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LOOMIS SAYLES FUNDS CELEBRATE 25 YEAR ANNIVERSARIES

BOSTON, MA (June 6, 2016) – Loomis, Sayles & Company celebrated two noteworthy mutual fund anniversaries last month. Both the flagship Loomis Sayles Bond Fund (LSBDX) and the Loomis Sayles Global Bond Fund (LSGBX), have now served investors for 25 years. Both actively managed funds draw upon the full breadth and depth of Loomis Sayles' global research.

The Loomis Sayles Bond Fund, which has a Gold Analyst Rating from Morningstar, launched on May 16, 1991, and is Loomis Sayles' largest fund with approximately \$16 billion in assets under management. The Fund is managed by bond veterans Dan Fuss, Matt Eagan and Elaine Stokes, and uses a value-driven, opportunistic approach to investing primarily in domestic debt securities. The team has worked together managing this fund and the full suite of Loomis Sayles' multisector-style fixed income strategies for over two decades.

Please click the link for more information on the Loomis Sayles Bond Fund.

The Loomis Sayles Global Bond Fund launched on May 10, 1991. The Fund has a Bronze Analyst Rating from Morningstar and invests primarily in investment grade fixed income securities worldwide. The Fund is co-managed by Ken Buntrock, Dave Rolley, Lynda Schweitzer, and Scott Service. This team has worked together managing the Loomis Sayles global bond product lineup for more than 15 years. The Fund has \$1.5 billion in assets under management.

Please click the link for more information on the Loomis Sayles Global Bond Fund.

About Loomis Sayles

Since 1926, Loomis, Sayles & Company, L.P. has served the investment needs of institutional and mutual fund clients. As performance-driven investors seeking exceptional opportunities, Loomis Sayles employs actively managed disciplines that combine fundamental research, systematic risk assessment and experienced portfolio management. This rich tradition has earned Loomis Sayles the trust and respect of clients worldwide, for whom it manages \$229 billion in assets as of March 31, 2016.

About Natixis Global Asset Management

Natixis Global Asset Management serves thoughtful investment professionals worldwide through our Durable Portfolio Construction® approach: applying risk-minded insights to empower more intelligent investing. Uniting over 20 specialized investment managers globally (\$884.9 billion AUM¹), Natixis is ranked among the world's largest asset management firms².

¹Net asset value as of March 31, 2016. Assets under management (AUM) may include assets for which non-regulatory AUM services are provided. Non-regulatory AUM includes assets which do not fall within the SEC's definition of 'regulatory AUM' in Form ADV, Part 1.

²Cerulli Quantitative Update: Global Markets 2015 ranked Natixis Global Asset Management, S.A. as the 17th largest asset manager in the world based on assets under management as of December 31, 2014.



Before investing, consider the fund's investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses. Please visit www.loomissayles.com or call 800-633-3330 for a prospectus and a summary prospectus, if available, containing this and other information. Read it carefully.

Investing involves risk, including risk of loss. Fixed-income securities may carry one or more of the following risks: credit, interest rate (as interest rates rise bond prices usually fall), inflation and liquidity. Foreign securities may involve heightened risk due to currency fluctuations. Additionally, they may be subject to greater political, economic, environmental, credit, and information risks. Foreign securities may be subject to higher volatility than U.S. securities, due to varying degrees of regulation and limited liquidity.

The Morningstar Analyst Rating **is not a credit or risk rating**. It is a subjective evaluation performed by the mutual fund analysts of Morningstar, Inc. Morningstar evaluates funds based on five key pillars, which are process, performance, people, parent, and price. Morningstar's analysts use this five pillar evaluation to identify funds they believe are more likely to outperform over the long term on a risk-adjusted basis. Analysts consider quantitative and qualitative factors in their research, but the assessment and weighting of each of the five pillars is driven by the analyst's overall assessment and overseen by Morningstar's Analyst Rating Committee. The approach serves not as a formula but as a framework to ensure consistency across Morningstar's global coverage universe.

The Analyst Rating scale ranges from Gold to Negative, with Gold being the <u>highest</u> rating and Negative being the <u>lowest</u> rating. A fund with "Gold" rating distinguishes itself across the five pillars and has garnered the analysts' highest level of conviction. A fund with a "Silver" rating has notable advantages across several, but perhaps not all, of the five pillars—strengths that give the analysts a high level of conviction. A "Bronze"—rated fund has advantages that outweigh the disadvantages across the five pillars, with sufficient level of analyst conviction to warrant a positive rating. A fund with a "Neutral" rating isn't seriously flawed across the five pillars, nor does it distinguish itself very positively. A "Negative" rated fund is flawed in at least one if not more pillars and is considered an inferior offering to its peers. For more detailed information about Morningstar's Analyst Rating, including its methodology, please go to

http://corporate.morningstar.com/us/documents/MethodologyDocuments/AnalystRatingforFundsMethodology.pdf

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