

Capital repayment schedule to be announced separately

The company has received many inquiries regarding the schedule of capital repayment. The AGM decided in March that a capital repayment amounting to EUR 0.53 per share will be paid. This requires a process by government authorities. Alma Media will inform about the record date and payment date by a stock exchange release. The estimate is that the payment will take place by the end of September 2006.

Q2 result out on 11 August

Alma Media's second quarter result will be published on Friday, 11 August at 9.00 a.m. EET. The Q2 presentation will be available at <http://www.almamedia.fi/home> at 11.00 a.m. EET. The webcast featuring Mr. **Kai Telanne** (President and CEO) and Mr. **Teemu Kangas-Kärki** (CFO) will start at 3.00 p.m. EET. The conference call begins at 3.30 p.m. EET. Please call at +44-20 7162 0025, if you wish to participate.

Silent time begins

The three-week silent time starts officially on 21 July, but in real life it starts in the beginning of July due to summer holidays. The silent time ends on 11 August when the Q2 results are published. If you wish to meet the management after the result, please contact me. I will be working until 7 July and back to office on 31 July.

Have a great summer!

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