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# THE ADECCO GROUP SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETES TENDER OFFER ON EXISTING NOTES

Zurich, Switzerland, 20 May 2019: the Adecco Group (rated BBB+ by S&P, Baa1 by Moody's) announces the results of its tender offer on the existing notes maturing in November 2022.

The tender offer that was launched on 9 May 2019 by Adecco Refinancing B.V. in relation to Adecco International Financial Services B.V.'s EUR 500,000,000 1.500 per cent. Notes due 22 November 2022 (XS1237184533) (the "2022 Notes") (the "Tender Offer") expired on 16 May 2019.

An aggregate nominal amount of EUR 210,027,000 was validly tendered by Noteholders in relation to the 2022 Notes. Adecco Refinancing B.V. has accepted EUR 199,995,000 in aggregate nominal amount of 2022 Notes for repurchase in accordance with the terms and subject to the conditions contained in the Tender Offer Memorandum dated 9 May 2019. Adecco Refinancing B.V.'s acceptance for purchase of EUR 199,995,000 in aggregate nominal amount of 2022 Notes was subject to the successful issuance of the New Notes (as defined below) on 20 May 2019.

Summary of the final pricing and acceptance of the Tender Offer:

Final Acceptance	Scaling Factor	Purchase Yield	Purchase Price	Accrued Interest
Amount				
EUR 199,995,000	96.5499 per cent.	-0.10 per cent.	105.223 per cent.	0.736 per cent.

The Tender Offer, in combination with the placement on 9 May 2019 of EUR 300,000,000 fixed rate notes maturing in 2029 with a 1.250 per cent. coupon by Adecco International Financial Services B.V. (the "New Notes"), contributes to optimising the Adecco Group's debt maturity profile and cost of capital, in line with the Adecco Group's objectives.

Credit Suisse acted as Global Coordinator. BNP Paribas and Credit Suisse acted as Dealer Managers on the Tender Offer.

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Compliance information for the New Notes: MiFID II professionals/ECPs-only/No PRIIPs KID – eligible counterparties and professional clients only (all distribution channels). No sales to EEA retail investors; no key information document has been or will be prepared. See the base prospectus dated 22 March 2019, as supplemented by the supplement dated 7 May 2019 and the Final Terms relating to the New Notes for further information.

### Financial Agenda

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#### Forward-looking statements

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values resonate with our employees, who voted us number 5 on the Great Place to Work® - World's Best Workplaces 2018 list. We make the future work for everyone.

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