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John Fairfax Holdings Limited

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Preferred Reset Securities Exchangeable for Shares (“PRESSES”)

SYDNEY, 18 November, 2005: John Fairfax Holdings Limited [ASX: FXJ] announces the payment of a half-yearly fully franked dividend of \$3.7101 per PRESSES payable on 12 December 2005. The record date for the dividend will be 1 December 2005.

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