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CHIEF EXECUTIVE RESIGNS FOR PRIVATE FAMILY REASONS

Major General Jeremy Rougier has announced his decision not to continue as Chief Executive of the London Docklands Development Corporation (LDDC) due to private family reasons.

Sir Christopher Benson, Chairman of the LDDC comments:

"It is with great regret that the Board have accepted Jeremy Rougier's decision after such a promising start. We believe he would have been an excellent Chief Executive.

"I have been fully informed of the very personal circumstances surrounding the decision and have expressed my and the Board's support for him. The search for a replacement starts immediately."

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Note to Editors

Major General Rougier has specifically requested that the reasons behind his decision remain absolutely private. There will therefore be no further comments or statements made.

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