

## Press release

Outside trading hours - Regulated information\*

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# Publication of transparency notification(s) received by KBC Group NV

(art. 14, 1st section of the Act of 2 May 2007 concerning the disclosure of significant participations)

#### Summary of the notification(s)

KBC Group NV has received a transparency notification on 15 September 2023, which states that FMR LLC has crossed the reporting threshold of 3% (total voting rights and equivalent financial instruments) upwards, to 3.03%.

#### Content of the notification(s)

The notification(s) contain(s) following information:

- Reason for the notification(s): acquisition or disposal of voting securities or voting rights
- Notification(s) by: FMR LLC
- · Persons subject to the notification requirement: see annex
- Date(s) on which the threshold is crossed: 14 September 2023.
- Threshold that is crossed: 3%

(KBC Group's Articles of Association set a notification threshold of 3% of the total number of voting rights. In addition, the legal thresholds of 5% or any multiple thereof also apply)

- Denominator (number of shares KBC Group NV): 417 169 414
- · Notified details: see annex.
- Chain of controlled undertakings through which the holding is effectively held: See "11: Full chain of controlled undertakings through which the holding is effectively held" in the PDF-file(s) on www.kbc.com (see below).
- The relevant notification(s) is (are) available at www.kbc.com > Investor relations > Shareholder information
   Shareholder structure.

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#### Annex

### Notification re situation on 14 September 2023

A) Voting rights	Previous notification	After the transaction				
	# of voting rights	# of vot	ing rights	% of voting rights		
Holders of voting rights		Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities	Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities	
FMR LLC	0	0		0.00%		
Fidelity Management & Research Company LLC	8,897,844	9,083,926		2.18%		
FMR Investment Management (UK) Limited	206,885	206,885		0.05%		
Fidelity Institutional Asset Management Trust Company	975,202	1,023,925		0.25%		
FIAM LLC	961,602	942,062		0.23%		
Fidelity Management Trust Company	886,268	842,168		0.20%		
Strategic Advisers LLC	554,194	544,472		0.13%		
Subtotal	12,481,995	12,643,438		3.03%		
TOTAL		12,643,438	0	3.03%	0.00%	

B) Equivalent financial instruments	After the transaction						
Holders of equivalent financial instruments	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Evercise period or	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised	% of voting rights	Settlement	
	TOTAL			0	0.00%		

The totals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

TOTAL (A & B)	# of voting rights	% of voting rights	
	CALCULATE	12,643,438	3.03%