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To our readers:

Exciting times are ahead for II Journals! At the beginning of 2018, the business was acquired by Pageant Media, a global provider of market-leading business information and data products for institutional investors.

This acquisition means that Pageant Media will further increase commitment and investments into the II Journals business as we continue to grow. The Journals community of authors and readers should expect to see exceptional research for practitioners just as before. As always, the Journals team is working hard to continue to provide you with the best content and service.

Commenting on today's announcement, Charlie Kerr, Chief Executive of Pageant Media, said: "The II Journals are recognised across the asset management sector for their excellence in providing senior professional investors and leading academics with informed and thought-provoking fundamental analysis. We look forward to investing further in these titles and are excited to begin thinking about the ways in which the specialist knowledge presented in these journals can bolster the growing information and networking services we provide to our hedge fund, private equity, real estate and mutual fund communities."

David Blide, publisher of the II Journals: "The II Journals move to Pageant Media represents a great opportunity to expand our offerings and create more touch points to the Journals' content for authors and readers. Our readers will only benefit from the transaction. With our recent investments in the new website, we are well positioned to continue to be the best at what we do, and with Pageant Media, this is assured."

We thank you for your trust and patience during this transition.

Best regards,

Institutional Investor Journals

About Pageant Media

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