

## **ASX Announcement**

## Market Update for Half Year ended 31 December 2009

**Sydney 18 February 2010:** RP Data Limited (ASX:RPX) today announced a preliminary net profit before tax (NPBT) of \$5.3 million for the six month period ended 31 December 2009, subject to the audit review and completion of half year accounts. This result represents a 24% increase on the previous corresponding period (pcp) or an increase of 48% compared to normalised NPBT in the pcp. This is expected to result in a \$3.8 million net profit after tax (NPAT) an increase of 19% over the pcp. Revenue is expected to be \$28.2 million, being a 14% increase on pcp.

Managing Director, Graham Mirabito, advised that the improving revenue performance announced at the AGM in October has continued with strong analytics and data subscription revenues leading to improved operating performance. The earnings before interest tax depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) margins improved to 35% (up from 33% in pcp).

The group will announce its result for the half year ended 31 December 2009 on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2010, following the finalisation of accounts, completion of the audit review and consideration by the board.

## **Background on RP Data**

Established in 1991, RP Data is the largest supplier of commercial and residential property information services throughout Australia and New Zealand. Subscription clients to RP Data's property information service include over 9,000 real estate agents, valuers, property developers, financial institutions and governments. RP Data is also the largest supplier of electronic valuations and consumer property reports in Australia.

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