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JUDGMENT – STANDARD & POOR'S (S&P), ABN AMRO AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

- 1. The directors of IMF (Australia) are pleased to announce the Federal Court entered judgment today in the councils' claim against S&P and ABN Amro.
- 2. The Court ordered LGFS, ABN AMRO and S&P to pay a total amount of about \$20.2 million to the Applicants plus costs.
- 3. This judgment is about \$2.4 million greater than the estimated judgment amount used to calculate revenue from this investment in IMF's results to 31 December 2012. Accordingly, an extra amount of about \$0.9 million profit before tax will be included in the second half of FY2013.
- 4. Further information is available by calling IMF on 1800 016 464 or on IMF's website at www.imf.com.au.

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