

25th of November, 2004

COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT

Quote

The Board of Directors, duly convened for Meeting number 133 of the Company, held on Wednesday, the 24th of November, 2004, discussed and approved to issue an Interim Dividend of Lm0-01c6 (after taxation), to all shareholders of the Company whose name appears on the Company's register at the Central Securities Depository of the Malta Stock Exchange, at the closure of business on Friday, the 3rd of December, 2004. This interim dividend will be paid on Monday, the 20th of December, 2004, and is being declared out of accumulated profits which were taxable at 30%.

Unquote

Raymond Fava

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Company Secretary