

**AVANGARDCO INVESTMENTS PUBLIC LIMITED  
OCTOBER 2017 INTEREST PAYMENT**

**30 October 2017** – Avangardco Investments Public Limited (“**AVG**”) and UkrLandFarming PLC (“**ULF**”), and their advisors, Latham & Watkins LLP and Ziff-Ivin Associates Ltd, continue to be engaged in discussions with various creditor groups. As part of these discussions, they have begun working with an ad hoc committee of bondholders (the “**Committee**”) and its advisors, Hogan Lovells International LLP and Ernst & Young LLC, regarding the treatment of AVG’s U.S.\$200,000,000 10.0 per cent. Notes due 2018 (ISIN: XS0553088708) (the “**AVG Notes**”) and ULF’s U.S.\$500,000,000 10.875 per cent. Notes due 2018 (Regulation S ISIN: XS0908502452 / Rule 144A ISIN: US903726AA55) (the “**ULF Notes**”, and together with the AVG Notes, the “**Notes**”). The Committee represents approximately 50% of the AVG Notes and approximately 40% of the ULF Notes. The company expects that any restructuring of the company’s debt including the Notes (the “**Proposal**”) will include a request to restructure the interest payment due under the AVG Notes on 30 October 2017 (the “**October 2017 Interest Payment**”), in addition to the interest payment that was due under the AVG Notes on 2 May 2017. Consequently, the October 2017 Interest Payment will not be paid on 30 October 2017.

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