

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS/DEBTORS
OF
SWETS INFORMATION SERVICES B.V.

Dear Sir, Madam,

This notice relates to the bankruptcy of **Swets Information Services B.V.** ("Swets"), with statutory seat in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

Swets has been declared bankrupt by decision of the Court of First Instance of Amsterdam, the Netherlands, on 23 September 2014 with my appointment as trustee in bankruptcy.

I understand that some publishers have sent letters to customers/debtors of Swets relating *inter alia* to payments which such customers/debtors still owe to Swets and in which customers are advised by the publishers not to effect any payments to Swets.

You may be one of these customers/debtors which has received such a letter.

To avoid misunderstandings and subsequent problems I kindly request you to take notice of the following.

Invoices from Swets which you have received, or will receive shortly, and which relate to services already rendered to you, need to be paid to Swets (and Swets ONLY). To the extent you will receive further invoices from Swets, please note that such invoices will only relate to services already rendered (and for which Swets itself already has effected payment to the relevant publisher). For the avoidance of doubt, further invoices from Swets will NOT relate to services which Swets can no longer perform.

Please note that ONLY payment to Swets on the bank account number indicated for such payment on the relevant invoice will release a customer or debtor of its respective payment obligations to Swets (*bevrijdende betaling*).

Please also note that to the extent you intend to pay to any other party (e.g. a publisher) such payment will not satisfy your payment obligations towards Swets and, consequently, you will be obliged to pay the respective amount a second time to Swets.

In accordance with arrangements made between the financiers of the Swets Group and Swets, the estate of Swets works with Mirus International in relation to the collection of outstanding debts.

To facilitate the handling of questions you may have relating to invoices, please send questions ONLY to the following e-mail address: swets@mirus.nl.

Yours sincerely,

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