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Dear Sir/Madam

ABSA GROUP LIMITED: SENS ANNOUNCEMENT

Attached please find a copy of an announcement in respect of dealings in securities by a Director in Absa Group Limited shares as published on the Johannesburg Securities Exchange's News Service (SENS) on Friday, 18 May 2007.

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at the above address or telephone number.

Yours faithfully

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GROUP COMPANY SECRETARY

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ABSA Bank Limited/Bepersk, Reg No 1986/004794/06

Member of the BARCLAYS Group

Directors/Direkteure: DC Cronjé (Chairman/Voorsitter) DC Brink (Deputy Chairman/Adjunk-voorsitter) *SF Booysen (Chief Executive/Ultvoerende Hoof) LN Angel DC Arnold
*D Bruynseels (British/Brits) BP Connellan YZ Cuba AS du Plessis G Griffin MW Hlahla LN Jonker TS Munday *JH Schindehütte
FF Seegers (Dutch/Nederlands) TMG Sexwale FA Sonn PEI Swartz *LL von Zeuner *Executive Directors/Ultvoerende Direkteure Secretary/Sekretaris: WR Somerville

Authorised Financial Services Provider/Gemagtigde Finansiële diensteverskaffer - Registered Credit Provider/Geregistreerde Kredietverskaffer, Reg-No NCRCP1

ABSA GROUP LIMITED

(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa)
(Registration number: 1986/003934/06)
ISIN: ZAE000067237
JSE share code: ASA
Issuer code: AMAGB
(Absa Group)

ABSA BANK LIMITED

(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa)
(Registration number: 1986/004794/06)
ISIN: ZAE000079810
JSE share code: ABSP
(Absa Bank)

NOTICE OF DEALINGS IN SECURITIES IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 3.63 TO 3.74 OF THE JSE LISTINGS REQUIREMENTS

In compliance with paragraphs 3.63 to 3.74 of the Listings Requirements of the JSE Limited the following information is disclosed.

Name:	TS Munday
Designation:	Absa Group non-executive director and Absa Bank non-executive director
Date of transaction:	17 May 2007
Number of shares purchased:	1 000 at 13 750 cents per share
Nature of transaction:	Purchase of shares
Class of securities:	Absa Group ordinary shares of 200 cents each
Value of transaction:	R137 500.00
Nature of interest:	Direct beneficial

Clearance has been obtained in respect of this dealing in securities.

Lead sponsor:

Merrill Lynch South Africa (Proprietary) Limited

Co-sponsor:

Absa Capital, a division of Absa Bank Limited

Johannesburg

18 May 2007

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