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PRESS RELEASE

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AXA to sell its UK P&C commercial broker Bluefin to Marsh

AXA announced today that it had entered into an agreement with Marsh to sell Bluefin Insurance Group Ltd (“Bluefin”), its P&C commercial broker in the UK.

Bluefin is a leading insurance broker, providing services to private individuals, small businesses, and large corporates in the UK, employing approximately 1,500 colleagues based in 45 locations. Marsh is a global leader in insurance broking and risk management, which operates in more than 130 countries.

The price for the disposal of Bluefin would amount to GBP 295 million¹ (or Euro 340 million²). The proposed transaction is subject to customary conditions, including the receipt of regulatory approvals, and should be finalized before the end of the Q1 2017.

*“We are very happy to be able to agree to this transaction with Marsh”, said **Amanda Blanc, Chief Executive Officer of AXA UK and Ireland.** “As market dynamics have evolved and our own strategy has progressed, it has become increasingly apparent that Bluefin’s ability to achieve its potential would be better served under a new parent. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Bluefin’s teams for their great contribution over the years.”*

The proposed transaction should generate a negative exceptional P&L impact of Euro 66 million, which would be accounted for in Net Income.

¹ Price subject to adjustment to reflect the net cash position of the company at the closing date.

² 1 EUR = 0.86801 GBP as of November 10, 2016 (Source: Bloomberg)

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