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Lochard Energy Group Plc

Appointment of joint broker

Lochard Energy Group Plc (“**Lochard**” or the “**Company**”) (AIM: LHD, ASX: LHD) announces that it has appointed Merchant Securities Limited as joint broker to the Company.

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