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## CARSONS MANAGEMENT SERVICES (PRIVATE) LIMITED No. of Company PV 315

Mr. Renuke Wijayawardhane Chief Operating Officer Colombo Stock Exchange #4-01 West Block World Trade Centre Echelon Square, Colombo 1

Our Ref.: BUKI/CSE/ANN/2020/NS/04

Dear Sir,

## ANNOUNCEMENT CORPORATE DISCLOSURE - SALE OF GUARDIAN CAPITAL PARTNERS PLC

In accordance with Section 8.1 of the Listing Rules of the Colombo Stock Exchange, the Company wishes to inform that subsidiaries of Carson Cumberbatch PLC Group, namely Ceylon Guardian Investment Trust PLC ("CGIT") and Guardian Capital Partners PLC ("GCP") have entered into a Share Sale and Purchase Agreement with Gazelle Asset Management Pte Ltd ("GAZELLE") for the sale of 21,692,800 ordinary shares being 83.97% stake held by CGIT in GCP to GAZELLE. The purchase consideration per share will be determined based on the net asset value of the Company as at a date mutually agreed by the parties prior to the transaction plus a premium of LKR 40,000,000/- . The transaction is subject to certain conditions precedent contained in the said Share Sale and Purchase Agreement.

GAZELLE is a company incorporated in Singapore and is unrelated to the Carson Cumberbatch Group or the Company.

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of
BUKIT DARAH PLC
Carsons Management Services (Private) Limited

Director

Secretaries

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