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Dear Sir/Madam

Retirement of QBE Non-Executive Director

Please find attached an announcement for release to the market.

Yours faithfully,

Carolyn Scobie

Company Secretary

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MARKET RELEASE

30 March 2017

RETIREMENT OF QBE NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

QBE announces the retirement of Non-Executive Director, Margaret Leung, effective today.

Mr Marty Becker, Chairman of QBE said "The Board is grateful to Margaret for her service to QBE over the last four years. Margaret has been an outstanding contributor to the Board".

"While we will miss Margaret, she is leaving a Board of the highest quality following the appointment of three exceptional Non-Executive Directors in 2016. These appointments include two of the insurance industry's foremost leaders of recent decades, Rolf Tolle and Mike Wilkins. Our third new director, Kathy Lisson, brings a rare skillset spanning digital technology, cyber security, IT risks and data analytics that is essential to shaping our company's technology and operations direction. Shareholders will have the opportunity to vote on the election of Mike and Kathy at the Annual General Meeting on Wednesday, 3rd May 2017."

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