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## **Prime Active Capital plc**

*(Incorporated in Ireland with limited liability  
under the Companies Acts 1963-2009 with registered number 295879)*



### **Notice of Annual General Meeting**

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**Your attention is drawn to the letter from the Chairman of PAC set out on pages 4 to 6 of this document, which explains the purpose of the Resolutions to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting and includes the recommendation from the Board to vote in favour of the Resolutions. The Notice of the Annual General Meeting of PAC to be held at 9.00am at the offices of A&L Goodbody, IFSC, North Wall Quay, Dublin 1 on 30 September 2009 is set out at the end of this document.**

A Form of Proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting is enclosed. You are requested to complete, sign and return the Form of Proxy as soon as possible whether or not you propose to attend the meeting in person. To be valid, the Form of Proxy should be completed and returned by hand or by post to PAC's registrars, Computershare Investor Services (Ireland) Limited, P.O. Box 954, Heron House, Corrig Road, Sandyford Industrial Estate, Dublin 18, Ireland to arrive by no later than 9.00am on 28 September 2009. The completion and return of a Form of Proxy will not preclude you from attending and voting at the Annual General Meeting should you so wish.

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## DEFINITIONS

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*In this document the following expressions have the following meanings unless the context otherwise requires or unless otherwise provided:*

“AGM” or “Annual General Meeting”	the annual general meeting of PAC, to be held at the offices of A&L Goodbody, IFSC, North Wall Quay, Dublin 1 at 9.00am on 30 September 2009 or any adjournment thereof, notice of which is set out at the end of this document;
“Articles of Association” or “Articles”	the Articles of Association of the Company;
“the Board” or “Directors”	the board of directors of the Company;
“Financial Regulator”	the Irish Financial Services Regulatory Authority, a constituent part of the Central Bank and Financial Services Authority of Ireland;
“Form of Proxy”	the form of proxy for use at the Annual General Meeting enclosed with this document;
“Notice”	the notice of Annual General Meeting set out at the end of this document;
“Ordinary Shares”	ordinary shares of €0.50 each in the Company;
“Registrar”	the Company’s registrar, being Computershare Investor Services (Ireland) Limited;
“Resolutions”	the resolutions as set out in the Notice to be proposed in the manner specified in the Notice at the Annual General Meeting;
“Shareholder(s)”	holder(s) of Ordinary Shares.

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## DIRECTORS, COMPANY SECRETARY AND ADVISERS

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<b>Directors</b>	Peter E. Lynch – <i>Executive Chairman</i> John Doris – <i>Non-Executive Director</i> Anne Keogh – <i>Non-Executive Director</i>
<b>Company Secretary</b>	Goodbody Secretarial Limited IFSC North Wall Quay Dublin 1 Ireland
<b>Registered Office</b>	2A Sandymount Green Sandymount Dublin 4 Ireland
<b>Stockbrokers, AIM Nominated Advisor and IEX Adviser</b>	Davy Davy House 49 Dawson Dublin 2 Ireland
<b>Auditors</b>	PricewaterhouseCoopers One Spencer Dock North Wall Quay Dublin 1
<b>Solicitors</b>	Arthur Cox Earlsfort Terrace Dublin 2 Ireland
<b>Registrar</b>	Computershare Investor Services (Ireland) Limited P.O. Box 954 Heron House Corrig Road Sandyford Industrial Estate Dublin 18 Ireland

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## LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF PRIME ACTIVE CAPITAL PLC

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### Prime Active Capital plc

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*Directors:*

Peter E. Lynch – *Executive Chairman*  
John Doris – *Non-Executive Director*  
Anne Keogh – *Non-Executive Director*

*Registered Office:*  
2A Sandymount Green  
Sandymount  
Dublin 4  
Ireland

7 September 2009

*To the Shareholders of Prime Active Capital plc*

Dear Shareholder,

I am writing to you to outline the background to the resolutions to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting of the Company.

You will find set out at the end of this document the Notice of the Annual General Meeting of the Company, which will be held at the offices of A&L Goodbody, IFSC, North Wall Quay, Dublin 1 at 9.00am on 30 September 2009. The Notice sets out the full text of the Resolutions to be proposed and voted on at the Annual General Meeting.

#### ***Special Business***

In addition to the ordinary business to be transacted at the Annual General Meeting (see Resolutions 1 to 3 in the Notice), the Board is proposing a number of other items of special business as set out in Resolutions 4 to 8, which relate to the share capital of the Company and which are now routine for most public companies.

