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Attention: Mary Cascio

RE: Wolters Kluwer N.V.: Information Furnished Pursuant  
to Rule 12g3-2(b) Under the Securities Exchange Act  
of 1934 File No. 82-2683

Dear Ms. Cascio:

On behalf of Wolters Kluwer N.V. (the "Company"), and in connection with the Company's exemption pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), please find attached a copy of the press release issued by the Company on August 24, 2005.

This information is being furnished under paragraph (b)(1)(i) of Rule 12g3-2 under the Exchange Act with the understanding that such information and documents will not be deemed "filed" with the Commission or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act.

Please call the undersigned at 212-735-2588 or Maarten Thompson of the Company at 31-(0)20-7 70 400 if you have any questions regarding the enclosures.

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## PRESS RELEASE

### Wolters Kluwer Legal, Tax & Regulatory Europe Broadens In Eastern Europe by Acquiring Legal Publisher Rosetti

Amsterdam (August 24, 2005) - Wolters Kluwer Legal, Tax & Regulatory Europe, a division of Wolters Kluwer, announced today that it has acquired Rosetti, a legal publisher in Romania, to strengthen its e-publishing position.

Rosetti, based in Bucharest with 17 employees, with 2004 annual sales of €350.000, is a legal and fiscal publisher for professionals in organizations and governments, such as lawyers, accountants, HR specialists, and public administrations.

The acquisition will further strengthen Wolters Kluwer's market position in Eastern Europe for online publishing. The recently acquired EON, the innovative Romanian legal online publisher, links perfectly with Rosetti's legal content to increase integrated online solutions. "The acquisition of Rosetti creates many opportunities for Wolters Kluwer to expand into legal markets of professional publishing in Romania", says Rolv Eide, CEO Wolters Kluwer Legal, Tax & Regulatory Europe.

#### About Wolters Kluwer Legal, Tax & Regulatory Europe

Wolters Kluwer Legal, Tax & Regulatory Europe, a division of Wolters Kluwer, focuses on the growth potential of six customer segments: legal; fiscal/financial; human resources; public & government administration; health, safety & environment (HSE); and transport. With a well-established presence in over 15 countries, Wolters Kluwer Legal, Tax & Regulatory Europe has annual revenues (2004) of €1,296 million and employs approximately 8,000 people.

Wolters Kluwer has annual revenues (2004) of €3.3 billion, employs approximately 18,400 people worldwide and maintains operations across Europe, North America, and Asia Pacific.

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