



Sedgwick launches strategy for long-term growth in the UK

LONDON, 12 October 2018 – Sedgwick, a leading global provider of technology-enabled risk, benefits and integrated business solutions, today announced the company’s new strategy to lead the world’s future of claims management. The company also established new long-term targets, reaffirmed its current capabilities and defined growth strategies for the UK, one of the company’s key markets.

After an exciting market launch with 500 invited clients and colleagues in London, Ian V. Muress, Sedgwick’s CEO international in London, outlined plans to build on the integration of Cunningham Lindsey and Vericlim.

“This is a great time for Sedgwick in the UK having successfully bought together the combined Cunningham Lindsey and Vericlim companies building on their rich heritage. With our strong leadership, an unparalleled portfolio of products and services and an ambition to yet further expand in growing markets, Sedgwick can continue to thrive as the world’s largest claims administrator.”

“Sedgwick is looking toward continued growth as we continue to leverage the strength of the wider Sedgwick organization while providing exceptional services across all our unrivalled international businesses”, said Muress.

Consolidating services under one brand

Sedgwick recognized the need for a global provider that can deliver professional, high-quality claims solutions and focus its long-term strategy to bring those solutions to market. In response to client needs, Sedgwick has expanded its scale and capabilities, strengthening its service offering for customers.

Bringing Vericlim into the Sedgwick family in 2014 enabled the company to handle property claims and provide more comprehensive solutions to its clients. By leveraging Sedgwick’s expertise and growth strategies, Vericlim has achieved significant organic growth in just three years. The most recent acquisition of Cunningham Lindsey is transformational, creating a truly global claims business on a scale not seen before.

Sedgwick’s integration team continues to work toward consolidating the combined operations under the Sedgwick brand. Using one name across all markets and business lines will strengthen the brand identity and reinforce the company’s position as the global industry leader.



Muess commented: “Not only are we bigger, we are also better together. The company’s depth of talent, business knowledge and market relationships are truly unmatched in the industry.”

Reaching more clients wherever they are with a solid global footprint

Sedgwick’s footprint now includes a significant presence in hundreds of locations across more than 65 countries with the ability to service clients in over 100 territories. Sedgwick’s acquisition of OSG in Ireland, the expansion of its Canadian operations, and Cunningham Lindsey and Vericlim’s presence in the UK have brought Sedgwick firmly into the international arena.

Entering a new phase of long-term growth

Over the next few years, Sedgwick will work together to leverage combined resources and extended relationships to expand its client base. Recent joint business development efforts have already started yielding great results.

With nearly 50 years of experience, Sedgwick reaffirms its commitment to be at the cutting edge of claims management by continuing to broaden its solutions in the UK to include auto liability, catastrophe response, employers’ liability, engineering, fire and environmental services, forensic accounting, general liability, major and complex loss, marine, product liability/recall, property loss adjusting and technology solutions.

Stewart Steel, CEO of Sedgwick UK, said, “With our combined expertise and enhanced capabilities, we will focus on building strength in multi-line programmes for major corporates, national, pan-European and global and be the future of claims industry in the region.”

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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 21,000 colleagues across 65 countries, the company takes care of people and organisations 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 KKR; Stone Point Capital LLC, La Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec (CDPQ) and other management investors are minority shareholders. For more, see www.sedgwick.com.



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