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## **BWT** stops acquisition project

Mondsee, 27 April 2016. As reported on 13 April 2016, BWT AG had been in discussions regarding a potential acquisition of the Culligan group ("Culligan"), an international water treatment provider headquartered in Rosemont, Illinois, USA (the "Transaction"). Culligan and BWT AG have decided by mutual agreement to terminate the discussions and not to pursue the Transaction any further.

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## **About BWT**

The Best Water Technology Group is Europe's leading water technology company. BWT's 3,300 employees work to provide clients in private households, industries, commerce, hotels and municipalities with innovative, economic and ecological water treatment and technologies that ensure the highest standards of safety, hygiene and health in their daily contact with water. BWT offers modern treatment systems and services for drinking water, pharmaceutical and process water, water for heating, boilers and cooling, and water for air conditioning systems and swimming pools. BWT's R&D department uses state-of-the-art methods and the latest processes and materials to develop environmentally friendly, cost-effective products. A crucial focus is on minimising the products' resource and energy consumption, thereby reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.