The Morgan Crucible Company plc
Total Voting Rights – Month-End Notification

In conformity with the UK Financial Services Authority Disclosure and Transparency Rule 5.6.1, we would like to notify the market of the following:

As at 31st October 2007 the issued share capital of The Morgan Crucible Company plc consisted of 276,289,680 25p Ordinary Shares with voting rights, and 437,281 Cumulative Preference Shares (125,327 5.5% Cumulative First Preference Shares of £1.00 each and 311,954 5% Cumulative Second Preference Shares of £1.00 each), with no voting rights, save in specified limited circumstances. No shares were held in Treasury.

Each Ordinary Share carries the right to one vote in relation to all circumstances at general meetings of ordinary shareholders of The Morgan Crucible Company plc.

Therefore, as at the above date, the total number of shares with voting rights in The Morgan Crucible Company plc was 276,289,680.

The above figure 276,289,680 may be used by shareholders (and others with notification obligations) as the denominator for the calculations by which they will determine whether they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interest in, The Morgan Crucible Company plc under the FSA’s Disclosure and Transparency Rules.