

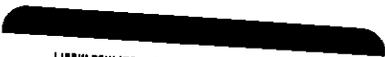
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Dear Sir/Madam

In reference to **File Number 082-02819**, the following Stock Exchange Announcement was released today:

'Disposal'

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Yours faithfully

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Linda Goodwin  
Company Secretarial Administrator

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## **Disposal**

Severn Trent Plc confirms that the sale of its US analytical environmental testing firm, Severn Trent Laboratories (STL), to TestAmerica Holdings, an affiliate of H.I.G. Capital, completed on 29 December 2006 for a cash consideration of approximately £85 million.

Severn Trent Plc also confirms that Rachel Brydon Jannetta consequently resigned as a director of Severn Trent Plc with effect from 29 December 2006.

Colin Matthews, Group Chief Executive, said *"I would like to thank Rachel for her contribution to Severn Trent during her eleven years with the company, in particular for the last two years on the Board of Severn Trent Plc during a period of significant change.*

*"The completion of this transaction is in line with our stated intention to focus on water."*

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