

Canterbury Surrey Hills
Community Finance Limited



28 November 2008

Ms Jane Pollard
BSX Announcements Office.

Dear Jane

Capital Raising for Ashburton Community Bank

We advise that as per our prospectus dated 25 Sept 08 we have now reached the minimum raising of \$350,000 that is required for the share offer to proceed.

As advised recently the (amended) closing date for the offer remains at 25 October 2009.

Yours sincerely



Michael Hills
Company Secretary