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Name of Announcer *	GP BATTERIES INT LTD
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Announcement is submitted by *	Tan San-Ju
Designation *	Company Secretary
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Announcement Title *	DIVIDEND AND CLOSURE OF BOOKS
Description	 DIVIDEND Further to the announcement made on 24 May 2006, the Board of Directors of GP Batteries International Limited (the "Company") wishes to announce that the Company's final tax-exempt dividend of 2.3 Singapore cents per ordinary share for the year ended 31 March 2006 will be paid on 18 August 2006 if approved at the Annual General Meeting to be held on 26 July 2006. CLOSURE OF BOOKS Notice is hereby given that the transfer books and register of members of the Company will be closed on 8 August 2006 for the preparation of dividend warrants. Registrable transfers received by the Company's Registrar, LIM ASSOCIATES (PTE) LTD of 10 Collyer Quay #19-08, Ocean Building, Singapore 049315 by 5.00 p.m. on 7 August 2006 will be registered before entitlements to the dividend are determined.