



ASX announcement

11 September 2006

RAMSAY HEALTH CARE - CARES DIVIDEND

In accordance with the Ramsay Health Care Limited Convertible Adjustable Rate Equity Securities ('CARES') Prospectus dated 27 April 2005 a fully franked interim dividend will be paid to all registered holders of CARES on the 20 October 2006

The record date for the interim dividend is close of business **5.00pm Friday 6 October 2006**

The dividend will be calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Dividend Rate} \times \$100 \times N}{365}$$

Where:

Dividend Rate = 6.0492% (Dividend Rate for the Dividend Period)

N – number of days in the Dividend Period = 183 days

The nominal amount payable per CARES is \$3.0329.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ransley".

Larry Ransley
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