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Market Response

Monday 13 July 2009: Virgin Blue Airlines Group (ASX: VBA) wishes to respond to statements in an article reported today, Monday, 13 July 2009 in the Fairfax press, including in *The Sydney Morning Herald*, *The Age* and *WA Today*.

Virgin Blue Airlines Group notes the details contained in the article in relation to a potential capital raising, including references in the article to quantum, a cornerstone investor, the appointment of a specific investment bank and a timetable for announcement. Virgin Blue Airlines Group states that this information is not correct.

Given the prevailing macro-economic conditions, Virgin Blue Airlines Group assesses capital management initiatives as appropriate, however the Board has not approved any such transaction as has been reported.

Virgin Blue Airlines Group will continue to comply with the ASX Listing Rules, in particular Listing Rule 3.1.

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