

RUUKKI GROUP PLC

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING ON 10 MAY 2012

**THE PROPOSAL OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
ON THE ELECTION OF THE AUDITOR**

The Board of Directors proposes to the Annual General Meeting according to the recommendation by the company's Audit Committee that Authorised Public Accountant Firm Ernst & Young Oy would be re-elected as the auditor of the company. Ernst & Young Oy has proposed that the auditor with the main responsibility would be APA Tomi Englund.

Helsinki on 18 April 2012

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