WTW Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Oversight
In 2019, the Company formed a cross-functional management committee to coordinate and communicate on the Company’s ESG initiatives. Information on our ESG commitments and the various ESG-related awards we have received is available on our website at https://www.wtwco.com/en-US/About-Us/environmental-social-and-governance, which information is not part of or incorporated by reference into this Proxy Statement.

With respect to Board oversight of ESG matters in general, the Board takes an approach that the most appropriate Committee should maintain oversight over a particular issue rather than concentrating all ESG initiatives into any one Committee. The Committees report to the Board as appropriate. For example:

- The Governance Committee has oversight of ESG initiatives, reviews ESG disclosure in the proxy statement and discusses with management, on an annual basis, its corporate social responsibility initiatives, which include the Company’s environmental sustainability program and charitable contributions.
- The Audit and Risk Committee has the primary responsibility of assisting the Board in its oversight of the framework, policies and practices used by management to identify, assess and manage key strategic and operational risks (other than with respect to operational transformation and risks overseen by the Operational Transformation Committee) facing the Company. The Audit and Risk Committee reviews ESG financial disclosure included in documents filed with the SEC or required under Irish law.
- The Operational Transformation Committee oversees risks arising out of the Company’s operational processes and functions that support the Company’s businesses; as such, it reviews business continuity risks, including climate-related risks, if identified as having a material impact on the business strategy or operations.
- The Compensation Committee reviews talent and culture, including inclusion and diversity, as well as social initiatives such as gender pay gap reporting.

**Forward-Looking Statements**

We have included in this document ‘forward-looking statements’ within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which are intended to be covered by the safe harbors created by those laws. These forward-looking statements include information about possible or assumed future results of our operations. All statements, other than statements of historical facts, that address activities, events or developments that we expect or anticipate may occur in the future, including such things as our outlook, metrics and targets, the impact of the global pandemic on our business, future capital expenditures, ongoing working capital efforts, future share repurchases, financial results (including our revenue, costs or margins), the impact of changes to tax laws on our financial results, existing and evolving business strategies and acquisitions and dispositions, including the sale of Willis Re to Arthur J. Gallagher & Co. (‘Gallagher’), demand for our services and competitive strengths, goals, the benefits of new initiatives, growth of our business and operations, our ability to successfully manage ongoing leadership, organizational and technology changes, including investments in improving systems and processes, our ability to implement and realize anticipated benefits of any cost-savings initiatives including the multi-year operational Transformation program, and plans and references to future successes, including our future financial and operating results, plans, objectives, expectations and intentions are forward-looking statements. Also, when we use words such as ‘may,’ ‘will,’ ‘would,’ ‘anticipate,’ ‘believe,’ ‘estimate,’ ‘expect,’ ‘intend,’ ‘plan,’ ‘continues,’ ‘seek,’ ‘target,’ ‘focus,’ ‘probably,’ or similar expressions, we are making forward-looking statements. Such statements are based upon the current beliefs and expectations of the Company’s management and are subject to significant risks and
uncertainties. Actual results may differ from those set forth in the forward-looking statements. All forward-looking disclosure is speculative by its nature.

A number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the results reflected in these forward-looking statements are identified under Risk Factors in Item 1A of our Annual Report on Form 10-K and in our subsequent filings. Copies are available online at www.sec.gov or www.wtwco.com. The risk factors described in our filings are not the only risks and uncertainties that we face. Additional risks and uncertainties that are presently unknown to us could also impair our business operations, financial condition or results.

Although we believe that the assumptions underlying our forward-looking statements are reasonable, any of these assumptions, and therefore also the forward-looking statements based on these assumptions, could themselves prove to be inaccurate. Given the significant uncertainties inherent in the forward-looking statements, our inclusion of this information is not a representation or guarantee by us that our objectives and plans will be achieved.

Our forward-looking statements speak only as of the date made and we will not update these forward-looking statements unless the securities laws require us to do so. In light of these risks, uncertainties and assumptions, the forward-looking events discussed in this document may not occur, and we caution you against unduly relying on these forward-looking statements.

Policy Statements

Each of the following statements is a statement of general policy. It is possible that specific circumstances in our global operations may differ from those described in our policy statements.

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