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## Garfunkelux Holdco 3 S.A. Receipt of Bond Consents

June 2, 2017

Lowell ("Lowell" or the "Group"), a European leader in credit receivables management, today announces that Garfunkelux Holdco 3 S.A. (the "Issuer") has successfully completed a consent solicitation (the "Solicitation"), having received the required consents from holders of its outstanding €365 million 7.500% senior secured notes due 2022 (the "Notes") regarding the proposed amendments with respect to the ability to incur indebtedness under clause (i) of the definition of Permitted Debt as contained in the indenture governing the Notes (the "credit facility basket"), and as further described in the consent solicitation statement dated May 24, 2017 (the "Consent Solicitation Statement"). The Issuer has executed a supplemental indenture (the "Supplemental Indenture") to the Notes, which is effective and implements the Proposed Amendments. Upon the effectiveness of the Supplemental Indenture, consents are no longer revocable. The Supplemental Indenture will become operative on the payment date specified below.

The Issuer will make a consent payment of €2.50 for each €1,000 principal amount of Notes for which a consent is received and not validly revoked. The payment date is currently expected to be June 6, 2017.

Full details of the terms and conditions of the consent solicitation are set out in the Consent Solicitation Statement, which holders of the Notes can obtain from Lucid Issuer Services Limited, the Tabulation Agent and Information Agent for the Solicitation. Requests for copies of the Consent Solicitation Statement should be directed to the Tabulation and Information Agent: +44 (0)207 704 0880; lowellgroup@lucid-is.com. The Consent Solicitation Statement can also be obtained from the official website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu).

The Issuer has engaged Goldman Sachs International to act as the Solicitation Agent for the solicitation. Questions from holders of Notes should be directed to Goldman Sachs International: +44 (0)207 774 9862; liabilitymanagement.eu@gs.com.

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