## Aberforth Smaller Companies Trust plc

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## Market Purchase by the Company of its own Ordinary Shares

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The Board of Aberforth Smaller Companies Trust plc ("ASCoT") hereby gives notification that, pursuant to the authority granted at the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on 5 March 2024 to make market purchases of the Company's own shares, a market purchase of 23,000 Ordinary shares of the Company was made on 06 January 2025, at a price of 1,477.2217p per share. Â

Following the purchase and cancellation of the above shares, 83,767,105 Ordinary shares will remain in issue. A total of 467,500 Ordinary shares have been purchased and cancelled under the above authority.

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