

British Smaller Companies VCT plc (“the Company”)

Purchase of Own Securities and Total Voting Rights

The Company announces that on 30 September 2008 it purchased 188,072 Ordinary shares of 10 pence each at a price of 88.5 pence per share. These shares will be held in Treasury.

The Company’s issued share capital consists of 30,752,447 Ordinary Shares with voting rights. In addition, the company holds 1,050,955 shares in Treasury.

The above figure may be used by shareholders as the denominator for the calculations by which they will determine if they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interest in the Company under the FSA’s Disclosure and Transparency Rules.

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