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**Murgitroyd Group PLC
Trading Update**

The Board of Murgitroyd Group PLC ("Murgitroyd"), the Patent and Trade Mark Attorney group quoted on AIM, today provides a trading update. Activity continues to grow as expected with new qualified Attorneys joining it in its Nice, Dublin and Belfast offices. Importantly too, integration of the former Castles practice is progressing as planned and, in this regard, Murgitroyd is delighted to announce its formal appointment as Trade Mark Attorneys to W. Jordan (Cereals) Ltd, the independent, family-owned breakfast cereals and snack producer based in Bedfordshire.

Commenting on the appointment as Attorneys to Jordans, David Castle, London-based Director of Murgitroyd, said: "We are delighted to be invited to work with a company of the tradition and standing of Jordans in the maintenance and protection of their well-known and respected brands".

Murgitroyd also announces that a further five of its professional staff have successfully passed the professional examinations to become UK-qualified Attorneys.

Ian Murgitroyd, Chairman of Murgitroyd, commented: "We are delighted with the successful qualification of yet more of our Attorneys, reflecting both our long-standing investment in a structured professional training programme, and the hard work and commitment of our people."

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