

Issuer Services DEPOSITARY RECEIPTS

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ATTENTION: International Research, Sales, Trading and Operations Staff

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

DR Name: Commonwealth Bank of Australia

Symbol: CMWAY CUSIP Number: 202712600

Exchange: OTC

Ratio: 1 ADR : 1 Ordinary Shares

Country: Australia

Books Closed: 08/19/2011 **Books Open:** 08/26/2011

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Issuance	Closed	Corporate Action
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