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24 April 2009

Dear Sir

Statement on ceasing to hold office as auditors pursuant to section 519 of the Companies Act 2006

We write to you in your capacity as a director of the companies listed in the Appendix to this statement.

In accordance with section 519 of the Companies Act 2006, we confirm that there are no circumstances connected with our ceasing to hold office as auditors of the each of the companies listed in the Appendix that we consider should be brought to the attention of the respective companies' members or creditors.

Yours faithfully,

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## Appendix 1

Bhs Limited

Company name Company registered number

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Bhs Group Limited 03858895

Bhs Properties Limited 02139762

Davenbush Limited 02341207

Lowland Homes Limited 05565259