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Identification of Independent Directors

Pursuant to NZX Listing Rule 3.3.1A David Williams and James McKee have been determined as Independent Directors. Peter Atkinson, Geoffrey Hill, Ralph Stagg and Patrick Elliott have been determined as not being independent Directors for the purposes of NZX Listing Rule 3.3.1A.

Sue Sangster Company Secretary