

## Share Portal

The Share Portal is a secure online site where you can manage your shareholding quickly and easily. You can:

- View your holding and get an indicative valuation
- Change your address
- Arrange to have dividends paid into your bank account
- Request to receive shareholder communications by email rather than post
- View your dividend payment history
- Make dividend payment choices
- Buy and sell shares and access a wealth of stock market news and information
- Register your proxy voting instruction
- Download a stock transfer form.

To register for the Share Portal just visit [www.capitashareportal.com](http://www.capitashareportal.com). All you need is your investor code, which can be found on your share certificate or your dividend tax voucher.

## Customer Support Centre

Alternatively, you can contact Capita's Customer Support Centre which is available to answer any queries you have in relation to your shareholding:

**By phone** - UK – 0871 664 0300 (UK calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras). From overseas - +44 20 8639 3399. Lines are open 9.00am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays.

**By email** - [shareholderenquiries@capita.co.uk](mailto:shareholderenquiries@capita.co.uk)

**By post** - Capita Asset Services, The Registry, 34 Beckenham Road, Beckenham, Kent, BR3 4TU.

## Sign up to electronic communications

Help us to save paper and get your shareholder information quickly and securely by signing up to receive your shareholder communications by email.

Registering for electronic communications is very straightforward. Just visit [www.capitashareportal.com](http://www.capitashareportal.com). All you need is your investor code, which can be found on your share certificate or your dividend tax voucher.

## Dividend payment options

### Re-invest your dividends

Capita's Dividend Re-investment Plan offers a convenient way for shareholders to build up their shareholding by using dividend money to purchase additional shares. The plan is provided by Capita Asset Services, a trading name of Capita IRG Trustees Limited which is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

For more information and an application pack please call 0871 664 0381 (calls to this number cost 10p per minute plus network extras) or if calling from overseas +44 20 8639 3402. Lines are open 9.00am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays. Alternatively you can email [shares@capita.co.uk](mailto:shares@capita.co.uk) or log on to [www.capitashareportal.com](http://www.capitashareportal.com)

It is important to remember that the value of shares and income from them can fall as well as rise and you may not recover the amount of money you invest. Past performance should not be seen as indicative of future performance. This arrangement should be considered as part of a diversified portfolio.

### Arrange to have your dividends paid direct into your bank account

This means that:

- Your dividend reaches your bank account on the payment date

- It is more secure – cheques can sometimes get lost in the post
- You don't have the inconvenience of depositing a cheque.
- Helps reduce cheque fraud.

If you have a UK bank account you can sign up for this service on the Share Portal (by clicking on 'your dividend options' and following the on screen instructions) or by contacting the Customer Support Centre.

#### **Choose to receive your next dividend in your local currency**

If you live outside the UK, Capita has partnered with Deutsche Bank to provide you with a service that will convert your sterling dividends into your local currency at a competitive rate. You can choose to receive payment directly into your local bank account, or alternatively, you can be sent a currency draft.

You can sign up for this service on the Share Portal (by clicking on 'your dividend options' and following the on screen instructions) or by contacting the Customer Support Centre.

#### **For further information contact Capita:**

**By phone** - UK - 0871 664 0385 (UK calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras). From overseas - +44 20 8639 3405. Lines are open 9.00am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays.

**By e-mail** - [ips@capita.co.uk](mailto:ips@capita.co.uk)

#### **Donate your shares to charity**

If you have only a small number of shares which are uneconomical to sell you may wish to donate them to charity free of charge through ShareGift (UK Registered Charity 10528686). Find out more at [www.sharegift.org.uk](http://www.sharegift.org.uk) or by telephoning 020 7930 3737.

#### **Share fraud warning**

Share fraud includes scams where investors are called out of the blue and offered shares that often turn out to be worthless or non-existent, or an inflated price for shares they own. These calls come from fraudsters operating in 'boiler rooms' that are mostly based abroad.

While high profits are promised, those who buy or sell shares in this way usually lose their money.

The Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) has found most share fraud victims are experienced investors who lose an average of £20,000, with around £200m lost in the UK each year.

#### **Protect Yourself**

If you are offered unsolicited investment advice, discounted shares, a premium price for shares you own, or free company or research reports, you should take these steps before handing over any money:

- Get the name of the person and organisation contacting you.
- Check the Financial Services Register at <http://www.fca.org.uk/> to ensure they are authorised.
- Use the details on the FCA Register to contact the firm.
- Call the FCA Consumer Helpline on **0800 111 6768** if there are no contact details on the Register or you are told they are out of date.
- Search our list of unauthorised firms and individuals to avoid doing business with.

#### **REMEMBER: if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is!**

If you use an unauthorised firm to buy or sell shares or other investments, you will not have access to the Financial Ombudsman Service or Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS) if things go wrong.

#### **Report a Scam**

If you are approached about a share scam you should tell the FCA using the share fraud reporting form at <http://www.fca.org.uk/scams>, where you can find out about the latest investment scams. You can also call the Consumer Helpline on **0800 111 6768**.

If you have already paid money to share fraudsters you should contact Action Fraud on **0300 123 2040**.