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### **PUBLICATION OF DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THE VOLUNTARY TAKEOVER BID FOR ZENTIVA N.V. SHARES**

Anthiarose Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of PPF Group N.V., announces that following the supervision of the draft Offer Document by Czech National Bank and in accordance with the Czech Act No. 104/2008 of the Coll. On Takeover Bids, as amended, it makes public today the voluntary takeover bid addressed to all of the owners of shares and global depository shares of Zentiva N.V. The Offer Document (in Czech language) is published in nationally distributed daily in the Czech Republic, *Hospodářské noviny*, and on Internet [www.ppfgroup.nl/anthiarose](http://www.ppfgroup.nl/anthiarose) where all necessary information, documents and forms are also available, as well as the specimens – in Czech and English. Please address any queries related to the process of the bid acceptance to PPF banka a.s., which is authorised to handle such queries, on tel. +420 221 611 364 or +420 221 611 240.

#### ***Note for the editors:***

*PPF Group is an international financial group, which operates in consumer finance and retail banking. Through its stake in Generali PPF Holding PPF Group participates in the insurance market and asset management services. PPF Group also actively seeks investment opportunities and undertakes strategic investments in developing markets of the Central and Eastern Europe and Asia. During its 17 years in business, PPF Group has become a leading international financial investor, managing assets of over EUR 10 billion as at December 31, 2007. PPF Group has its corporate ownership and decision making structure based in the Netherlands. The group's key holding company that defines strategic decisions regarding the entire group's activities is the Amsterdam-based PPF Group N.V.*



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