

Appendix 3Y

Change of Director's Interest Notice

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

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Name of entity James Hardie Industries N.V.
ARBN 097 829 895 Incorporated in The Netherlands. The liability of members is limited.

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	Mr John D BARR
Date of last notice	18 December 2006

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct interest
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	N/A
Date of change	26 March 2007
No. of securities held prior to change	21,000 CUFS held by National Nominees Ltd for J&M Barr trust; and 2,605 CUFS registered in the name of the Director.
Class	CUFS
Number acquired	872 CUFS
Number disposed	Nil
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	\$7,512.00

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

No. of securities held after change	• 21,000 CUFS held by National Nominees Ltd for J&M Barr trust; and • 3,477 CUFS registered in the name of the Director.
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	Acquired on market under the 2006 Supervisory Board Share Plan under which a Director can elect to receive a percentage of the Director's fees in the form of CUFS.

Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	N/A
Nature of interest	N/A
Name of registered holder (if issued securities)	N/A
Date of change	N/A
No. and class of securities to which interest related prior to change Note: Details are only required for a contract in relation to which the interest has changed	N/A
Interest acquired	N/A
Interest disposed	N/A
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation	N/A
Interest after change	N/A

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