



## **AGM Statement & Trading Update**

### **Double Digit Growth in Adjusted EBITDA Reaffirmed for FY 2018**

**Dublin, Ireland, 18 June 2018** – Datalex plc (ISE: DLE), a market leader in digital commerce driving revenue and loyalty for global travel retailers, will host its AGM today at 11am at its Headquarters in EastPoint, Dublin 3, Ireland. At the AGM, Paschal Taggart, Chairman of Datalex, will make the following comments:

“Building on our growth in 2017, trading performance to date in 2018 has been in line with expectations, and we are confident that we will again deliver double digit growth in Adjusted EBITDA for FY 2018.

We continue to drive revenue growth from our existing customer base, while our new business pipeline continues to expand. We are seeing demand for the Datalex Digital Commerce Platform grow, as the pace of the digital transformation of the airline industry accelerates, and as more people are travelling by air - IATA has recently forecast a near doubling of the number of global air passengers from a projected 4 billion in 2018 to 7.8 billion in 2035.

In addition to this growth in our core market opportunity, Datalex is also targeting the Travel Loyalty market; we recently signed a contract to deliver a new loyalty commerce platform to Multiplus of Brazil. Entry into the loyalty commerce sector represents a major opportunity for our future growth, and provides further momentum to our business development strategy.

Both Multiplus and the Lufthansa Group will go live and begin generating platform revenue later in 2018, and will drive our Adjusted EBITDA growth in 2019 and beyond.

On June 12th we held our first Capital Markets Day for investors and analysts at the London Stock Exchange. This provided a forum for attendees to gain further insight from our leadership team on the business model, market opportunity and platform technology strategy. We also provided insights to our cloud strategy, and how this will drive greater delivery efficiency, and extend our product and market reach.”

#### **About Datalex**

Datalex is a market leader in digital commerce for travel retailers. The Datalex Digital Commerce Platform enables an omni-channel travel marketplace of over one billion shoppers covering every corner of the globe, driven by some of the world’s most innovative travel retail brands. Its customers include Aer Lingus, Air China, Air Malta, Air Transat, Copa Airlines, Hainan Group of Airlines, HP Enterprise Services, JetBlue Airways, Lufthansa Group, Philippine Airlines, STA Travel and Virgin Australia. The company is headquartered in Dublin, Ireland, and maintains offices across Europe, USA and China. Datalex is a publicly listed company and is listed on the Irish Stock Exchange (ISE: DLE). Learn more at [www.datalex.com](http://www.datalex.com) or follow on Twitter @Datalex.

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