STANDARD FORM TR-1

VOTING RIGHTS ATTACHED TO SHARES—ARTICLE 12(1) OF DIRECTIVE 2004/109/EC FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS – ARTICLE 11(3) OF THE COMMISSION DIRECTIVE 2007/14/EC

- 1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: **The Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland**
- 2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):
 - [x] an acquisition or disposal of voting rights
 - [] an acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached
 - [] an event changing the breakdown of voting rights
- 3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:

EuroPacific Growth Fund ("EUPAC")

- 4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):
- 5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:

28 May 2014

6. Date on which issuer notified;

30 May 2014

- 7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: **Below 5%**
- 8. Notified details:

A) Voting rights attached to shares								
Class/type of	Situation previous to the		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
shares (if	Triggering tr	ansaction						
possible using	Number of	Number of	Number of	Number	of voting	% of voti	ng rights	
the ISIN CODE)	Shares	Voting	shares	rights				
		rights	Direct	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect	
Ordinary	1,628,361,153	0	1,605,511,153	0		0%		
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SUBTOTAL A	1,628,361,153	0	1,605,511,153	0		0%		
(based on								
aggregate voting								
rights)								

B) Financial Instruments									
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction									
Type of financial instrument			Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted	% of voting rights					
N/A			exercised/converted						
		SUBTOTAL B (in relation to all expiration dates)							

Total (A+B)	number	of	voting	% of voting rights
	rights			
1,605,511,153		0		0%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

N/a

- 10. In case of proxy voting: [name of the proxy holder] will cease to hold [number] voting rights as of [date].
- 11. Additional information:

EUPAC has granted proxy voting authority to Capital Research and Management Company, its investment adviser.

Please note that the notification submitted on behalf of The Capital Group Companies, Inc. dated 15 April 2014 included EUPAC's holdings.

Done at Dublin on 30^{th} May 2014

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