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Notification Of Transactions By Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibilities

Burford Capital Limited ("Burford"), the leading global finance and asset management firm focused on law, provides the following notification of various transactions by persons discharging managerial responsibilities (each, a "PDMR").

Investment by Executive Officers in Burford's Ordinary Shares

On March 6 and 7, 2025, certain executive officers used their respective cash compensation to invest in aggregate over $17.5 million in Burford's ordinary shares of nil par value ("Shares") through the Burford Capital Deferred Compensation Plan. These investments total over 1.2 million Shares, comprising 630,249 Shares by Chief Executive Officer Mr. Bogart, 565,041 Shares by Chief Investment Officer Mr. Molot, 90,489 Shares by Chief Strategy Officer Ms. O'Connell, 1,610 Shares by President Ms. Will and 744 Shares by Chief Financial Officer Mr. Licht.

In addition, on March 10, 2025, Travis Lenkner, Burford's Chief Development Officer, purchased 25,283 Shares on the New York Stock Exchange at $13.25 per Share.

Christopher Bogart, Burford Capital's Chief Executive Officer, commented:

"As founders of Burford, Jon and I have always been highly aligned with shareholders in owning a significant

stake in the company. We are excited about the trajectory of the portfolio and our business, and believe strongly in Burford's ability to generate shareholder value through the business of law. Following the recent movement in our share price after what we believe was a terrific year of performance in 2024, we have purchased more than a million additional shares, joined by other members of our senior leadership team."

Investment by Non-Executive Director in Burford's Ordinary Shares

On March 7, 2025, Chris Halmy, non-executive Vice Chair of Burford's board of directors, used his cash compensation to purchase 742 Shares through the Burford Capital Deferred Compensation Plan.

The Notification of Dealing Forms for each of the transactions set forth above are included at the end of this announcement.

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1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**	
	(a) Name	Christopher P. Bogart
2	**Reason for the notification**	
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Executive Officer
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**	
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277
4	**Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted**	
	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s): $ 13.71 / Volume(s): 544,011.6
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A
	(e) Date of the transaction	6 March 2025
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue

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	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of unvested notional Ordinary Shares pursuant to the provisions of Burford's deferred compensation plan due to vest in 2027	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ Nil	181,338.0
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	6 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

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	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s): $ 13.47 / Volume(s): 86,237.40
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue

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	(a) Name	Christopher P. Bogart	
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	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of unvested notional Ordinary Shares pursuant to the provisions of Burford's deferred compensation plan due to vest in 2027	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ Nil	28,746.0
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**	
	(a) Name	Jonathan T. Molot
2	**Reason for the notification**	
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Investment Officer
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**	
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s): $ 13.71 / Volume(s): 478,200.9
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A
	(e) Date of the transaction	6 March 2025
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Jonathan T. Molot	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Investment Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277	
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares	
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of unvested notional Ordinary Shares pursuant to the provisions of Burford's deferred compensation plan due to vest in 2027	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ Nil	159,401.0
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	6 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

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	(a) Name	Jonathan T. Molot	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Investment Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
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	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ 13.47	86,840.1
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Jonathan T. Molot	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Investment Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
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	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of unvested notional Ordinary Shares pursuant to the provisions of Burford's deferred compensation plan due to vest in 2027	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ Nil	28,947.0
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Aviva Will	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of President	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277	
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares	
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ 13.71	1,610.3
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	6 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Jordan Licht	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Financial Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277	
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares	
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ 13.47	744.8
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Jordan Licht	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Financial Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
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	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of unvested notional Ordinary Shares pursuant to the provisions of Burford's deferred compensation plan due to vest in 2027	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ Nil	249.0
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**	
	(a) Name	Elizabeth O'Connell
2	**Reason for the notification**	
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Strategy Officer
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**	
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s): $ 13.47 / Volume(s): 90,489.5
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Elizabeth O'Connell	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Strategy Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277	
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares	
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of unvested notional Ordinary Shares pursuant to the provisions of Burford's deferred compensation plan due to vest in 2027	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ Nil	30,164.0
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**		
	(a) Name	Travis Lenkner	
2	**Reason for the notification**		
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Chief Development Officer	
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial	
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**		
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited	
	(b) LEI	549300FUKUWFYJMT2277	
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Ordinary Shares	
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96	
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Purchase of Ordinary Shares	
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s)	Volume(s)
		$ 13.25	19,000
		$ 13.25	4,928
		$ 13.25	55
		$ 13.25	1,300
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A	
	(e) Date of the transaction	10 March 2025	
	(f) Place of the transaction	New York Stock Exchange	

1	**Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated**	
	(a) Name	Christopher Halmy
2	**Reason for the notification**	
	(a) Position/status	A PDMR occupying the position of Vice Chair of the Board of Directors and Non-Executive Director
	(b) Initial notification /Amendment	Initial
3	**Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor**	
	(a) Name	Burford Capital Limited
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	(a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Notional Ordinary Shares
	Identification code	GG00BMGYLN96
	(b) Nature of the transaction	Allocation of fully vested notional Ordinary Shares equivalent to a deferred amount of cash compensation under Burford's deferred compensation plan
	(c) Price(s)and volume(s)	Price(s): $ 13.47 / Volume(s): 742.4
	(d) Aggregated information • Aggregated volume • Price	N/A
	(e) Date of the transaction	7 March 2025
	(f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue

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