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## TREATT PLC ("Treatt" or "the Group")

## **AGM Trading Update**

Treatt, the manufacturer and supplier of a diverse and sustainable portfolio of natural extracts and ingredients for the beverage, flavour and fragrance industries, provides the following update on trading in the year to date, ahead of its Annual General Meeting to be held later today at 10:30 a.m. at the Group's UK Headquarters at Skyliner Way, Bury St Edmunds

Revenue in Q1, which is our quietest quarter, was in line with management's expectations. Q2 has started well and we are encouraged by a robust pipeline and order intake. In Heritage 11, we continue to leverage our deep knowledge and product capabilities to provide solutions to our customers against a market backdrop of continued high orange oil prices. We remain focussed on growing higher margin Premium volumes and are well placed with opportunities with both new and existing customers. In New Markets<sup>3</sup>, our China business continues to progress well and we are looking forward to opening our Shanghai Innovation Centre later this year.

In line with the evolved strategy set out in our 2024 full year results, our new organisational structure went live on 1 January 2025, increasing regionally focussed activity levels and helping us to get closer to our customers.

Cash generation continues to be a focus and remains in line with management's expectations for the full year.

Management's outlook for the full year remains unchanged.

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## **About the Group**

Treatt is a global, independent manufacturer and supplier of a diverse and sustainable portfolio of natural extracts and ingredients for the flavour, fragrance and multinational consumer product industries, particularly in the beverage sector. Renowned for its technical expertise and knowledge of ingredients, their origins and market conditions, Treatt is recognised as a leader in its field.

The Group employs over 400 people in Europe. North America and Asia and has manufacturing facilities in the UK and US. Its international footprint enables the Group to deliver powerful and integrated solutions for the food, beverage and fragrance industries across the globe.

For further information about the Group, visit www.treatt.com.

## **CAUTIONARY STATEMENT ABOUT FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This announcement contains forward-looking statements that are subject to risk factors associated with, among other things, the economic and business circumstances occurring from time to time in the countries, sectors and markets in which the Group operates. It is believed that the expectations reflected in these statements are reasonable, but they may be affected by a wide range of variables which could cause actual results to differ materially from those currently anticipated. No assurances can be

given that the forward-looking statements in this announcement will be realised. The forward-looking statements reflect the knowledge and information available at the date of preparation of this announcement and the Group undertakes no obligation to update these forward-looking statements. Nothing in this announcement should be construed as a profit forecast.

[1] 'Heritage': Citrus, Herbs Spices and Florals and Synthetic Aroma

[2] 'Premium': Fruit & Vegetables, Health & Wellness and Tea

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 'New markets': China, Treattzest and Coffee