



Block Listing of Shares

Application has been made to the UK Listing Authority and the London Stock Exchange for a block listing of 604,354 ordinary shares of 5p each in RPC Group Plc (the "Company"). These shares are being allotted to trade on the London Stock Exchange and to be admitted to the Official List upon allotment pursuant to the Company's obligations under the RPC Group 1993 Savings Related Share Option Scheme (the "Scheme"). Participants in the Scheme have or will become entitled to these shares following the exercise of share options. These shares will rank equally with the existing issued ordinary shares of the Company.

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