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PRESS RELEASE

HOMBERGH/DE PUNDERT GROUP'S INTENDED PUBLIC OFFER FOR RSDB N.V. WILL NOT BE MADE

This is a press release by Vadeho II B.V., a company of the Hombergh/De Pundert Group ("HHBV") pursuant to the provisions of section 4 paragraph 3 of the Dutch Decree on Public Takeover Bids (Besluit openbare biedingen Wft, the "Decree"). This announcement is not for release, publication or distribution, in whole or in part, in or into the United States, Australia or Japan.

Further to the joint press releases of (i) 14 June 2008 in which HHBV and RSDB N.V. ("RSDB") announced that, subject to financing, they reached conditional agreement with respect to an intended public cash offer (the "Offer") by HHBV to acquire all the issued and outstanding shares of RSDB at an offer price of EUR 40 per share (cum dividend) and the press releases of (ii) 11 July 2008 and (iii) 21 August 2008 on the estimated timing of finalization of documents and funding of the Offer, HHBV hereby announces that it will not make the Offer.

In its press release of 21 August 2008, HHBV announced that the finalization of funding of the Offer took longer than expected. In the mean time, HHBV has continuously been in firm negotiations with regard to the funding of the Offer, but regrets to announce that as to date these have not led to a committed financing arrangement. Considering that the term to submit a request for approval of the offer memorandum in respect of the Offer to the Netherlands Authority for the Financial Markets (*Autoriteit Financiële Markten*, the "AFM") expires today and pursuant to section 7 paragraph 4 of the Decree, HHBV is required to arrange committed funding of the Offer not later than at the time of submitting the aforesaid request for approval to the AFM, this means that HHBV will not make the intended Offer as it has not been able to arrange committed funding required to declare the Offer unconditional (*gestanddoen*) in time.

About HHBV

HHBV is a Netherlands based investment group whose expertise lies predominantly in the industrial sector. HHBV has various investments in the concrete business and energy sector. As part of its investments strategy, HHBV seeks majority stakes in companies which have a strong management and operate often in sectors which require consolidation.

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