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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The following information supplements the proxy statement/prospectus (the Proxy Statement/Prospectus) included in Registration Statement No. 333-156927 filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on May 1, 2009 relating to the special general meeting of shareholders of Tyco Electronics Ltd. (the Company) to be held on Monday, June 22, 2009 at 2:30 p.m., Atlantic Time, at the Fairmont Hamilton Princess Hotel, 76 Pitts Bay Road, Pembroke HM 08, Bermuda (the Special General Meeting).

The Company is seeking shareholder approval at the Special General Meeting of a distribution to shareholders in the form of a capital reduction in a Swiss franc amount equal to US\$ 0.16 per share (the Distribution), as discussed under the heading Proposal No. 4 Approval of a Distribution to Shareholders in the Form of a Capital Reduction in the Proxy Statement/Prospectus. The Company wishes to clarify that, if approved, the Distribution would be for the quarterly period ending June 26, 2009 (rather than September 25, 2009) and is expected to be paid during the quarterly period ending September 25, 2009.