For filings with the FCA include the annex For filings with issuer exclude the annex

TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARESⁱ

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying is of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: ⁱⁱ				
2 Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):				
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights	\checkmark			
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financia acquisition of shares already issued to which w				
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with s financial instruments	similar economic effect to qualifying			
An event changing the breakdown of voting rig	ghts			
Other (please specify):				
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:	Aviva plc & its subsidiaries			
	Registered Holder:			
	BNY Norwich Union Nominees Limited 792,383 *			
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.): ^{iv}	Chase (GA Group) Nominees Limited 12,578,901			
	*denotes direct interest			
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: ^v	11 March 2016			
6. Date on which issuer notified:	14 March 2016			
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: vi, vii	4% to 3% Change at Direct Interest Level (Box 8A)			

8. Notified details: A: Voting rights attached to shares ^{viii, ix}								
						Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the triggering transaction	
if possible using the ISIN CODE	•		Number of shares	Number of voting % rights		% of voti	% of voting rights ^x	
	Voting Rights Direct	Direct xi	Indirect xii	Direct	Indirect			
Ordinary Shares								
GB00B1GK4645	16,960,806	16,960,806	13,371,284	13,371,284	Not Disclosable	3.92%	Not Disclosable	

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments					
Resulting situation after the triggering transaction					
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date ^{xiii}	Exercise/ Conversion Period ^{xiv}	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights	
RIGHT TO RECALL LOANED SHARES	N/A	N/A	1,000,000	0.29%	

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments xv, xvi

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date ^{xvii}	Exercise/ Conversion period ^{xviii}	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights ^{xix,}	
					Nominal	Delta

Total (A+B+C)				
Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights			
14,371,284	4.21%			

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable: ^{xxi}

The voting rights are managed and controlled by Aviva Investors Global Services Limited, with the following chain of controlled undertakings:-

Aviva Investors Global Services Limited:

- Aviva plc (Parent Company)
- Aviva Group Holdings Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Aviva plc)
- Aviva Investors Holdings Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Aviva Group Holdings Limited)
- Aviva Investors Global Services Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Aviva Investors Holdings Limited)

Proxy Voting:				
10. Name of the proxy holder:		See Section 4		
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder wi to hold:				
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:				
13. Additional information:	Figures are based on a total number of voting rights of 341,195,439 as per the Company's Announcement of 06 November 2015.			
14. Contact name:	Neil Whittaker, Aviva plc			
15. Contact telephone number:	01603 684420			