

74. Errors and disputes

- 74 1 No objection may be raised to the qualification of any person voting at a general meeting except at the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the vote objected to is tendered, and every vote not disallowed at the meeting is valid
- 74 2 Any such objection must be referred to the chairman of the meeting, whose decision is final

75. Poll votes

- 75 1 A poll on a resolution may be demanded
 - 75 1 1 in advance of the general meeting where it is to be put to the vote, or
 - 75 1 2 at a general meeting, either before a show of hands on that resolution or immediately after the result of a show of hands on that resolution is declared
- 75 2 A poll may be demanded by
 - 75 2 1 the chairman of the meeting,
 - 75 2 2 the directors present,
 - 75 2 3 any person having the right to vote on the resolution,
- 75 3 A demand for a poll may be withdrawn if
 - 75 3 1 the poll has not yet been taken, and
 - 75 3 2 the chairman of the meeting consents to the withdrawal

A demand so withdrawn shall not invalidate the result of a show of hands declared before the demand was made

- 75 4 Polls must be taken immediately and in such manner as the chairman of the meeting directs

76. Content of proxy notices

- 76 1 Proxies may only validly be appointed by a notice in writing ("**proxy notice**") which
 - 76 1 1 states the name and address of the shareholder appointing the proxy,
 - 76 1 2 identifies the person appointed to be that shareholder's proxy and the general meeting or adjourned meeting in relation to which that person is appointed,
 - 76 1 3 is signed by or on behalf of the shareholder appointing the proxy, or is authenticated in such manner as the directors may otherwise determine,
 - 76 1 4 is delivered to the Company in accordance with the articles and any instructions contained in the notice of the general meeting or adjourned meeting to which it relates; and
 - 76 1 5 is received by the Company no later than 48 hours (excluding any part of a day that is not a working day) before the time appointed for the commencement of the general meeting or adjourned meeting to which the proxy notice relates or such later time as the directors may determine
- 76 2 The Company may require proxy notices to be delivered in a particular form, and may specify different forms for different purposes
- 76 3 Proxy notices may specify how the proxy appointed under them is to vote (or that the proxy is to abstain from voting) on one or more resolutions
- 76 4 Unless a proxy notice indicates otherwise, it must be treated as
 - 76 4 1 allowing the person appointed under it as a proxy discretion as to how to vote on any ancillary or procedural resolutions put to the meeting, and
 - 76 4 2 appointing that person as a proxy in relation to any adjournment of the general meeting to which it relates as well as the meeting itself

77. Delivery of proxy notices

- 77 1 A person who is entitled to attend, speak or vote (either on a show of hands or on a poll) at a general meeting remains so entitled in respect of that meeting or any adjournment of it, even though a valid proxy notice has been delivered to the Company by or on behalf of that person. However, if that person votes at the meeting or adjourned meeting on a resolution, then as regards that resolution any proxy notice delivered to the Company by or on behalf of that person shall
 - 77 1 1 on a show of hands, be invalid,
 - 77 1 2 on a poll, be invalid to the extent that such person votes in respect of the shares to which the proxy notice relates
- 77 2 An appointment under a proxy notice may be revoked by delivering to the Company a notice in writing given by or on behalf of the person by whom or on whose behalf the proxy notice was given

- 77 3 A notice revoking a proxy appointment only takes effect if it is received by the Company before the commencement of the meeting or adjourned meeting to which it relates
- 77 4 If a proxy notice is not executed by the person appointing the proxy, it must be accompanied by written evidence of the authority of the person who executed it to execute it on the appointor's behalf
- 77 5 When two or more valid but different proxy notices are received in respect of the same share for use at the same meeting or adjourned meeting, the one which is last validly received (regardless of its date or the date of its execution) shall be treated as replacing and revoking the other(s) as regards that share. If the Company is unable to determine which was last received, none of them shall be treated as valid in respect of that share

78. Corporate representatives

Where a shareholder that is a corporation has authorised a representative or representatives to act on its behalf at a general meeting in accordance with section 323 of the Act

- 78 1 the corporation shall, for the purposes of these articles, be deemed to be present in person at any such meeting if any such representative is present at it, and all references to attendance and voting in person shall be construed accordingly,
- 78 2 a director or the company secretary (if any) may require any such representative to produce a certified copy of such authority before such representative is entitled to exercise any power on behalf of the corporation which he represents, and
- 78 3 a vote given or poll demanded by such representative at a general meeting or adjourned meeting shall be valid even though his authority has previously terminated unless notice in writing of the termination was received by the Company before the commencement of that meeting

79. No voting of shares on which money due and payable to the Company

Unless the directors otherwise determine, no voting rights attached to a share may be exercised unless all amounts (including the nominal value and any share premium) due and payable to the Company in respect of that share have been paid

80. Amendments to resolutions

- 80 1 An ordinary resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution if
- 80 1 1 notice of the proposed amendment is given to the Company in writing by a person entitled to vote at the general meeting at which it is to be proposed not less than 48 hours before the meeting is to take place (or such later time as the chairman of the meeting may determine), and
- 80 1 2 the proposed amendment does not, in the reasonable opinion of the chairman of the meeting, materially alter the scope of the resolution

- 80 2 A special resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution, if
 - 80 2 1 the chairman of the meeting proposes the amendment at the general meeting at which the resolution is to be proposed, and
 - 80 2 2 the amendment does not go beyond what is necessary to correct a grammatical or other non-substantive error in the resolution
- 80 3 If the chairman of the meeting, acting in good faith, wrongly decides that an amendment to a resolution is out of order, the chairman's error does not invalidate the vote on that resolution

