Major holdings notification pursuant to Sec. 130 to 134 BörseG 2018

London, 17.10.2023

Overview

Notification made after deadline

Caution: In case of violations of major holdings notification rules, please pay attention to Section 137 BörseG 2018 (Suspension of voting rights)

1. Issuer: ERSTE GROUP BANK AG

2. Reason for the notification: Acquisition or disposal of voting rights

3. Person subject to notification obligation

Name: BlackRock, Inc.

City: Wilmington **Country:** USA

4. Name of shareholder(s):

5. Date on which the threshold was crossed or reached: 16.10.2023

6. Total positions % of voting rights % of voting rights through Total number of attached to Total of both in % financial/other voting rights of shares (7.A) instruments (7.B.1 + (7.A + 7.B)issuer 7.B.2) Resulting situation on the date on which threshold 3,51 % 1,12 % 4,64 % 429 800 000 was crossed / reached Position of previous notification (if applicable) 4,78 % 0,18 % 4,96 %

Details

7. Notified details of the resulting situation:

A: Voting rights attached to shares						
ISIN Code	Number of v	voting rights	% of voting rights			
	Direct (Sec 130 BörseG 2018)	Indirect (Sec 133 BörseG 2018)	Direct (Sec 130 BörseG 2018)	Indirect (Sec 133 BörseG 2018)		
AT0000652011		15 106 318		3,51 %		
SUBTOTAL A	15 106 318		3,51 %			

B 1: Financial / Other Instruments pursuant to Sec. 131 para. 1 No. 1 BörseG 2018					
Type of instrument	Expiration Date	Exercise Period	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised	% of voting rights	
Secutiries Lent	N/A	N/A	4 756 538	1,11 %	
American Depositary Receipt	N/A	N/A	53 416	0,01 %	
		SUBTOTAL B.1	4 809 954	1,12 %	

B 2: Financial / Other Instruments pursuant to Sec. 131 para. 1 No. 2 BörseG 2018						
Type of instrument	Expiration Date	Exercise Period	Physical / Cash Settlement	Number of voting rights	% of voting rights	
CFD	N/A	N/A	Cash	10 442	0,00 %	
			SUBTOTAL B.2	10 442	0,00 %	

8. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation:
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.
$oxed{\boxtimes}$ Full chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the
financial/other instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural
person or legal entity:

No.	Name	<u>Directly</u> controlled by No.	Shares held directly (%)	Financial/other instruments held directly (%)	Total of both (%)
1	BlackRock, Inc.			(***)	
2	BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	1			
3	BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	2			
4	BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	3			
5	BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	4			
6	BlackRock Australia Holdco Pty. Ltd.	5			
7	BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited	6			
8	Trident Merger, LLC	1			
9	BlackRock Investment Management, LLC	8			
10	BlackRock (Singapore) Holdco Pte. Ltd.	5			
11	BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	10			
12	BlackRock Asset Management North Asia Limited	11			
13	BlackRock Lux Finco S.à r.l.	11			
14	BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	13			
15	BlackRock Japan Co., Ltd.	14			
16	BlackRock (Singapore) Limited	10			
17	BlackRock Holdco 3, LLC	5			
18	BlackRock Cayman 1 LP	17			
19	BlackRock Cayman West Bay Finco Limited	18			Soite 3

1	BlackRock		Í		1
20	Cayman West	19			
	Bay IV Limited				
21	BlackRock	20			
21	Group Limited	20			
	BlackRock				
22	Finance Europe	21			
	Limited				
	BlackRock				
23	Investment	22			
23	Management	22			
	(UK) Limited				
	BlackRock				
24	(Netherlands)	22			
	B.V.				
	BlackRock				
25	Asset	24			
20	Management	2-1			
	Deutschland AG				
	BlackRock	.			
26	Advisors (UK)	22			
	Limited				
	BlackRock				
27	Capital	3			
	Holdings, Inc.				
28	BlackRock	27			
	Advisors, LLC				
00	BlackRock	4=			
29	Canada	17			
	Holdings LP				
00	BlackRock	20			
30	Canada	29			
	Holdings ULC				
	BlackRock Asset				
31		30			
	Management				
	Canada Limited BlackRock				
32	Holdco 4, LLC	3			
	BlackRock				
33	Holdco 6, LLC	32			
	BlackRock				
34	Delaware	33			
]	Holdings Inc.	33			
_	BlackRock Fund				
35	Advisors	34			
	BlackRock				
	Institutional				
36	Trust Company,	34			
	National				
	Association				
	Amethyst				
37	Intermediate	9			
	LLC				
20	Aperio Holdings	27			
38	LLC	37			
39	Aperio Group,	38			
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9. In case of proxy voting

Date of general meeting: -

Voting rights after general meeting: - is equivalent to - voting rights.

10. Sonstige Kommentare:

The disclosure obligation arose due to voting rights attached to shares for BlackRock, Inc. going below 4%.

London am 17.10.2023