

Stmnt re Share Price Movement

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Computacenter PLC ("Computacenter" or "the Company") Statement regarding movement in share price

The Board of Computacenter notes the recent movement in Computacenter's share price and confirms that it has received a preliminary proposal, which may or may not lead to an offer being made for the whole of the issued and to be issued share capital of the Company. The proposal has been made by a group led by Peter Ogden, a co-founder and non-executive director of the Company (the "Bid Group"). The Bid Group controls in aggregate 44.2% of the Company.

An Independent Committee of the Board has been formed to consider the proposal, consisting of Nick Cosh and Cliff Preddy (the independent non-executive directors). The Independent Committee is being advised by HSBC Bank plc.

Discussions are at an early stage and the Independent Committee of the Board of Computacenter would like to emphasise that there is no certainty that any offer will be made for Computacenter.

A further announcement will be made when appropriate.

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