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Barclays PLC

Barclays announces receipt of binding offer of \$13.5 billion (£8.2 billion) by BlackRock for BGI

Conference Call / Webcast Details

A conference call for analysts and institutional investors will be hosted by John Varley, Barclays Group Chief Executive and Robert E Diamond Jr, Barclays Group President. The call will start at **09:00 (BST) on Friday 12 June**.

You are invited to listen to the briefing and participate in the subsequent Q&A session.

The details for access are outlined below.

To access the live conference call commencing at 09:00 (BST):

Telephone numbers:

From the United Kingdom – 0845 401 9092

From all other locations – + 44 20 3023 4419

Password: Barclays

To access the live audio webcast:

Access the live audio webcast via the investor relations website at:

<http://pres.investorrelations.barclays.co.uk/barclays081/default.asp>

Format: Opportunity to listen remotely to the live briefing and subsequent Q&As.

Replay

Both the conference call and webcast will be available to listen to after the event. Access will be available via the IR website at the above address.

The conference call will be available to listen to for 28 days after the event.

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