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Notifications of voting rights pursuant to section 25 WpHG

We have received the following notifications of voting rights pursuant to section 25 WpHG on July 8, 2015:

I. Notification of voting rights pursuant to section 25 WpHG from BlackRock, Inc.

1. Details of listed company: BASF SE, Carl-Bosch-Straße 38, 67056 Ludwigshafen, Germany
2. Details of the company subject to the notification obligation (notifier): BlackRock, Inc., Wilmington, DE, U.S.A.
3. Triggering event: Exceeding threshold through acquisition
4. Threshold crossed or reached: 5%
5. Date at which the threshold is crossed or reached: 6 July 2015
6. Total amount of voting rights: 6.68 % (equals 61,389,552 voting rights); based on total number of voting rights issued: 918,478,694
7. Detailed information on the voting rights proportion:
   7.1 (Financial-/other) instruments pursuant to section 25 WpHG: 0.01 % (equals: 102,747 voting rights); thereof held indirectly: 0.01 % (equals: 102,747 voting rights)
   7.2 Voting rights pursuant to sections 21, 22 WpHG: 6.67 % (equals: 61,286,805 voting rights)
8. Detailed information on (financial/other) instruments pursuant to section 25 WpHG:
   8.1 Chain of controlled undertakings:

II. Notification of voting rights pursuant to section 25 WpHG from BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.

1. Details of listed company: BASF SE, Carl-Bosch-Straße 38, 67056 Ludwigshafen, Germany
2. Details of the company subject to the notification obligation (notifier): BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc., Wilmington, DE, U.S.A.
3. Triggering event: Exceeding threshold through acquisition
4. Threshold crossed or reached: 5%
5. Date at which the threshold is crossed or reached: 6 July 2015
6. Total amount of voting rights: 6.57% (equals 60,307,643 voting rights); based on total number of voting rights issued: 918,478,694

7. Detailed information on the voting rights proportion:

   7.1 (Financial-/other) instruments pursuant to section 25 WpHG: 0.01% (equals: 102,747 voting rights); thereof held indirectly: 0.01% (equals: 102,747 voting rights)

   7.2 Voting rights pursuant to sections 21, 22 WpHG: 6.55% (equals: 60,204,896 voting rights)

8. Detailed information on (financial/other) instruments pursuant to section 25 WpHG:

   8.1 Chain of controlled undertakings:


III. Notification of voting rights pursuant to section 25 WpHG from BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.

1. Details of listed company: BASF SE, Carl-Bosch-Straße 38, 67056 Ludwigshafen, Germany

2. Details of the company subject to the notification obligation (notifier): BlackRock Financial Management, Inc., Wilmington, DE, U.S.A.

3. Triggering event: Exceeding threshold through acquisition

4. Threshold crossed or reached: 5%

5. Date at which the threshold is crossed or reached: 6 July 2015

6. Total amount of voting rights: 6.57% (equals 60,307,643 voting rights); based on total number of voting rights issued: 918,478,694

7. Detailed information on the voting rights proportion:

   7.1 (Financial-/other) instruments pursuant to section 25 WpHG: 0.01% (equals: 102,747 voting rights); thereof held indirectly: 0.01% (equals: 102,747 voting rights)

   7.2 Voting rights pursuant to sections 21, 22 WpHG: 6.55% (equals: 60,204,896 voting rights)

8. Detailed information on (financial/other) instruments pursuant to section 25 WpHG:

   8.1 Chain of controlled undertakings:

       BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.; BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.; BlackRock Group Limited; BlackRock International Limited; BlackRock Life Limited.

Ludwigshafen, dated July 9, 2015

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