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Dear Sir

James Hardie Industries' Annual Meetings

As required under Listing Rule 3.13.1, James Hardie Industries advises that it will hold its Annual General Meeting in Ballroom B, Hilton Amsterdam, Apollolaan 138, 1077 BG Amsterdam, The Netherlands at 10.00am Central Europe Time (CET) on Friday, 17 August 2007.

The 2007 Annual Information Meeting of CUFS holders of James Hardie Industries NV will be held at The Westin Hotel, No.1 Martin Place, Sydney, NSW, Australia at 1.00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on Wednesday, 15 August 2007.

Yours faithfully,

Benjamin P Butterfield Company Secretary

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