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Chr. Hansen closes offering to retail investors in Denmark for amounts up to and including DKK 3 million

Due to strong demand for shares in Chr. Hansen Holding A/S ("Chr. Hansen"), Chr. Hansen has resolved to close the offering to retail investors in Denmark for amounts up to and including DKK 3 million.

Information about the offer price and allocation is expected to be announced on Thursday, June 3, 2010.

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