THE TAKEOVER PANEL CODE COMMITTEE

PUBLIC CONSULTATION PAPER

The Code Committee has today issued a Consultation Paper on Dealings in Derivatives and Options (PCP 2005/1).

The Code Committee is inviting comments on this Consultation Paper by 28 February 2005.

Copies of the Consultation Paper may be obtained from the Panel's website, at <u>www.thetakeoverpanel.org.uk</u>, or by telephoning the Panel on 020 7382 9026.

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