ASCENDIS HEALTH LIMITED (Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa) (Registration number 2008/005856/06) ISIN: ZAE000185005 Share code: ASC ("Ascendis")

Dealings in securities by directors

In terms of paragraphs 3.63 to 3.65 of the JSE Limited ("the JSE") Listings Requirements ("the Listings Requirements"), the following information, relating to dealings in securities by directors, is disclosed:

Directors:	Gary Shayne and Crispian Dillon
Nature of the transaction:	Further to the announcement released on 26 November 2014 referring to the agreements entered into between Gane Holdings Proprietary Limited ("Gane Holdings") and WDB Investment Holdings Proprietary Limited ("WDB Agreement") and Gane Holdings and Senatla Capital Proprietary Limited ("Senatla Agreement"), Ascendis shareholders are hereby advised of the settlement of the first tranches of the convertible debentures by way of a transfer of Ascendis ordinary shares at a pre- determined discount to the prevailing share price, and as such the directors do not exercise discretion in the timing of this transaction. The discount was only applied to achieve an agreed return for the debentures and therefore should not be used to evaluate a fair share price for Ascendis in the open market. No fees are payable by Ascendis to Gane Holdings relating to the implementation of this Agreement. Gane Holdings is a 100% held subsidiary of Coast2Coast Investments Proprietary Limited in which Gary Shayne holds an 85% indirect interest and Crispian Dillon holds a 15% indirect interest.
WDB Agreement	
Total number of shares: Price per share: Total transaction value: Date of transaction: Class of shares: Transaction type:	1,155,502 R17.3085 R20,000,000 4 December 2015 Ordinary Shares Sale, off market
Senatla Agreement	
Total number of shares: Price per share: Total transaction value: Date of transaction: Class of shares: Transaction type:	585,857 R17.069 R10,000,000 7 December 2015 Ordinary Shares Sale, off market

Extent of interest:	Indirect beneficial, through Gane Holdings, in which Gary Shayne has an 85% indirect beneficial interest and Crispian Dillon has a 15% indirect beneficial interest.
Written clearance obtained:	Clearance was obtained from the Chairman.
8 December 2015	
Johannesburg	
Sponsor	
Investec Bank Limited	