



## Corporate Action Announcement

Citibank, N.A., acting as depositary bank, announces the following:

**Date:** December 14, 2018 **Status:** Preliminary

**Announcement For:** **Merger (subject to the Court Sanction Hearing scheduled for January 3, 2019)**

**Company Name:** **Shire plc**

Security Information	Current Information:	New Information:
<b>Company:</b>	Shire plc	Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Ltd.
<b>DR Ticker:</b>	SHPG	TKPYY
<b>ORD Ticker:</b>	SHP LN	4502JP
<b>CUSIP:</b>	82481R106	874060205
<b>Country:</b>	UK	Japan
<b>Exchange:</b>	NASDAQ	NYSE (after Merger)
<b>Ratio (ORD:DR):</b>	3:1	1:2
<b>Sponsorship Level:</b>	Sponsored ADR Program	Sponsored ADR program
<b>DTC Eligible:</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>DR ISIN:</b>	US82481R1068	US8740602052
<b>ORD ISIN:</b>	JE00B2QKY057	JP3463000004
<b>Custodian(s):</b>	CITIBANK, N.A. (LONDON)	SUMITOMO MITSUI BANKING CORP.

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