

Arden Partners plc
Pre-Close Update

Arden Partners plc, the independent institutional stock broking business, announces a pre-close update on trading ahead of its interim results for the six months to 30 April 2007.

Trading in the first half has been satisfactory with ten corporate transactions completed, seven of which were secondary fundraisings. The commissions and trading business has continued to do well and has been strengthened with a number of recruits. Overall the Board continue to believe that trading is in line with market expectations and they look forward to the second half with confidence.

The Company's interim results for the six months ending 30 April 2007 will be announced on 2 July 2007.

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