



**AIB will announce details of Ludwig investigation tomorrow
13th March 2002**

Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c. ("AIB") will make an announcement tomorrow Thursday 14 March at 7am local time following the completion of the Ludwig investigation and the consideration of the report by the AIB Board.

Press briefing and conference call details with Lochlann Quinn, AIB Chairman, Michael Buckley, AIB Group Chief Executive and Eugene A. Ludwig are as follows:

08:30

Investor / analyst conference call

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11:00

Press briefing, Bankcentre, Dublin

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