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Slater & Gordon Announces Proposed Acquisition of John Pickering & Partners LLP

Slater & Gordon Limited (Slater & Gordon) announces today that due diligence is substantially completed and a formal Business Sale Agreement has been executed with John Pickering & Partners LLP, a specialist UK asbestos litigation firm with offices in Manchester, Liverpool, Sheffield and Halifax and full year revenue of approximately £3.0 million.

Slater & Gordon Managing Director Andrew Grech said “we are delighted to announce the proposed acquisition of John Pickering & Partners LLP, a highly respected and well established specialist asbestos litigation firm. The acquisition reinforces our competence in a key area of personal injury (PI) work and adds to our geographic footprint in the UK.”

The transaction is expected to be completed on 27 November 2013.

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About Slater & Gordon

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