



26 May 2017

SUSPENSION OF THE REPOSITIONING OF SHARES FROM EURONEXT BRUSSELS TO THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE AND *VICE VERSA*

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In view of the record date of Wednesday 14 June 2017 relating to the Company's second extraordinary shareholders' meeting and its special shareholders' meeting on Wednesday 28 June 2017, shareholders may not reposition shares between the Belgian Register and the U.S. Register during the period from Tuesday 13 June 2017 at 9.00 am (Belgian time) until Thursday 15 June 2017 at 9.00 am (Belgian time) (such period a "Freeze Period").

Shareholders are requested to consult the Company's website for the applicable Freeze Periods. The aforementioned Freeze Periods replace any other Freeze Periods that may have been previously announced.

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