NEWS RELEASE

Completion of the disposal of Brossette

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Wolseley plc is pleased to announce that it has completed the sale of Brossette, the French Plumbing and Heating business to Saint Gobain as disclosed on 25 July 2011.

Notes to Editors

Wolseley plc is the world's largest specialist trade distributor of plumbing and heating products to professional contractors and a leading supplier of building materials in North America, the UK and Continental Europe. Group revenue for the year ended 31 July was £13.6 billion and trading profit was £622 million. Wolseley has around 40,000 employees, is listed on the London Stock Exchange (LSE: WOS) and is in the FTSE 100 index of listed companies.