



## **Interim Management Statement For the four months ended 30 April 2012**

**Dublin, Ireland / 18 May, 2012 – Datalex Plc (ISE: DLE)** today released its Interim Management Statement for the four months ended 30 April 2012.

### **Operating performance to 30 April 2012 and financial position**

We have guided that in 2012 we would expect to continue to deliver EBITDA growth in line with that achieved in 2011, and we would also significantly increase our cash generation and Enterprise Value. Our performance for the first four months of 2012, and our financial position at 30 April, is tracking in line with these expectations.

Our business has performed strongly in the period, with growth in transaction revenue in the four months to April 2012 of more than 20%, compared to the same period in 2011.

We are continuing to deploy our platform at a number of new customers, who will go live and begin generating transaction revenue in the coming months. These include Delta Air Lines, WestJet, Malaysia Airlines and Garuda Indonesia.

Our new business pipeline remains strong, as the evolution of the airline industry towards a merchandising and retail driven model continues to gather pace. We reached agreement in April with a major national carrier in Asia, and have already begun deployment of our platform.

### **2012 Full Year Outlook**

As outlined above, our expectation for 2012 is that we will build on the progress delivered in 2011 and deliver further strong growth in the business. We are pleased to report that performance to date in 2012 is tracking in line with this objective.

### **About Datalex**

Datalex is a leading provider of travel distribution software and solutions which enable global travel industry suppliers and distributors deliver increased content and choice to their customers across multiple sales channels, while enabling significant reductions in distribution costs. Datalex's customers represent the elite of the travel industry and include Air China, United Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Frontier Airlines, Aer Lingus, STA Travel, South African Airways and Copa Airlines.

Founded in 1985, the company is headquartered in Dublin, Ireland, and maintains offices across Europe, the USA and Asia-Pacific. Datalex is a publicly held company traded on the Irish Stock Exchange (symbol: DLE). For more information, please visit the company's web site at [www.datalex.com](http://www.datalex.com)

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