

Publication of a transaction regarding Erste Group shares in compliance with section 7 Publication Ordinance (VeröffentlichungsVO) to section 82 (9) Austrian Stock Exchange Act (BörseG) considered treasury shares within the meaning of section 65 Stock Corporation Act (AktG)

This publication is made within the framework programme published on 26 May 2015 regarding the envisaged disposal and purchase of Erste Group shares by the savings banks specified in the framework programme.

1. Repurchase by means other than the stock exchange:

Nö-Sparkassen Beteiligungsgesellschaft m.b.H., a 100% subsidiary of the savings banks in Lower Austria, has conducted the following transaction in Erste Group Bank AG-shares:

- Date of the transaction: 22 June 2015
- The shares were purchased by means other than the stock exchange
- Class of shares: Voting no-par value bearer shares (ordinary shares) in Erste Group Bank AG
- Volume of re-purchased shares: 445,620 shares
- Percentage of issued share capital purchased under the programme authorised by the general meeting to-date: 0.1037%
- Paid share price: not applicable, as re-purchase was done through securities lending
- Weighted average price of the re-purchased shares: not applicable, as re-purchase was done through securities lending
- Total value of re-purchased shares (based on the closing share price of 22 June 2015): EUR 11,880,229

2. Sale by means other than the stock exchange:

Savings banks have conducted the following transaction in Erste Group Bank AG-shares:

- Date of the transaction: 22 June 2015
- The shares were sold by means other than the stock exchange
- Class of shares: Voting no-par value bearer shares (ordinary shares) in Erste Group Bank AG
- Volume of sold shares: 382,500 shares
- Percentage of issued share capital purchased under the programme authorised by the general meeting to-date: 0.0890%
- Maximum and minimum share price: not applicable, as transaction was done through securities lending
- Weighted average price of the sold shares: not applicable, as transaction was done through securities lending
- Total value of sold shares (based on the share price as of 22 June 2015): EUR 10,197,450

3. Sale by other means than the stock exchange:

Nö-Sparkassen Beteiligungsgesellschaft m.b.H., a 100% subsidiary of the savings banks in Lower Austria, has conducted the following transaction in Erste Group Bank AG-shares:

- Date of the transaction: 22 June 2015
- The shares were sold by means other than the stock exchange
- Class of shares: Voting no-par value bearer shares (ordinary shares) in Erste Group Bank AG
- Volume of sold shares: 59,385 shares
- Percentage of issued share capital purchased under the programme authorised by the general meeting to-date: 0.0138%
- Maximum and minimum share price: EUR 26.66 and EUR 24.479
- Weighted average price of the sold shares: EUR 25.385
- Total value of sold shares: EUR 1,507,462

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