Notice Pursuant to Part 17, Chapter 4 of the Companies Act 2014

To: Bank of Ireland (the "Company")

40 Mespil Road,

Dublin 4,

Republic of Ireland

The matters set out in the table below are hereby notified by the person named as the Notifier in the table below pursuant to Part 17, Chapter 4 of the Companies Act 2014 of Ireland.

Name of person, body corporate, firm, etc. having the notifiable interest ("Notifier")	Baillie Gifford & Co and Baillie Gifford Overseas Limited as discretionary managers for their clients	
Address of the Notifier	Calton Square, 1 Greenside Row, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH1 3AN	
Date of this notice	7 April 2017	
Notifiable event ("Event")	Purchase of Ordinary Shares	
Date of Event	6 April 2017	
No. of shares in which interested	No.	Class
immediately before the Event	956,765,615	Ordinary Shares
No. of shares in which interested	No.	Class
immediately following the Event	1,026,079,441	Ordinary Shares
Details of each registered holder of the shares if different from the Notifier	No. of No. shares before the Event	<u> </u>
	Baillie Gifford & Co (BG&Co) is a Scottish Partnership and is the ultimate parent of a group of companies. Baillie Gifford Overseas Limited (BGO) is a wholly owned subsidiary of BG&Co. Both companies are investment managers who act under discretionary investment management agreements for their clients. The address for BG&Co and BGO is Calton Square, 1 Greenside Row, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH1 3AN.	
Does the notifiable interest arise from an agreement referred to in Section 1055 of the Companies Act 2014 of Ireland? (If yes, provide names and addresses of	No.	

the parties to the agreement, the	
number of shares each party is	
interested in individually and the	
registered holder of such shares if	
different)	

Additional information:

Done at Dublin on 7 April 2017

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