

**3 October 2017**

**Porta Communications Plc**  
("Porta" or the "Company" or the "Group")  
**Director's Shareholding**

Porta Communications Plc, the AIM quoted international marketing and communications business, has been notified that Mr Rhydian Bankes, the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, has today purchased 125,000 ordinary shares of 1p each in the Company ("Ordinary Shares") at a price of 3.785p per Ordinary Share.

Following this purchase, Mr Bankes is beneficially interested in 125,000 Ordinary Shares in Porta, representing 0.03 per cent. of the Company's issued share capital.

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*The information contained within this announcement is deemed to constitute inside information as stipulated under the Market Abuse Regulations (EU) No. 596/2014. Upon the publication of this announcement, this inside information is now considered to be in the public domain.*

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**Notes to Editors**

Porta is a fully integrated communications and marketing group with specialisms including financial, corporate and consumer public relations, public affairs and research and multi-capability marketing, brand and creative communications.

The group has offices in Abu Dhabi, Beijing, Brisbane, Bristol, Canberra, Cardiff, Edinburgh, Hong Kong, London, Manchester, Melbourne, Perth, Singapore and Sydney.

The brands and companies it owns are Newgate Communications, Redleaf Communications, Publicasity, 2112 Communications and Summit Marketing Services.

Porta Communications' corporate website is [www.portacomms.com](http://www.portacomms.com)

The notifications below are made in accordance with the requirements of the EU regulation on market abuse.

**Template for notification and public disclosure of transactions by persons discharging managerial responsibilities and persons closely associated with them**

<b>1</b>	<b>Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated</b>	
a)	Name	Rhydian Nicholas Wynne Bankes
<b>2</b>	<b>Reason for the notification</b>	
a)	Position/status	Chief Financial Officer
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification
<b>3</b>	<b>Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor</b>	
a)	Name	Porta Communications Plc
b)	LEI	213800E2NB62KDYOM55
<b>4</b>	<b>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</b>	

a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument  Identification code	Ordinary Shares of 1 pence each  ISIN: GB00B71C7K21				
b)	Nature of the transaction	Acquisition of ordinary shares				
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Price(s)</th> <th>Volume(s)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>3.785p</td> <td>125,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Price(s)	Volume(s)	3.785p	125,000
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d)	Aggregated information  - Aggregated volume  - Price  -Aggregated total	125,000  3.785p  £4,731				
e)	Date of the transaction	3 October 2017				
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange, AIM Market (XLON)				