Standard Form TR-1

Standard form for notification of major holdings

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR HOLDINGS (to be sent to the relevant issuer <u>and</u> to the Central Bank of Ireland)

| 1. Identity of the iss attached: | uer or the underlyin | g issuer of existing sh | ares to which voting | rights are |
|--|--|--|--------------------------------|---|
| Bank of Ireland | | | | |
| 2. Reason for the no | otification (please tic | k the appropriate box or | boxes): | |
| [] An acquisition or c | lisposal of voting right | is . | | |
| [X] An acquisition or | disposal of financial in | nstruments | | |
| [] An event changing | the breakdown of vo | ting rights | | |
| [] Other (please spe | cify): | | | |
| | | | | |
| 3. Details of person | subject to the notifi | cation obligation: | | |
| Name: | | City and country of regis | stered office (if applica | able): |
| AKO Capital LLP | | London, U.K. | | |
| 4. Full name of share | reholder(s) (if differe | nt from 3.): | | |
| | | | | |
| 5. Date on which the | e threshold was cro | ssed or reached: | | |
| 24 June 2016 | | | | |
| 6. Date on which is: | nun matitiad. | | | |
| 6. Date on which is: | suer notified: | | | |
| 27 June 2016 | | | | |
| 7. Threshold(s) that | is/are crossed or re | eached: | | |
| 3% | | | | |
| 8. Total positions o | f person(s) subject t | o the notification oblig | jation: | |
| | % of voting rights attached to shares (total of 9.A) | % of voting rights through financial instruments (total of 9.B.1 + 9.B.2) | Total of both in % (9.A + 9.B) | Total number of voting rights of issuer |
| Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed or reached | | 3.00 | 3.00 | 32,363,275,073 |

| Position of previous notification (if applicable) | N/A | N/A | |
|---|-----|-----|--|
| applicable) | | | |

| reached: A: Voting rights | attached to shares | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------|--------------------|----------|
| Class/type of shares | Number of voting rig | ıhts | % of voting rights | |
| ISIN code (if possible) | Direct | Indirect | Direct | Indirect |
| IE0030606259 | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL A | | | | • |

| B 1: Financial Instruments according to Regulation 17(1)(a) of the Regulations | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------|--|
| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date | Exercise/ Conversion Period | Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted. | % of voting rights | |
| | | | | | |
| | | SUBTOTAL B.1 | | | |

| B 2: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect according to Regulation 17(1)(b) of the Regulations | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date | Exercise/ Conversion Period | Physical or cash settlement | Number of voting rights | % of voting rights |
| CFD | N/A | N/A | Cash Settlement | 972,407,319 | 3.00 |
| | • | | SUBTOTAL B.2 | 972,407,319 | 3.00 |

| 10. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation | (please tick the |
|--|------------------|
| applicable box): | |

[] Person subject to the notification obligation is not controlled by any natural person or legal entity and does not control any other undertaking(s) holding directly or indirectly an interest in the (underlying) issuer.

[X] <u>Full</u> chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity:

| Name | % of voting rights if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | % of voting rights through financial instruments if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | Total of both if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold |
|--|--|--|---|
| Nicolai Tangen (as Controller of AKO Capital LLP, the investment manager) | | 3.00 | 3.00 |

11. In case of proxy voting: [name of the proxy holder] will cease to hold [% and number] voting rights as of [date]

12. Additional information:

AKO Capital LLP is discretionary Investment manager to a number of Funds. No one Fund managed by AKO Capital LLP has a disclosable position in Bank of Ireland.

Done at Dublin on

28 June 2016

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