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For the attention of all AIM companies and Nominated Advisers

DISCUSSION PAPER – AIM RULES REVIEW

BACKGROUND

London Stock Exchange plc is issuing 'Discussion Paper – AIM Rules Review' ("**discussion paper**") to invite feedback regarding proposed changes to the AIM Rules for Companies and AIM Rules for Nominated Advisers.

The discussion paper is the result of careful reflection based on London Stock Exchange's experience of operating AIM and its ongoing engagement with stakeholders. The discussion paper will be supported by wider market engagement over the coming months and sets out steps to further develop AIM to ensure its status as the pre-eminent international growth market for a wide range of UK and international growth companies.

The discussion paper is available to download at:

www.londonstockexchange.com/companies-and-advisors/aim/advisers/aim-notice/aim-notice.htm

The proposals set out in the discussion paper relate to: admission criteria; providing early clarity for applicants and nominated advisers in the admission process and ensuring consistency of approach across the nominated adviser community in respect of appropriateness considerations; as well as outlining appropriate levels of corporate governance. A full list of questions is available at Annex 1 of the discussion paper.

This discussion paper will be of interest to:

- AIM companies
- nominated advisers
- investors
- advisers to AIM companies and nominated advisers

RESPONDING TO THE DISCUSSION PAPER

London Stock Exchange welcomes comments and feedback from stakeholders on the matters contained in the discussion paper. Responses to this discussion paper should be sent on or before 8 September 2017 by email to: aimnotices@lseg.com

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