

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Dividend Announcement

The Directors have approved the payment of a First Interim Dividend of Seventy-six Cents (\$0.76) per ordinary share payable on 26 May 2017 to shareholders of record at the close of business on 02 May 2017.

Record Date and Closing of Register

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the Companies Act (Chap. 81:01) the Directors have fixed 02 May 2017 as the Record Date for payment of the First Interim Dividend.

The Transfer Book and Register of Members will be closed on 03 and 04 May 2017 for processing of transfers to facilitate payment of this Dividend.

By Order of the Board

Danielle Chow Secretary

19 April 2017 CORNER EASTERN MAIN ROAD AND MOUNT D'OR ROAD CHAMPS FLEURS, TRINIDAD, W.I.

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