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#### Eden Research plc

("Eden" or "the Company")

### Director/PDMR Shareholding

Eden Research plc (AIM: EDEN), a leader in sustainable biopesticide and biocontrol technology, announces that on 6 February 2025, Lykele van der Broek, Non-Executive Chairman, purchased 256,000 ordinary shares of £0.01 each in the Company ("Ordinary Shares") at a price of 3.90 pence per Ordinary Share.

Following the purchase outlined above, Lykele van der Broek's interest in the share capital of the Company is 1,877,808 Ordinary Shares, representing 0.35 per cent. of the Company's issued share capital.

The notification below, made in accordance with the requirements of the EU Market Abuse Regulation, provides further detail.

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## Notes to Editors:

**Eden Research** is the only UK-listed company focused on biopesticides for sustainable agriculture. It develops and supplies innovative biopesticide products and natural microencapsulation technologies to the global crop protection, animal health and consumer products industries.

Eden's products are formulated with terpene active ingredients, based on natural plant defence metabolites. To date, they have been primarily used on high-value fruits and vegetables, improving crop yields and marketability, with equal or better performance when compared with conventional pesticides. Eden has three products currently on the market:

Based on plant-derived active ingredients, **Mevalone**® is a foliar biofungicide which initially targets a key disease affecting grapes and other high-value fruit and vegetable crops. It is a useful tool in crop defence programmes and is aligned with the requirements of integrated pest management programmes. It is approved for sale in a number of key countries whilst Eden and its partners pursue regulatory clearance in new territories thereby growing Eden's addressable market globally.

Novellus@+ is an evolution of Mevalone, allowing improved rates in the field, high levels of efficacy and a broader list of

Cedroz<sup>TM</sup> is a bionematicide that targets free living nematodes which are parasitic worms that affect a wide range of high-value fruit and vegetable crops globally. Cedroz is registered for sale on two continents and Eden's commercial collaborator, Eastman Chemical, is pursuing registration and commercialisation of this important new product in numerous countries globally.

Eden's seed treatment product, **Ecovelex<sup>TM</sup>** was developed to safely tackle crop destruction caused by birds - a major cause of losses in maize and other crops. Ecovelex works by creating an unpleasant taste or odour that repels birds, leaving the seeds safely intact and the birds unaffected and free to find alternative food sources. The product is based on Eden's plant-derived chemistry, registered in the EU, U.S. and elsewhere, and formulated using Eden's Sustaine<sup>®</sup> microencapsulation system.

Eden's **Sustaine**<sup>®</sup> encapsulation technology is used to harmess the biocidal efficacy of naturally occurring chemicals produced by plants (terpenes) and can also be used with both natural and synthetic compounds to enhance their performance and ease-of-use. Sustaine microcapsules are naturally-derived, plastic-free, biodegradable micro-spheres derived from yeast. It is one of the only viable, proven and immediately registerable solutions to the microplastics problem in formulations requiring encapsulation.

Eden was admitted to trading on AIM on 11 May 2012 and trades under the symbol EDEN. It was awarded the London Stock Exchange **Green Economy Mark** in January 2021, which recognises London-listed companies that derive over 50% of their total annual revenue from products and services that contribute to the global green economy. Eden derives 100% of its total annual revenues from sustainable products and services.

For more information about Eden, please visit: <a href="www.edenresearch.com">www.edenresearch.com</a>. You can also follow Eden's latest developments via its social media channels: <a href="X(Twitter">X(Twitter)</a>) and <a href="LinkedIn">LinkedIn</a>.

The Company makes the following disclosures in accordance with article 19(3) of the Market Abuse Regulation:

1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated	
a)	Name	Lykele van der Broek
2	Reason for the notification	
a)	Position/status	Non-Executive Chairman
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor	
a)	Name	Eden Research plc
b)	LEI	213800ZWTYTVQQSM3J85
4	Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted	
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Ordinary Shares of 1 pence each
	Identification code	GB0001646941
b)	Nature of the transaction	Purchase of Ordinary Shares
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	256,000 Ordinary Shares at 3.90 pence per Ordinary Share
d)	Aggregated information	N/A

	- Aggregated volume	
	- Price	
e)	Date of the transaction	6 February 2025
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange

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