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To give the board of Ludowici Limited ('Ludowici') additional time to consider the offer of \$10 per share open till 5:00pm 24 February 2012 as set out in The Weir Group PLC's press release dated 23 February 2012 ('Revised Offer'), Weir has confirmed to Ludowici this morning that the Revised Offer will now remain open for acceptance until 6 hours after a decision from the current sitting Takeovers Panel is made public.



Phil Arnall
Chairman
Ludowici Limited