

ROWE EVANS INVESTMENTS PLC

OIL PALM AND RUBBER PLANTATIONS IN INDONESIA

The Company has today been advised that Lendu Holdings PLC has sold, and that Sungkai Holdings Limited has bought, 125,000 of the Company's shares of 10p each for a consideration of £1.20 per share.

The revised interests of Lendu Holdings PLC and Sungkai Holdings Limited, and other associated companies, in the issued share capital of the Company, are now as follows:-

Sungkai Holdings Limited	11,693,192	24.25%
Bertam Holdings PLC	9,096,690	18.87%
Lendu Holdings PLC	125,665	0.26%
M.P.Evans (Malaysia) Sdn.Berhad	23,533	0.05%
	20,939,080	43.43%

By order of the board
M.P. Evans (UK) Limited
Secretaries
20 December 2002