



ASX announcement

27 September 2005

RAMSAY HEALTH CARE - CARES DIVIDEND

In accordance with the Ramsay Health Care Limited Convertible Adjustable Rate Equity Securities ('CARES') Prospectus dated 27 April 2005 and the ASX announcement on 24 May 2005, a fully franked dividend will be paid to all registered holders of CARES on the 20 October 2005.

The record date for the dividend is close of business 5.00pm Thursday 6 October 2005

The dividend will be calculated as follows:

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

Where:

Dividend Rate = 6.013% (Dividend Rate for the Dividend Period)

N – number of days in the Dividend Period = 149 days (determined from the Allotment Date - 24 May to (but not including) the following Dividend Payment Date - 20 October)

The nominal amount payable per CARES is \$2.4546.

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