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## ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE ASX

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### IBA Repays \$61.9 million of Debt Owed to AEP

**Sydney – Friday, 27 March 2009 – IBA Health Group Limited (ASX: IBA)** – Australia's largest listed health information technology company today paid all of the Term Equity Bridge Loan and interest owed to AEP Financial Services Holdings Ltd. (AEP).

The repayment of the subordinated secured borrowings plus accrued interest totalling \$61.9 million follows the successful raising of approximately \$82 million from the institutional component of IBA's accelerated non-renounceable pro-rata entitlement offer on March 13.

Executive Chairman and CEO, Gary Cohen, said: "The repayment to AEP removes the most expensive component of our borrowings, and goes a long way to strengthen our balance sheet and boost earnings per share. We look forward to receiving further strong support from the retail component of the offering, which is currently underway."

IBA today allotted 151,848,336 ordinary shares pursuant to the institutional component to the rights offer, increasing its total issued capital to 938,944,351 ordinary shares.

#### End of release

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#### About IBA Health Group

IBA Health Group Limited (ASX-IBA) is the largest health information technology company listed on the Australian Securities Exchange, and trades globally under the name 'iSOFT'.

IBA builds software applications for healthcare. We work with healthcare professionals to design and build solutions that answer all of the difficult questions posed by today's care delivery challenges. Our solutions act as a catalyst for change, supporting the free exchange of critical information across diverse care settings and participant organisations. We are the leader in the provision of advanced application solutions in modern healthcare economies around the world

Today, over 13,000 provider organisations in 36 countries across five continents use IBA's solutions to manage patient information and drive improvements in their core processes. The group's sustainable development is delivered through careful planning, in-depth analysis of our market and anticipation of evolving requirements. Our business is driven by the collective talent, experience and commitment of more than 4,200 specialists around the globe, including over 2,300 technology and development professionals.

A global network of IBA subsidiaries, supported by an extensive partner network, provides substantial experience of national healthcare markets. As a result we offer our customers comprehensive knowledge of local market requirements, in terms of culture, language, working practice, healthcare regulation and organisational structure.

For more information on IBA Health, please visit the company's website at [www.ibahealth.com](http://www.ibahealth.com)