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Initial Director's Interest Notice

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| Name of entity APN NEWS & MEDIA LIMITED |
| ABN 95 008 637 643 |

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.1 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

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| Name of Director | Ciaran James Davis |
| Date of appointment | 24 August 2016 |

Part 1 - Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is the registered holder *In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust*

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

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| Number & class of securities |
| 14,858 fully paid Ordinary Shares in APN News & Media Limited |
| 225,557 Performance Rights under the APN LTI plan |

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Part 2 – Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is not the registered holder

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

| Name of holder & nature of interest | Number & class of Securities |
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| Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest. | |
| Nil | |

Part 3 – Director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

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| Detail of contract | Nil |
| Nature of interest | |
| Name of registered holder (if issued securities) | |
| No. and class of securities to which interest relates | |

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