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> > 25<sup>th</sup> October 2007

# **URGENT FAX**

### POLITE FAMILY REQUEST FOR HELP

### PLEASE DO NOT DESTROY - PLEASE DO NOT IGNORE – PLEASE ACT NOW

To The Directors Martin Currie Investment Management Ltd Saltire Court 20 Castle Terrace Edinburgh EH1 2ES

Faxed to: 0131 228 5959

If you are unsure what to do with this letter, **<u>please forward it immediately</u>** to your Head of Department, Line Manager, or Press and Media Enquiries / Newsdesk. Thank You.

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## **Martin Currie Investment Management Ltd**

Dear Directors, Board Members, Gentlemen,

### David Shearer - Your Associate - Martin Currie Investment Management Ltd

#### Chairman Crest Nicholson Group

### The Shalom Family Campaign for Social Justice

With reference to the above and further to our enquiries made today, we would be very grateful for your little consideration and perhaps assistance.

Our Family, with five children, was evicted some four years ago on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2003, with our own Houseboat Home of 14 years, from a Crest Nicholson development at Penarth Marina, just inside Cardiff Bay in Wales. Our Home, which was our property, was seized and later destroyed. Our entire Family's personal private possessions were also seized and have still not been returned to us.

Although the matter was indeed handled through the courts and judgment was made against our Family, essentially on the grounds of trespass, we believe, that Crest Nicholson acted immorally, in creating the whole situation. Their immoral actions absolutely guaranteed successful court proceedings. The detail of that matter is recorded to our official Shalom Family Campaign for Social Justice Website at http://www.mvpicton.co.uk and we would be very grateful if you would avail your goodselves of the pertinent facts and more background details to our case.

It has recently come to our attention that Mr. David Shearer, former director of HBOS plc, a company that was indeed listed as a 'major investor' with Crest Nicholson, at the time of our eviction, (and aware of our Family Campaign for Social Justice) has also recently been appointed as Chairman of the Crest Nicholson Group.

Most regrettably, it would seem that Crest Nicholson is presently a little reticent in advertising this fact. Clearly, your company is not as reticent.

After four years of determined and polite enquiry with Crest Nicholson and various other third parties, including major investors, our Family is desperate and exhausted but we are also determined to see our enquiries through. We believe our campaign for social justice is a 'just cause'.

Despite our many efforts we seem unable to get the best attention that we believe our Family deserves, of the Crest Nicholson Board of Directors, and it is to this effect, and mindful of your associations with Mr. Shearer, that we would be very grateful if you would kindly, "blow in his ear". With respect!

We hope you will understand and accept this open appeal as intended. We hope you are not offended in our approach to you, but as we say, we are desperate and sick of the injustice which has been done to our Family. Any help which could be initiated by your organisation, and/or, any of your goodselves, would be most welcome and very much appreciated.

Should you have any queries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Vince and Marie Louise Shalom

With our children, Hannah, Naomi, Rachel, Rebekah and Jessica (Formerly of the Houseboat M V Picton, Penarth Marina, Cardiff Bay, Wales).

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