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The Directors
CEAS Consultants (Wye) Limited
Northcroft House
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11 November 1998

Dear Sirs

CEAS CONSULTANTS (WYE) LIMITED ("THE COMPANY")

In accordance with Section 392, Companies Act 1985 we are writing to give you formal notice of our resignation as auditors of your company with immediate effect.

We confirm that there are no circumstances connected with our ceasing to hold office which we consider should be brought to the attention of the Company's members or creditors or any of the Company's subsidiaries.

Within 14 days of receipt a copy of this statement should be sent to the Companies House.

Yours faithfully

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