#### **Authority to Allot Relevant Securities (*Resolution 4*)**

Under the first item of special business, Shareholders are being asked to give the Directors authority to allot and issue up to an aggregate amount of €3,742,397.50 in nominal value of new shares, being equal to 33% of the nominal value of the issued ordinary share capital of the Company. This is a renewal of a similar authority granted at last year's annual general meeting. The Board reviews the appropriateness of new share issues on an ongoing basis and while the Directors do not have any current intention to exercise this power in full, this authority is being sought as it is common practice for public companies to do so. This authority will expire at the earlier of the close of business on the date of the annual general meeting of the Company in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months from the passing of the resolution.

#### **Disapplication of Statutory Pre-emption Rights (*Resolutions 5 and 6*)**

The Shareholders are being asked, under the second and third items of special business, to give the Directors the authority to disapply the statutory pre-emption provisions to allow the issue of shares for

cash in the event of a rights issue or open offer (subject to the limits in the authority referred to above) or in any other issue up to an aggregate nominal amount of €1,134,059.50, being equal to 10% of the nominal value of the Company's issued ordinary share capital for the time being. This authority will expire at the earlier of the close of business on the date of the Company's annual general meeting in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months from the passing of the resolution. The resolutions also amend the Articles of Association of the Company to clarify that such an authority is expressly permitted.

**Authority to Make Market Purchases of its Own Shares (*Resolution 7*)**

Under the fourth item of special business, Shareholders are being asked to give the Company, or any of its subsidiaries, the authority to purchase up to 10% of its own shares. The authority will expire at the earlier of the close of business on the date of the Company's annual general meeting in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months from the passing of the resolution. From time to time, the Directors may consider exercising this power to purchase the Company's own shares. Such purchases would be made only at price levels which the Board considered to be in the interests of the Shareholders generally, after taking into account the Company's overall financial position. Furthermore, the authority being sought from Shareholders will provide that the minimum price which may be paid for such shares shall not be less than the nominal value of the shares and the maximum price will be 105% of the average market price of such shares over the preceding five business days. This authority is a renewal of a similar authority granted at last year's annual general meeting. The resolution also makes a clarifying amendment to the Articles of Association to address certain inconsistencies in references to the London and Irish stock exchanges.

**Authority to Re-issue Treasury Shares (*Resolution 8*)**

Shareholders are being asked under the fifth item of special business to pass a resolution fixing the price range at which the Company may reissue any shares purchased by the Company which are not cancelled and have instead been held as treasury shares. The maximum and minimum prices at which such a share may be re-issued are 120% and 95% respectively of the average market price of a share calculated over the five business days immediately preceding the date of such re-issue. The authority will expire at the earlier of the close of business on the date of the Company's annual general meeting in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months from the passing of the resolution. This is a renewal of a similar authority granted at last year's annual general meeting. The resolution also makes a clarifying amendment to the Articles of Association to address certain inconsistencies in references to the London and Irish stock exchanges.

***Biography of the Director Standing for Re-election***

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Peter E. Lynch, who retires by rotation, is offering himself for re-election as a Director as proposed in Resolution 2. Mr. Lynch graduated in Economics from Trinity College, Dublin and qualified as a Chartered Accountant with KPMG. He is a Member of the Securities Institute. A former stockbroker and corporate financier, Mr. Lynch has been involved in capital markets for over 25 years. He has also had extensive operational responsibilities in building up Adare Printing Group plc through 16 acquisitions, mainly turnarounds, to a c. €200 million turnover company with a ten-fold increase in earnings per share, then latterly as Chief Financial Officer of eircom plc, a €2 billion turnover company, and which is the national incumbent telephone operator in Ireland.

Mr. Lynch has been the Executive Chairman and a Director of the Company since May 2007.

