

**Australian Securities & Investments Commission** 

## [CO 02/256]

## Employee share schemes — amendment

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Class Order [CO 02/256] varies [CO 00/221].

This class order comes into effect on 11 March 2002 upon commencement of Schedule 1 to the Financial Services Reform Act 2001: see paragraph 4(2A)(c) of the Acts Interpretation Act 1901.

Australian Securities and Investments Commission Corporations Act 2001 — Subsection 741(1) — Variation

Under subsection 741(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001* and with effect from the commencement of Schedule 1 to the *Financial Services Reform Act 2001*, the Australian Securities and Investments Commission hereby varies Class Order [00/221] by:

- omitting from the heading the word "Law" and substituting the words "Act 2001";
- 2 omitting from the first paragraph:
  - (a) the words "Corporations Law (the "Law")" and substituting the words "Corporations Act 2001 (the "Act")"; and
  - (b) the word "Law" (third occurring) and substituting the word "Act";
- omitting from paragraph 1 of Schedule B the words "ASX or an approved foreign exchange" and substituting the words "financial market operated by Australian Stock Exchange Limited or an approved foreign market";
- 4. omitting from paragraph 3(b) of Schedule B the word "Australia" and substituting the words "this jurisdiction";

- 5 omitting from paragraph 3(c) of Schedule B:
  - (a) the word "Australia" and substituting the words "this jurisdiction"; and
  - (b) the word "Law" and substituting the word "Act";
- omitting from subparagraph 2(b)(i) of Schedule C the word "Law" and substituting the word "Act";
- omitting from paragraph 2 under the heading "Interpretation" the word "Law" and substituting the word "Act"; and
- 8 omitting paragraph 5 under the heading "Interpretation" and substituting the following text:
  - "5 Securities shall be taken to be quoted on an approved foreign market if and only if quoted on:
    - (a) American Stock Exchange, Deutsche Borse,
      Euronext Amsterdam, Euronext Paris, Italian
      Exchange, Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange (Main
      and Second Boards), London Stock Exchange,
      New York Stock Exchange, New Zealand Stock
      Exchange, Singapore Exchange, Stock Exchange
      of Hong Kong, Swiss Exchange, Tokyo Stock
      Exchange or Toronto Stock Exchange, provided
      that unless otherwise expressly stated, if any such
      market involves more than one board on which
      securities are quoted, securities shall only be taken
      to be quoted on that market if quoted on the main
      board of that market; or
    - (b) NASDAQ National Market.

*Note:* In this instrument, "this jurisdiction" means Australia: Act, ss 5 and 9 (definition of "this jurisdiction").".

Dated this 2nd day of March 2002

Signed by Brendan Byrne as a delegate of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission