New external board appointment

Listing Rule LR 9.6.14 R (2)

Ann Cairns, a Non-Executive Director of AstraZeneca PLC, is expected to join the Board of Directors of Intercontinental Exchange, Inc., a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange, effective from 2017.

About AstraZeneca

AstraZeneca is a global, science-led biopharmaceutical company that focuses on the discovery, development and commercialisation of prescription medicines, primarily for the treatment of diseases in three therapy areas - Respiratory and Autoimmunity, Cardiovascular and Metabolic Diseases, and Oncology. The Company is also active in inflammation, infection and neuroscience through numerous collaborations. AstraZeneca operates in over 100 countries and its innovative medicines are used by millions of patients worldwide. For more information please visit: www.astrazeneca.com

CONTACTS

Media Enquiries

Neil Burrows	UK/Global	+44 203 749 5637
Vanessa Rhodes	UK/Global	+44 203 749 5736
Karen Birmingham	UK/Global	+44 203 749 5634
Rob Skelding	UK/Global	+44 203 749 5821
Jacob Lund	Sweden	+46 8 553 260 20
Michele Meixell	US	+1 302 885 2677
Investor Relations		
UK		
Thomas Kudsk Larsen		+44 203 749 5712
Craig Marks	Finance, Fixed Income, M&A	+44 7881 615 764
Nick Stone	Respiratory & Autoimmunity	+44 203 749 5716
Henry Wheeler	Oncology	+44 203 749 5797
Christer Gruvris	Infection & Neuroscience	+44 203 749 5711
US		
Lindsey Trickett	Cardiovascular & Metabolic Diseases	+1 240 543 7970

Mitchell Chan Oncology +1 240 477 3771

Toll-free +1 866 381 7277

Adrian Kemp Company Secretary AstraZeneca PLC

-ENDS-