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Elliott Associates, L.P. and Elliott International, L.P., together with the other participants in such proxy solicitation (collectively, “Elliott”), have filed a definitive proxy statement and accompanying **BLUE** proxy card with the Securities and Exchange Commission to be used to solicit votes for the election of its slate of four highly-qualified director nominees at the 2017 annual meeting of shareholders of Arconic Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation.

Item 1: On May 11, 2017, Elliott issued the following press release, which was also posted by Elliott to www.NewArconic.com:

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Elliott Management Corporation Welcomes Glass Lewis Support for All Four Independent Shareholder Nominees

Glass Lewis Recommends that Clients Vote for ALL of the Shareholder Nominees on the BLUE Proxy Card

Report is a Powerful Endorsement of Real Change

NEW YORK (May 11, 2017) – Elliott Management Corporation (“Elliott”), which manages funds that collectively beneficially own a 13.2% economic interest in Arconic Inc. (NYSE: ARNC) (“Arconic” or the “Company”), today welcomed the decision by Glass, Lewis & Co. (“Glass Lewis”), a leading independent proxy advisory firm, to recommend that all Arconic shareholders vote the **BLUE** proxy card in favor of real change at Arconic’s upcoming Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held on May 25, 2017.

Glass Lewis recommended that clients vote on the **BLUE** proxy card for all four of the highly qualified, independent shareholder nominees: Chris Ayers, Elmer Doty, Bernd Kessler and Patrice Merrin. Elliott welcomes the recommendation of Glass Lewis for these shareholder nominees and urges all Arconic shareholders to deliver real change on May 25.

Additional Information

Elliott Associates, L.P. and Elliott International, L.P. (collectively, “Elliott”), together with the other participants in Elliott’s proxy solicitation, have filed a definitive proxy statement and accompanying BLUE proxy card with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) to be used to solicit proxies in connection with the 2017 annual meeting of shareholders (the “Annual Meeting”) of Arconic Inc. (the “Company”). Shareholders are advised to read the proxy statement and any other documents related to the solicitation of shareholders of the Company in connection with the Annual Meeting because they contain important information, including information relating to the participants in Elliott’s proxy solicitation. These materials and other materials filed by Elliott with the SEC in connection with the solicitation of proxies are available at no charge on the SEC’s website at <http://www.sec.gov>. The definitive proxy statement and other relevant documents filed by Elliott with the SEC are also available, without charge, by directing a request to Elliott’s proxy solicitor, Okapi Partners LLC, at its toll-free number 1-877-869-0171 or via email at info@okapipartners.com.

About Elliott

Elliott Management Corporation manages two multi-strategy hedge funds which combined have more than \$32 billion of assets under management. Its flagship fund, Elliott Associates, L.P., was founded in 1977, making it one of the oldest hedge funds under continuous management. The Elliott funds’ investors include pension plans, sovereign wealth funds, endowments, foundations, funds-of-funds, high net worth individuals and families, and employees of the firm.

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Elliott Releases New Investor Presentation

New Presentation Highlights the Opportunity for Real Change

Details How a New Arconic Can Rise on May 25th

Click [here](#) to download the full presentation

NEW YORK (May 11, 2017) – Elliott Management Corporation (“Elliott”), which manages funds that collectively beneficially own a 13.2% economic interest in Arconic Inc. (NYSE: ARNC) (“Arconic” or the “Company”), today released an investor presentation entitled “A New Arconic: An Opportunity for Real Change on May 25th.”

The presentation highlights the opportunity for Arconic shareholders to put in place Board leadership capable of bringing real change by voting for the shareholder nominees on the **BLUE** proxy card. The four highly qualified, independent shareholder nominees are an ideal mix of successful operators and proven change agents.

In its most recent letter to investors, Arconic’s Board made a significant admission: Despite appearing to realize that reincorporation in Delaware is the surest path to implementing the best-in-class corporate-governance practices that Arconic’s shareholders deserve, the Board declined to pursue reincorporation this year because it could have “substantially impacted its ability to **compete with Elliott** for shareholder support in the proxy contest.” (Emphasis

added.)

While Arconic's board is obsessively focused on "winning" a proxy contest with its shareholders, as this presentation makes clear, Elliott is focused on real change that will benefit all of Arconic's stakeholders and create value over the long term.

The chance for real change has not gone unnoticed by analysts, shareholders and influential media personalities alike, whose support is noted throughout the detailed presentation released today. The presentation also lays out how a new Arconic can rise on May 25th with a strategy that aspires for world-class performance.

The full presentation can be downloaded by clicking [here](#), and also viewed in its entirety on the homepage of [NewArconic.com](#).

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Item 3: On May 11, 2017, Elliott issued a presentation entitled “Investor Presentation – An Opportunity for Real Change on May 25th” attached hereto as Exhibit 1, which was also posted by Elliott to www.NewArconic.com.

Item 4: On May 11, 2017, the following materials were posted by Elliott to www.NewArconic.com:

