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PRESS STATEMENT

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WHITTLE JONES SPONSORS LOCAL RUGBY TEAM.

Whittle Jones are delighted to sponsor Leyland Warriors Rugby Club. The company has donated funds to supply the club with six team kits for players aged 8 to 15 years.

Phil Roberts of Leyland Warriors commented "We would like to express our gratitude to Whittle Jones for their sponsorship, which has enabled us to provide our youth and junior teams with not just one but six new playing kits. In the current economic climate, this is an incredibly generous donation. Leyland Warriors has seen tremendous growth in player numbers recently and a major issue this brings providing kits for new teams. Thanks to Whittle Jones, the club can continue to develop without any such concerns for several seasons to come."

A spokesperson on behalf of Whittle Jones added "We are delighted to be sponsoring a local sports club. Leyland Warriors Rugby was founded in 1993 by a group of parents who wanted to provide rugby league opportunities for young people in South Ribble; and we are pleased to be able to assist with the development of those youngsters aiming to progress through the ranks."

Whittle Jones Chartered Surveyors manage the commercial and industrial portfolio on behalf of Northern Trust, an industrial/commercial property investor/developer, with a portfolio in excess of 8 million sq ft.

The portfolio consists of industrial workshop and warehouse units together with office buildings, suites and business parks with sizes ranging from c 500 sq ft. These are managed by Whittle Jones regional offices at Chorley covering the North West and Scotland, at Newcastle covering the North East; at Wakefield covering Yorkshire and at Birmingham covering the Midlands. From each regional office Whittle Jones can accommodate a wide variety of occupational requirements on flexible terms, offering a fast and efficient service from professional management teams. Whittle Jones is dedicated to assisting new and existing businesses expand and relocate where possible in the portfolio. The North West office has a long history in the region with a range of industrial and office accommodation covering over a quarter of a million sq ft; available to let in the Leyland, Chorley and Preston area.

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