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24 May 2004 Our Ref: LE0405002/ADL/CP

Dear Sirs,

Re: Resignation as auditors of ADL plc

This letter is formal notice of our resignation as auditors of ADL plc with effect from 24 May 2004.

There are no circumstances connected with our resignation which we consider should be brought to the attention of the members or creditors of the company.

Yours faithfully

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