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News Release

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Anglo Pacific Group PLC Director's Share Purchases

Anglo Pacific Group plc ("the Company") announces that Chris Orchard, Executive Director and Chief Investment Officer, bought on 7th December 2009 10,000 shares in the Company at a price of 214.16p per share. Following this notification his revised beneficial interest in the Company is now 50,000 shares representing approximately 0.05% of the issued ordinary share capital.

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