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

London, 5.5.2023

#### 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: 4.5.2023

#### 6. Total positions

|  | % of voting rights attached to shares (7.A) | % of voting rights<br>through<br>financial/other<br>instruments (7.B.1 +<br>7.B.2) | <b>Total</b> of both in % (7.A + 7.B) | Total number of voting rights of issuer |
|--|---|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed / reached | 4,87 %                                      | 0,18 %   | 5,05 %                                | 429 800 000                             |
| Position of previous notification (if applicable)                        | 4,78 %                                      | 0,19 %   | 4,97 %                                |   |

## **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<br>(Sec 130 BörseG<br>2018) | Indirect<br>(Sec 133 BörseG<br>2018) | Direct<br>(Sec 130 BörseG<br>2018) | Indirect<br>(Sec 133 BörseG<br>2018) |  |
| AT0000652011                        |                                    | 20 943 687                           |                                    | 4,87 %                               |  |
| SUBTOTAL A                          | 20 943 687                         |                                      | 4,87 %                             |                                      |  |

| 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             | 309 000   | 0,07 %             |  |  |
| American<br>Depositary Receipt  | N/A             | N/A             | 81 019  | 0,02 %             |  |  |
|   |                 | SUBTOTAL B.1    | 390 019   | 0,09 %             |  |  |

| B 2: Financial / Other Instruments pursuant to Sec. 131 para. 1 No. 2 BörseG 2018 |                    |                    |                               |                         |                    |  |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Type of instrument  | Expiration<br>Date | Exercise<br>Period | Physical /<br>Cash Settlement | Number of voting rights | % of voting rights |  |
| CFD   | N/A                | N/A                | Cash                          | 381 300                 | 0,09 %             |  |
|   |                    |                    | SUBTOTAL B.2                  | 381 300                 | 0,09 %             |  |

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

| 20 | BlackRock<br>Cayman West<br>Bay IV Limited                              | 19 |  |  |
|----|---|----|--|--|
| 21 | BlackRock<br>Group Limited  | 20 |  |  |
| 22 | BlackRock<br>Finance Europe<br>Limited                                  | 21 |  |  |
| 23 | BlackRock<br>Investment<br>Management<br>(UK) Limited                   | 22 |  |  |
| 24 | BlackRock<br>International<br>Limited                                   | 21 |  |  |
| 25 | BlackRock<br>(Netherlands)<br>B.V.                                      | 22 |  |  |
| 26 | BlackRock<br>Asset<br>Management<br>Deutschland AG                      | 25 |  |  |
| 27 | BlackRock<br>Advisors (UK)<br>Limited                                   | 22 |  |  |
| 28 | BlackRock<br>Capital<br>Holdings, Inc.                                  | 3  |  |  |
| 29 | BlackRock<br>Advisors, LLC  | 28 |  |  |
| 30 | BlackRock<br>Canada<br>Holdings LP                                      | 17 |  |  |
| 31 | BlackRock<br>Canada<br>Holdings ULC                                     | 30 |  |  |
| 32 | BlackRock<br>Asset<br>Management<br>Canada Limited                      | 31 |  |  |
| 33 | BlackRock<br>Holdco 4, LLC  | 3  |  |  |
| 34 | BlackRock<br>Holdco 6, LLC  | 33 |  |  |
| 35 | BlackRock<br>Delaware<br>Holdings Inc.                                  | 34 |  |  |
| 36 | BlackRock Fund<br>Advisors  | 35 |  |  |
| 37 | BlackRock<br>Institutional<br>Trust Company,<br>National<br>Association | 35 |  |  |
| 38 | Amethyst<br>Intermediate<br>LLC   | 9  |  |  |
| 39 | Aperio Holdings<br>LLC  | 38 |  |  |
| 40 | Aperio Group,<br>LLC  | 39 |  |  |
|    |   |    |  |  |

## 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 total holdings for BlackRock, Inc. going above 5%.

London am 5.5.2023