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## Press Release

### **Intrum and Intesa Sanpaolo close strategic agreement to create market leading servicer of non-performing loans (NPL) in Italy**

According to plan, Intrum and Intesa Sanpaolo have closed the agreement regarding the establishment of a market leading servicer of non-performing loans (NPLs) in Italy, which was signed on 17 April 2018.

The servicing platform, Intrum Italy, is majority owned by Intrum with Intesa Sanpaolo retaining a 49% minority equity stake. Together with the establishment of the platform Intesa Sanpaolo divested a >€10bn nominal value NPL portfolio which Intrum has taken a 41% minority equity stake in and which will be serviced by Intrum Italy. The combined investment level for both parts of the agreement is more than €600m, as previously communicated.

- The closing of this agreement ensures we are at full strength in Italy. We look forward to further developing this long-term partnership in the strategically important Italian market, said Mikael Ericson, President and CEO of Intrum.

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