

Annual Shareholders' Meeting of BASF SE, Ludwigshafen/Rhine on Thursday, June 18, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

as a virtual Annual Shareholders' Meeting on the company's premises at its headquarters in Ludwigshafen/Rhine, Germany, Carl-Bosch-Straße 38, with video and audio broadcast for shareholders

Synopsis of the amendments to the Statutes proposed under items 8 and 9 of the agenda

Current Provision of the Statutes (as of May 2019)	Proposal of Amendment to the Statutes
	The Board of Executive Directors and Supervisory Board
	propose to the Annual Shareholders' Meeting under item 8 of
	the agenda (term of office of members of the supervisory Board)
	that the following resolution be adopted:
	Article 10 (Composition, Election, Term of Office) No. 2 of the
Article 10 No. 2	Statutes shall be amended and replaced by the following:
The appointment of the members of the Supervisory Board is made	The appointment of the members of the Supervisory Board is made
for a term until the conclusion of the Annual Shareholders' Meeting	for a term until the conclusion of the Annual Shareholders' Meeting
resolving on the formal discharge of the Supervisory Board for the	resolving on the formal discharge of the Supervisory Board for the
fourth financial year after the term of office commenced, with the	third business year after the term of office commenced with the
financial year in which the term of office commences not being taken	business year in which the term of office commences not being taken

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into account, however, for no longer than for a period of six years.	into account. The Annual Shareholders' Meeting can specify a
Reappointments are permissible.	shorter term of office when the member is elected. Reappointments
	are permissible.
	The Board of Executive Directors and Supervisory Board
	propose to the Annual Shareholders' Meeting under item 9 of
	the agenda that the following resolution be adopted:
	Article 14 of the Statutes (Compensation of the Supervisory Board)
	Nos. 3, 5 and 7 shall be amended.
Article 14 No. 3	Article 14 No. 3 sentences 4 and 5 shall be amended. No. 3 shall read as follows:
Each member of the Supervisory Board is obligated to use 25	Each member of the Supervisory Board is obligated to use 25
percent of the compensation paid in accordance with No. 1 for the	percent of the compensation paid in accordance with No. 1 for the
acquisition of Company shares and to hold these shares for the	acquisition of Company shares and to hold these shares for the
duration of his/her membership on the Supervisory Board. This	duration of his/her membership on the Supervisory Board. This
obligation does not apply to the portion of the compensation that the	obligation does not apply to the portion of the compensation that the
Supervisory Board member pays to a third party pro rata for the fixed	Supervisory Board member pays to a third party pro rata for the fixed
compensation received in accordance with No. 1 due to an obligation	compensation received in accordance with No. 1 due to an obligation
entered into before his/her appointment to the Supervisory Board.	entered into before his/her appointment to the Supervisory Board.

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The obligation to purchase and hold shares in this case applies to 25	The obligation to purchase and hold shares in this case applies to 25
percent of the portion of the compensation remaining after the	percent of the portion of the compensation remaining after the
payment has been made. The Company shall withhold the	payment has been made. The Company shall withhold the
abovementioned portion of the compensation and arrange for the	abovementioned portion of the compensation and arrange for the
acquisition of the shares on behalf of the members of the	acquisition of the shares on behalf of the members of the
Supervisory Board on the first day of stock market trading after the	Supervisory Board on the first day of stock market trading after the
compensation is payable. The acquired shares shall be deposited	day of the Annual Shareholders' Meeting to which the consolidated
into a custody account in the name of the Supervisory Board member	financial statements for the fiscal year for which the compensation is
at a commercial bank in Germany which is used exclusively to	paid are submitted or which decides on the approval thereof. The
deposit and manage these shares. The portion of the compensation	acquired shares shall be deposited into a custody account in the
which is mathematically insufficient to acquire whole shares shall be	name of the Supervisory Board member. The portion of the
paid out to the Supervisory Board member. Evidence of compliance	compensation which is mathematically insufficient to acquire whole
with the holding obligation must be provided to the Company. The	shares shall be paid out to the Supervisory Board member. Evidence
purchase obligation specified in Sentence 1 does not apply to the	of compliance with the holding obligation must be provided to the
compensation that has not yet been paid at the time of departure	Company. The purchase obligation specified in Sentence 1 does not
from the Supervisory Board.	apply to the compensation that has not yet been paid at the time of
	departure from the Supervisory Board.

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	Article 14 No. 5 of the Statutes shall be amended and replaced by
Article 14 No. 5	the following:
The Company shall reimburse the members of the Supervisory	The Company shall reimburse members of the Supervisory Board
Board for out-of-pocket expenses and value added tax to be paid	for out-of-pocket expenses relating to their activities as members of
with regard to their activities as members of the Supervisory Board	the Supervisory Board or of a Committee as well as any value added
or of a committee. The Company shall include the performance of	tax payable on the compensation or the reimbursement of expenses.
the duties of the members of the Supervisory Board in the coverage	The Company can provide all members or individual members of the
of a directors' and officers' loss liability insurance concluded by it.	Supervisory Board with material resources or services in kind to
	carry out their Supervisory Board responsibilities, such as the use of
	transportation, necessary security measures, or the set-up of a
	Supervisory Board office to support the Supervisory Board activities.
	Moreover, the Company can also provide these material resources
	and services in kind to the Chairman of the Supervisory Board to
	carry out representational duties and activities in connection with this
	role. The Company shall include the performance of the duties of the
	members of the Supervisory Board in the coverage of a directors'
	and officers' loss liability insurance concluded by it. The associated
	premiums shall be paid by the Company.

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	Article 14 No. 7 of the Statutes shall be amended and replaced by
Article 14 No. 7	the following:
The compensation pursuant to Nos. 1 and 2 shall become due after	The compensation pursuant to Nos. 1 and 2, provided it is not
the conclusion of the Annual Shareholders' Meeting to which the	withheld for the purpose of acquiring shares in accordance with No.
consolidated financial statements for the financial year for which the	3, shall become due after the conclusion of the fiscal year for which
compensation is paid are submitted or which decides on the	the compensation is paid.
approval thereof.	