*Action to be Taken and Recommendation*

**Action to be Taken**

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**Recommendation**

**The Directors consider the passing of the Resolutions proposed at the Annual General Meeting to be in the best interests of the Company and its Shareholders as a whole and, accordingly, unanimously recommend that you vote in favour of the Resolutions.**

Yours sincerely,

Peter E. Lynch  
*Executive Chairman*

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## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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### Prime Active Capital plc

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that an Annual General Meeting of Prime Active Capital plc (the “Company”) will be held at A&L Goodbody, IFSC, North Wall Quay, Dublin 1 on 30 September 2009 at 9.00am to consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions, of which resolutions 1, 2, 3 and 4 will be proposed as ordinary resolutions and resolutions 5, 6, 7 and 8 will be proposed as special resolutions:

#### RESOLUTIONS

##### *Ordinary Business of the Meeting*

As ordinary resolutions:

1. To receive and consider the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2008 together with the reports of the directors and auditors thereon. **(Resolution 1)**
2. To re-elect Peter E. Lynch as a director who retires in accordance with the Articles of Association and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election in accordance with Article 78 of the Articles of Association. **(Resolution 2)**
3. To authorise the directors to fix the remuneration of the auditors for the year ending 31 December 2009. **(Resolution 3)**

##### *Special Business of the Meeting*

4. As an ordinary resolution **(Resolution 4)**:

“That the directors be and they are hereby generally and unconditionally authorised to exercise all the powers of the Company to allot relevant securities (within the meaning of Section 20 of the Companies (Amendment) Act 1983) up to an aggregate nominal amount of €3,742,397.50 provided that this authority shall expire at the earlier of the close of business on the date of the Company’s annual general meeting in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months after the date of the passing of this resolution, save that the Company may before such expiry make an offer or agreement which would or might require relevant securities to be allotted after such expiry and the directors may allot relevant securities in pursuance of such offer or agreement as if the authority hereby conferred had not expired.”

5. As a special resolution (**Resolution 5**):

“That Article 7.2 of the Articles of Association be and is hereby amended by the deletion of the words “a maximum aggregate nominal value of €265,595 or 5%” in the fourth line and the insertion in its place of “10%”.”

6. As a special resolution (**Resolution 6**):

“That pursuant to Article 7 of the Articles of Association (as amended by Resolution 5) and Section 24 of the Companies (Amendment) Act 1983 the directors be and they are hereby empowered to allot equity securities (within the meaning of Section 23 of the Companies (Amendment) Act 1983) for cash pursuant to the authority conferred by the ordinary resolution authorising the directors to issue the unissued capital of the Company passed earlier this day as if sub-section (1) of the said Section 23 did not apply to any such allotment provided that this power shall be limited to:

- (1) the allotment of equity securities (including, without limitation, any shares purchased by the Company pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 1990 and held as treasury shares) in connection with any offer of securities, open for a period fixed by the directors, by way of rights, open offer or otherwise in favour of ordinary shareholders and/or any persons having a right to subscribe for or convert securities into ordinary shares (including, without limitation, any person entitled to options under the Company’s share option schemes for the time being) and subject to such exclusions or other arrangements as the directors may deem necessary or expedient in relation to any legal or practical problems under the laws of any territory or the requirements of any regulatory body or any stock exchange in any territory, and
- (2) (in addition to the authority conferred in paragraph (1)) the allotment of equity securities (including, without limitation any shares purchased by the Company pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 1990 and held as treasury shares) up to a maximum aggregate nominal amount of €1,134,059.50;

and shall expire at close of business on the day of the annual general meeting of the Company to be held in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months after the date of passing of this resolution, whichever is the earlier, save that the Company may before such expiry make an offer or agreement which would or might require equity securities to be allotted after such expiry and the directors may allot equity securities in pursuance of such offer or agreement as if the power conferred hereby had not expired.”

7. As a special resolution (**Resolution 7**):

“That the Company and/or any subsidiary be and they are hereby generally authorised to make market purchases (as defined in Section 212 of the Companies Act 1990) of ordinary shares of the Company on such terms and conditions and in such manner as the directors may from time to time determine but subject to the provisions of the Companies Act 1990 and to the following restrictions and provisions:

- (1) The maximum aggregate nominal value of the ordinary shares authorised to be acquired pursuant to the terms of this resolution shall not exceed €1,134,059.50.
- (2) The minimum price which may be paid for any ordinary share shall be an amount equal to the nominal value thereof.
- (3) The maximum price which may be paid for any ordinary share shall be an amount equal to 105% of the higher of:



