

Sedgwick acquires loss adjusting and claims management services Perigest in Portugal

MADRID, 1st **October 2020** - Sedgwick, a leading global provider of technology-enabled risk, benefits and integrated business solutions, has acquired Perigest, a leading loss adjusting and claims management company in Portugal. The transaction represents an important step for Sedgwick as a market leader in Spain and Portugal and is in line with the company's international business growth strategy.

Founded in 2006, Perigest specialises in providing loss adjusting and claims management services in Marine & Cargo, Property and Liability. The company primarily serves national and international insurance companies, reinsurers brokers, risk managers and multinational and local companies.

With Perigest, Sedgwick acquires the largest actor in the claims market with a robust client base and strong expertise that will provide a scalable platform for growth in the Iberian Peninsula. The acquisition also allows Sedgwick to become the leading provider of loss adjusting and claims management services in both markets.

Ana Franco de Sarabia, Country Manager of Sedgwick Iberia said: "The transaction will enable us to optimize our strategic positioning in Spain and Portugal and to capture future growth opportunities as the biggest international provider of loss adjusting, cargo and claims management of. This will not only enable us to diversify our customer base and help Sedgwick to evolve its expertise, it will also support our international growth ambition and strengthen our leadership in this region."

Commenting on the acquisition, Botelho Vaz, Director and CEO of Perigest said: "With Sedgwick's global resources and our extensive local sector expertise, I am confident that together we have the scale and capabilities to meet the growing demand for specialised claims investigation services in the claims market and drive growth both in Spain, Portugal and further afield. I am, therefore, excited to work with Ana and all of the Sedgwick Iberia team going forward."

About Sedgwick

Sedgwick is a leading global provider of technology-enabled risk, benefits and integrated business solutions. We provide a broad range of resources tailored to our clients' specific needs in casualty, property, marine, benefits and other lines. At Sedgwick, caring counts®; through the dedication and expertise of more than 27,000 colleagues across 65 countries, the company takes care of people and organizations by mitigating and reducing risks and losses, promoting health and productivity, protecting brand reputations, and containing costs that can impact the bottom line. Sedgwick's majority shareholder is The Carlyle Group; Stone Point Capital LLC, Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec (CDPQ), Onex and other management investors are minority shareholders. For more, see sedgwick.com.

About Perigest Lda

Perigest is a leading claims management and loss adjusting company in Portugal. With offices in Lisbon and Porto we deliver specialised services in Marine & Cargo, Property and Liablity claims. Perigest was founded in 2006 to provide the insurance industry with high quality standards as a unified and reliable company.

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