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Vodafone Group Plc 17 January 2005 VODAFONE GROUP PLC KPI CLOSE PERIOD SHARE PURCHASES Vodafone Group Plc ("Vodafone") announces that on 14 January 2005 it instructed an intermediary to deliver irrevocable instructions to a number of banks to purchase its shares on its behalf during the period from today's date to the date of publication of its key performance indicators for the period ended 31 December 2004, scheduled for 26 January 2005 (the "KPI Close Period"). The purchase of shares in the KPI Close Period pursuant to the irrevocable instructions will be effected in accordance with the authority to purchase shares granted to Vodafone at its Annual General Meeting on 27 July 2004. This announcement does not constitute, or form part of, an offer or any solicitation of an offer for securities in any jurisdiction. This information is provided by RNS The company news service from the London Stock Exchange admin

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