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Annual Return

Company Name: HARPER COLLINS PUBLISHERS LIMITED

Company Number: SC027389

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Company Details

Period Ending: 02/09/2006

Company Type: PRIVATE COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

Principal Business Activities:

SIC Codes

2211 7487

Registered Office: Register of Members Address: Register of Debenture

Address: Holders Address:

103 WESTERHILL ROAD BISHOPBRIGGS GLASGOW G64 2OT RO

Details of Officers of the Company

Company Secretary:

Name: PATRIC GEORGE STEPHEN DUFFY Address: 32 SHELBURY ROAD

LONDON SE22 ONL

Not Applicable

Director 1:

Name: VICTORIA BARNSLEY Address: 20 ST PETERSBURGH PLACE

Date of Birth: 04/03/1954 LONDON W2 4LB Nationality: BRITISH

Occupation: CEO & PUBLISHER

Director 2:

GLENN DAGNES Address: Name: 23 LONG RIDGE ROAD

Date of Birth: 07/10/1952 **NEW YORK NY11030**

Nationality: **AMERICAN MANHASSET**

Occupation: **EXECUTIVE VICE USA**

PRESIDENT

Director 3:

Name: Address: MR DAVID DEVOE 110 VAN BRUNT MANOR ROAD

Date of Birth: 01/05/1947 **POQUOTT**

Nationality: **AMERICAN NEW YORK 11733**

Occupation: SENIOR EXECUTIVE **USA**

VICEPRESIDENT

Director 4:

Name: JANE FRIEDMAN Address: 440 EAST 57TH STREET

Date of Birth: 19/09/1945 APT 11A Nationality: **AMERICAN NEW YORK** Occupation: PRESIDENT AND CEO **NEW YORK**

USA 10022

Director 5:

Name: JANET ANN GERVASIO Address: 12 SALEM LANE

Date of Birth: **01/04/1959** PORT WASHINGTON

Nationality: AMERICAN **NEW YORK** Occupation: **SEN VP FINANCE** USA NY 11050

Director 6:

Name: EDMUND ALEXANDER Address: **72 OXHILL ROAD**

KIELBASIEWICZ DUMBARTON

Date of Birth: GLASGOW G82 4DG 16/03/1960

Nationality: BRITISH

Occupation: FINANCIAL DIRECTOR

Director 7:

Name: **KEITH HOWARD PERCIVAL** Address: **FLAT 1 118 OLD BROMPTON**

> MULLOCK **ROAD**

Date of Birth: 25/02/1960 LONDON SW7 3RA

Nationality: **BRITISH**

Occupation: **CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER**

Director 8:

Name: KEITH RUPERT MURDOCH Address: 25 ST JAMES'S PLACE

Date of Birth: 11/03/1931 LONDON SW1

Nationality: AMERICAN
Occupation: PUBLISHER

Share Capital

Issued Share Capital Details:

Class of Number of Aggregate nominal share shares issued value of issued shares

ORDINARY 15978482 GBP3994620.5

ORDINARY A 37001102 GBP9250275.5

TOTALS 52979584 GBP13244896

Full Details of Shareholders

The details below relate to individuals / corporate bodies that were shareholders as at 02/09/2006, or that had ceased to be shareholders since the made up date of the previous Annual Return.

Shareholding 1:

15978482 ORDINARY Shares held as at 02/09/2006

Name: WILLIAM COLLINS HOLDINGS LTD

Address: 77-85 FULHAM PALACE ROAD

HAMMERSMITH LONDON W6 8JB

Shareholding 2:

37001102 ORDINARY A Shares held as at 02/09/2006

Name: WILLIAM COLLINS HOLDINGS LTD

Address: 77-85 FULHAM PALACE ROAD

HAMMERSMITH LONDON W6 8JB

Authorisation

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