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REORGANIZATION AND NAME CHANGE **GRIFFITHS MCBURNEY & PARTNERS**

We hereby inform you of the reorganization of Griffiths McBurney & Partners

pursuant to which this firm has converted from a partnership to a company.

Following this reorganization, Griffiths McBurney & Partners carries on its

activities under the name of "GMP Securities Ltd.". This change becomes

effective immediately.

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