

FAIRPOINT.

31 March 2008

Fairpoint Group plc (“Fairpoint” or “the Company”)

Total Voting rights

In conformity with the Disclosure and Transparency Rules the Company would like to notify the market of the following:

The Company's capital consists of 42,449,040 ordinary shares with voting rights. No ordinary shares are held in treasury.

Therefore the total number of ordinary shares in the Company with voting rights is 42,449,040.

The above figure of 42,449,040 ordinary shares may be used by shareholders as the denominator for the calculations by which they will determine if they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interest in, the Company under the FSA 's Disclosure and Transparency Rules.

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