

27th March 2013 at 7.00 am

**Numis Corporation Plc
Trading Update**

Wednesday 27th March 2013 at 7.00am: Numis Corporation Plc (“Numis”) is today issuing a trading update relating to the six months ended 31st March 2013.

We reported at the time of our Annual General Meeting in February that the current year had seen an encouraging start. Since then, activity in all areas of our business has strengthened and for the six months ended 31st March 2013, we expect to report revenues and profits substantially above the same period last year.

During the downturn, our strategy has been to grow our corporate client list, build close relationships with institutions and hire high quality people. This strategy is beginning to bear fruit and we have seen a marked improvement in both secondary and primary income.

The announcement of Numis’ half year results for the six months ended 31st March 2013 will be made on Tuesday 7th May 2013.

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