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

London, 24.2.2023

#### 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

Acquisition or disposal of financial/other instruments

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: 23.2.2023

#### 6. Total positions

	% of voting rights attached to shares (7.A)	% of voting rights through financial/other instruments (7.B.1 + 7.B.2)	Total of both in % (7.A + 7.B)	<u>Total number</u> of voting rights of <u>issuer</u>
Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed / reached	4,83 %	0,18 %	5,01 %	429 800 000
Position of previous notification (if applicable)	4,82 %	0,17 %	4,99 %	

#### **Details**

## 7. Notified details of the resulting situation:

A: Voting rights attached to shares						
ISIN Code	Number of \	oting 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	20 748 060		4,83 %			
SUBTOTAL A	20 748 060		4,83 %			

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						
American Depositary Receipt	N/A	N/A	69 800	0,02 %		
Securities Lent	N/A	N/A	707 205	0,16 %		
		SUBTOTAL B.1	777 005	0,18 %		

B 2: Financial / Other Instruments pursuant to Sec. 131 para. 1 No. 2 BörseG 2018						
Type of instrument						
CFD	N/A	N/A	Cash	720	0,00 %	
			SUBTOTAL B.2	720	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.
☑ Full chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the
financial/ather instruments are affectively hold starting with the ultimate controlling natures.

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) HoldcoPte.Ltd.	5			
11	BlackRockHK HoldcoLimited	10			
12	BlackRock Asset Management North Asia Limited	11			
13	BlackRockLux FincoS.àr.l.	11			
14	BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	13			
15	BlackRock Japan Co., Ltd.	14			
16	BlackRock (Singapore) Limited	10			
17	BlackRock Holdco3,LLC	5			
18	BlackRock Cayman 1LP	17			
19	BlackRock Cayman West	18			

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	Limited				
20	BlackRock Cayman West	19			
	Bay IV Limited				
21	BlackRock Group Limited	20			
	BlackRock				
22	Finance Europe Limited	21			
	BlackRock				
23	Investment	22			
	Management (UK) Limited				
	BlackRock				
24	International	21			
	Limited				
	BlackRock				
25	(Netherlands)	22			
	B.V.				
	BlackRock				
26	Asset	25	1		
	Management				
	Deutschland AG BlackRock				
27	Advisors (UK)	22			
21	Limited	22			
	BlackRock				
28	Capital	3			
	Holdings, Inc.				
29	BlackRock	28			
29	Advisors, LLC	20			
	BlackRock				
30	Canada	17			
	Holdings LP				
31	BlackRock Canada	30			
31	Holdings ULC	30			
	BlackRock				
20	Asset	0.4			
32	Management	31			
	Can ad a Limited				
33	BlackRock	3			
	Holdco4, LLC	3			
34	BlackRock	33	1		
	Holdco 6, LLC				
35	BlackRock Delaware	34			
33	Holdings Inc.	34			
	BlackRock Fund				
36	Advisors	35			
	BlackRock				
	Institutional				
37	Trust Company,	35	1		
	National		1		
	Association				
20	Amethyst	0	1		
38	Intermediate LLC	9	1		
	Aperio Holdings		-		
39	LLC	38			
40	Aperio Group,	20			
40	LLC	39			
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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 total holdings for BlackRock, Inc. going above 5%

London am 24.2.2023