

ALLIED IRISH BANKS, P.L.C. (the "Company")

EXTERNAL APPOINTMENT

The Company has been informed that, with effect from 23 November 2017, Ms Catherine Woods, Senior Independent Non-Executive Director of the Company, has been appointed as an Independent Non-Executive Director of BlackRock Asset Management Ireland Limited, the Manager of BlackRock Alternative Strategies II.

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