- (a) the average of the Relevant Price for ordinary shares in respect of each of the five business days immediately preceding the day on which the ordinary share is purchased; and
  - (b) (if there shall be any) the average of the middle market prices for ordinary shares, as derived from the Irish Exchange Daily Official List (or any successor publication thereto) for the five business days immediately preceding the day on which the ordinary share is purchased.
- (4) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (3)(a), the expression “Relevant Price” shall mean, in respect of any business day on which there shall be a dealing on the Irish Exchange in respect of ordinary shares, the closing quotation price in respect of such shares for such business day as published in the Irish Exchange Daily Official List (or any successor publication thereto) and, in respect of any business day on which there shall be no such dealing, the price which is equal to (x) the mid-point between the high and low market guide prices in respect of such shares for such business day as published in the Irish Exchange Daily Official List (or any successor publication thereto), or (y) if there shall be only one such market guide price so published, the market guide price so published.
- (5) The authority hereby granted shall expire at the close of business on the date of the Annual General Meeting of the Company in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months from the date of passing of this resolution, whichever is the earlier, unless previously varied, revoked or renewed by special resolution in accordance with the provisions of Section 215 of the Companies Act, 1990. The Company or any such subsidiary may before such expiry enter into a contract for the purchase of ordinary shares which would or might be executed wholly or partly after such expiry and may complete any such contract as if the authority conferred hereby had not expired.
- (6) Article 9.4.3(2) of the Article of Association be and is hereby amended by the deletion of the word “London” in the third line and the insertion in its place of the word “Irish”.

8. As a special resolution (***Resolution 8***):

“That, subject to the passing of Resolution 7, for the purposes of Section 209 of the Companies Act 1990 the re-issue price range at which any treasury shares (as defined by the said Section 209) for the time being held by the Company may be re-issued offmarket shall be as follows:

- (1) The maximum price at which a treasury share may be re-issued off-market shall be an amount equal to 120% of the Appropriate Price.
- (2) The minimum price at which a treasury share may be re-issued off-market shall be an amount equal to 95% of the Appropriate Price.
- (3) For the purposes of paragraph (1) and (2), the expression “Appropriate Price” shall mean the higher of:
  - (a) the average of the Relevant Price for shares of the class of which such treasury share is to be re-issued in respect of each of the five business days immediately preceding the day on which the treasury share is reissued; and

- (b) (if there shall be any) the average of the middle market prices for shares of the class of which such treasury share is to be re-issued, as derived from the Irish Exchange Daily Official List (or any successor publication thereto) for the five business days immediately preceding the day on which such treasury share is re-issued.
  
- (4) For the purpose of sub-paragraph (3)(a), the expression “Relevant Price” shall mean, in respect of any business day on which there shall be a dealing on the Irish Stock Exchange in respect of shares of the class of which the treasury share is to be re-issued, the closing quotation price in respect of such shares for such business day as published in the Irish Exchange Daily Official List (or any successor publication thereto) and, in respect of any business day on which there shall be no such dealing, the price which is equal to (x) the mid-point between the high and low market guide prices in respect of such shares for such business day as published in the Irish Exchange Daily Official List (or any successor publication thereto), or (y) if there shall be only one such market guide price so published, the market price so published.
  
- (5) The authority hereby conferred shall expire at the close of business on the day of the next following Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held in 2010 or the day which is fifteen months after the date of passing of this resolution, whichever is earlier, unless previously varied or renewed in accordance with the provisions of section 209 of the Companies Act 1990.
  
- (6) Article 10.3.2 of the Articles of Association be and is hereby amended by the deletion of the words “London Stock” in the third line and the insertion in their place of the word “Irish”.

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD**

Peter E. Lynch  
*Executive Chairman*

*Registered Office:*  
2A Sandymount Green  
Sandymount  
Dublin 4

Dated: 7 September 2009

**Notes:**

1. Any member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy (who need not be a member of the Company) to attend, speak and vote in his/her place. Completion of a form of proxy will not affect the right of a member to attend, speak and vote at the meeting in person.
  
2. To be valid, forms of proxy duly signed together with the power of attorney or such other authority (if any) under which they are signed (or a certified copy of such power or authority) must be lodged with the Company's registrar, Computershare Investor Services (Ireland) Limited, P.O. Box 954, Heron House, Corrig Road, Sandyford Industrial Estate, Dublin 18, Ireland to arrive by no later than 9.00am on 28 September 2009.
  
3. The Company, pursuant to Regulation 14 of the Companies Act, 1990 (Uncertified Securities) Regulations, 1996, specifies that only those shareholders registered in the register of members of the Company as at 6.00pm on 28 September 2009 (or in the case of an adjournment as at 48 hours before the time of the adjourned meeting) shall be entitled to attend and vote at the meeting in respect of the number of shares registered in their names at the time. Changes to entries in the register after that time will be disregarded in determining the right of any person to attend and/or vote at the meeting.