PART 5: ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

81. Form of notice

Any notice or other document to be given pursuant to the articles (other than a notice calling a meeting of the directors) must be in writing

82. Notices to the Company

Any notice, document or other information may be served on or sent or supplied to the Company by anyone

- 82 1 by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to the Company or any officer of the Company at its registered office or such other place in the United Kingdom as may from time to time be specified by the Company for that purpose,
- 82 2 by delivering it by hand to or leaving it at its registered office or such other place in the United Kingdom as may from time to time be specified by the Company for that purpose in an envelope addressed to the Company or any officer of the Company,
- 82 3 by sending or supplying it by electronic means to an address specified by the Company from time to time for that purpose, or
- 82 4 by any other means authorised in writing by the Company

83. Notices to shareholders and transmittes

- 83 1 Any notice, document or other information may be served on or sent or supplied to any shareholder
 - 83 1 1 personally,
 - 83 1 2 by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to the shareholder at his registered address,
 - 83 1 3 by delivering it by hand to or leaving it at that address in an envelope addressed to the shareholder,
 - 83 1 4 by sending or supplying it by electronic means to an address notified by the shareholder to the Company from time to time for that purpose, or

83 1 5 by any other means authorised in writing by the relevant shareholder.

83 2 Nothing in article 83 1 shall affect any provision of the Companies Acts requiring offers, notices or documents to be served on or sent or supplied to a shareholder in a particular way

83 3 In the case of joint holders of a share

83 3 1 all notices, documents or other information shall be served on or sent or supplied to the person named first in the register in respect of the joint holding, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all joint holders, and

83 3 2 any request for consent to the receipt of communications in electronic form shall be sent or supplied to the person named first in the register in respect of the joint holding, and any express consent given by such holder to the receipt of communications in such manner shall bind all joint holders

83 4 Notices, documents or other information to be served on or sent or supplied to a transmittee may be served on or sent or supplied to him by name, or by the title of the representative of the deceased or trustee of the bankrupt (or by any like description), at an address supplied for the purpose by him Articles 83.1 and 85 shall apply to any notice, document or information so served, sent or supplied as if references in those articles to

83 4 1 "**shareholder**" are to the transmittee, and

83 4 2 a shareholder's "**registered address**" or "**address**" are to the address so supplied

This article 83 4 is without prejudice to paragraph 17 of Schedule 5 to the Act

84. Notices to directors

Any notice, document or other information may be served on or sent or supplied to a director by the Company or by any other director or the company secretary (if any)

84 1 personally,

84 2 (other than a notice of a proposed directors' written resolution) by word of mouth,

84 3 by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope addressed to the director at his registered address or such other postal address as may from time to time be specified by him for that purpose,

84 4 by delivering it by hand to or leaving it at that address in an envelope addressed to him,

84 5 by sending or supplying it by electronic means to an address specified from time to time by the director for that purpose, or

84 6 by any other means authorised in writing by the director

85. Service of notices on shareholders or directors

Any notice, document or other information (other than any notice, document or other information given to the Company including, for the avoidance of doubt, the appointment of a proxy)

85 1 addressed to a shareholder or a director in the manner prescribed by the articles shall, if sent by post (whether in hard copy or electronic form), be deemed to have been received

85 1 1 (if prepaid as first class) 24 hours after it was posted,

85 1 2 (if prepaid as second class) 48 hours after it was posted,

85 1 3 (if prepaid as airmail) 72 hours after it was posted,

and, in proving such receipt, it shall be sufficient to prove that the envelope containing such notice, document or other information was properly addressed, prepaid and put in the post,

85 2 not sent by post, but addressed to a shareholder or a director and delivered by hand to or left at an address in accordance with the articles, shall be deemed to have been received on the day it was so delivered or left,

85 3 served, sent or supplied to a shareholder or a director by electronic means shall be deemed to have been received on the day it was sent, and, in proving such receipt, it shall be sufficient to show that such notice, document or information was properly addressed,

85 4 served, sent or supplied by any other means authorised in writing by the shareholder or the director shall be deemed to have been received when the Company has carried out the action it has been authorised to take for that purpose

86. Company seals

86 1 Any common seal may only be used by the authority of the directors

86 2 The directors may decide by what means and in what form any common seal is to be used

86 3 Unless otherwise decided by the directors, if the Company has a common seal and it is affixed to a document, the document must also be signed by

86 3 1 two directors,

86 3 2 one director and the company secretary (if any), or

86 3 3 one authorised person in the presence of a witness who attests the signature

86 4 For the purposes of this article, an authorised person is

86 4 1 any director of the Company,

86 4 2 the company secretary (if any), or

86 4 3 any person authorised by the directors for the purpose of signing documents to which the common seal is applied

87. No right to inspect accounts and other records

Except as provided by law or authorised by the directors or an ordinary resolution of the Company, no person is entitled to inspect any of the Company's accounting or other records or documents merely by virtue of being a shareholder

88. Provision for employees on cessation of business

The directors may decide to make provision for the benefit of persons employed or formerly employed by the Company or any of its subsidiaries (other than a director or former director or shadow director) in connection with the cessation or transfer to any person of the whole or part of the undertaking of the Company or that subsidiary

DIRECTORS' INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

89. Directors' indemnity and insurance

To the extent permitted by the Companies Acts, the Company may

89 1 indemnify any director of the Company or of any associated company against any liability,

89 2 purchase and maintain insurance against any liability for any director of the Company or of any associated company