Times newspapers; appoints any person claiming interest to lodge Answers to the Petition, if so advised, within twenty one days after such advertisement.'

all of which intimation is hereby given.

A copy of the Ordinary Scheme and of the statement explaining the effect of the scheme of arrangement required to be furnished pursuant to Section 426 of the Companies Act 1985 has been posted to the Ordinary Scheme Stockholders. Further copies may be obtained by any member of the Company upon application to Finlay House, 10/14 West Nile Street, Glasgow G1 2PP and they may be inspected at such offices and at the offices of McGrigor Donald, Erskine House, 68-73 Queen Street, Edinburgh EH2 4NF during usual office hours.

McGrigor Donald

Erskine House, 68-73 Queen Street, Edinburgh EH2 4NF (2301/125) Solicitors for the Petitioner

JAMES FINLAY PLC

(Registered Number SC 7139)

Petition for Sanction of a Scheme of Arrangement and Confirmation

of a Reduction of Capital

Notice is hereby given that on 19th June 2000 James Finlay Plc ("the Company"), a company incorporated as a public limited company under the Companies Acts and having its registered office at Finlay House, 10/14 West Nile Street, Glasgow G1 2PP, presented to the Court of Session a petition for the sanction of a scheme of arrangement dated 19th June 2000 ("the Preference Scheme") between the Company and the Preference Scheme Stockholders (as therein defined), printed in the appendix to the said petition, and incorporating a reduction of its share capital. On 2nd August 2000 the following Interlocutor was pronounced in terms of the said petition

2nd August 2000 Lord Hardie
"The Lord Ordinary, having considered the Petition and proceedings, appoints the Petition to be advertised once in The Edinburgh Gazette and once in each of The Herald and Financial Times newspapers; appoints any person claiming interest to lodge Answers to the Petition, if so advised, within twenty one days after such advertisement."

all of which intimation is hereby given.

A copy of the Preference Scheme and of the statement explaining the effect of the scheme of arrangement required to be furnished pursuant to Section 426 of the Companies Act 1985 has been posted to the Preference Scheme Stockholders. Further copies may be obtained by any member of the Company upon application to Finlay House, 10/14 West Nile Street, Glasgow G1 2PP and they may be inspected at such offices and at the offices of McGrigor Donald, Erskine House, 68-73 Queen Street, Edinburgh EH2 4NF during usual office hours.

McGrigor Donald

Erskine House, 68-73 Queen Street, Edinburgh EH2 4NF (2301/126)Solicitors for the Petitioner

CONSUMER CREDIT ACT 1974

General Notice No: 1092, Group Licence

I, Caroline Banks, Director of Consumer Affairs Division in the office of the Director General of Fair Trading ("the Director") and a member of the Director's staff, being authorised by the Director in writing pursuant to paragraph 7 of schedule 1 to the Fair Trading Act 1973, hereby give notice pursuant to section 29(6) of the Consumer Credit Act 1974 that the group licence issued to the Law Society or England and Wales, 113 Chancery Lane, London WC2A, which expires on 2nd August 2000 has been renewed by the Director General's own motion and is valid until 2nd August 2001.

The licence is in respect of:

- all solicitors who for the time being, hold a practising certificate which is in force issued by the Law Society of England and Wales under section 10 of the Solicitors Act
- (b) all registered foreign lawyers (as defined in section 89 of the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990)

- (c) all recognised bodies (as defined in section 9 of the Administration of Justice Act 1985)
- (d) all European lawyers registered with the Law Society under article 17 of the European Communities (Lawyer's Practice) Regulations 2000, and
- (e) any other person who is the partner of a registered European lawyer as permitted by rules made under section 31 of the Solicitors Act 1974, who is a lawyer of a state, other than the UK, covered by Directive 98/5/EC of the European Parliament to carry on the business of:
- Consumer Credit
- Credit Brokerage
- D Debt-adjusting and Debt-counselling
- E Debt-collecting
- (i). in the case of (a) above, limited to activities arising in the course of practice as a solicitor, or
- (ii). in the case of (b) above, limited to activities arising in the course of providing professional services as a partner in a multi-national partnership (as defined in section 89 of the Courts and Act 1990), or
- (iii). in the case of (c) above, limited to activities arising in the course of providing professional services such as are provided by individuals practising as solicitors of lawyers of other jurisdictions, or
- in the case of (d) above, limited to activities arising in the course of practice as a registered European lawyer, or
- in the can of (e) above limited to activities arising in the course of practice of the lawyer's partner as a registered European lawyer

Caroline Banks, Director

Consumer Affairs Division, Office of Fair Trading Office of Fair Trading, Fleetbank House, 2-6 Salisbury Square, London EC4Y 8JX

2nd August 2000

(2301/127)

KERR CHAMBERS LYNCH & CO

Notice of Dissolution

We, Robert Jude Peter Kerr, residing at 5 Ryat Green, Newton Mearns, Glasgow, Mark Allan Chambers, residing at 30 Cornhill Street, Springburn, Glasgow G21 4UN and Paul Tierney Lynch, residing at 64 Stock Avenue, Paisley the partners of Kerr Chambers Lynch & Co, Solicitors, 26 High Street, Paisley, give notice that the said Partnership dissolved as at close of business on the Tenth day of March, Two thousand.

Payment of all sums due to the said Partnership and discharge of all partnership liabilities will be conducted by Eileen Blackburn, HLB Kidsons, Chartered Accountants, 272 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow G2 3EH. The Partners give notice that they will be practising as Solicitors at the address as undernoted:-

Robert Jude Peter Kerr, Robert Kerrr & Co, 26 High Street, Paisley PA1 2BZ

DX PA 43 Tel No: 0141 889 2171. Fax No 0141 889 5922

Mark Allan Chalmers, Tod & Mitchell, The Terrace Building, The Cross, Paisley PA1 2YA

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(2301/81)

LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS ACT 1907 BT MURRAYFIELD SECURITIES LIMITED **PARTNERSHIP**

Notice of Dissolution of a Limited Liability Partnership under the Limited Partnerships Act 1907

Notice is hereby given that on 31st July 2000 BT Murrayfield Securities Limited Partnership was dissolved and has ceased to carry on any further business.

(2301/4)