## Important Notice

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**The Depository Trust Company** 

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Date:	March 21, 2018			
To:	All Participants			
Category:	Dividends			
From:	International Services			
Attention:	Operations, Reorg & Dividend Managers, Partners & Cashiers			
Subject:	Tax Relief - Country: Denmark GN Store CUSIP 3621ME105 <u>Record date 3/15/2018 Payable D</u> ate: 4/2/2018			

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## Deutsche Bank

**GN STORE** has announced a cash dividend and Deutsche Bank Trust Company acts as Depositary for the Depositary Receipt ("DR") program.

On DR pay date all beneficial owners received this dividend net of the full Danish statutory withholding tax of 27% with the possibility to reclaim as outlined in the below Eligibility Matrix.

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## **DIVIDEND EVENT DETAILS**

COUNTRY OF ISSUANCE	DENMARK		
ISSUE	GN STORE		
CUSIP#	3621ME105		
UNDERLYING ISIN	DK0010272632		
DEPOSITARY	MULTIPLE		
DR RECORD DATE	3/15/2018		
ORD PAY DATE	3/16/2018		
DR PAY DATE	4/2/2018		
RATIO (DR to ORD)	1 DR : 3 ORD		
ORD RATE	DKK1.25		
STATUTORY WITHHOLDING RATE	27%		
XBRL	N/A		
STATUTE OF LIMITATION IS 3 YEARS FROM ORDINARY PAY DATE.			

FEES & DEADLINES					
FILING METHOD	ВАТСН	PAYMENT METHOD	TAX RELIEF FEE	MINIMUM FEE PER BENEFICIAL OWNER	FINAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE (ESP)
LONG FORM	POST-PAYABLE PROCESS; ON GOING	VIA CHECK OR ACH	UP TO \$0.0125 PER DR	\$25.00	12/15/2020 8:00 P.M. EST

ELIGIBILITY MATRIX – LONG FORM					
RATE DESCRIPTION	RECLAIM RATE	ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS	ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED		
FAVORABLE- 25%	2%	BRAZIL, INDIA, MOROCCO	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO	
FAVORABLE- 20%	7%	EGYPT, INDONESIA, TRINIDAD & TOBAGO, TURKEY	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:         <ol> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO	
FAVORABLE- 18%	9%	GREECE	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:         <ol> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO	

FAVORABLE- 15%	U.S. COF U.S. OTHER EN PARTNERSHIP, T ARGENTINA, AF AUSTRIA, BANG BELGIUM, BULGARIA, CZECH REP FAROE ISLANDS, HUNGARY, ICELAND, JAPAN, KUWAIT, I LITHUANIA, MACEDONIA MONTENEGR NEW ZEALAND, PHILIPPINES, I SERBIA, SLOVENIA, KOREA, SRI LANKA, TANZANIA, TUNISIA, U	U.S. INDIVIDUALS U.S. CORPORATIONS U.S. OTHER ENTITIES (IE: S-CORP, PARTNERSHIP, TRUST, ESTATE, ETC.)	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. NO 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO
		ARGENTINA, ARMENIA, AUSTRALIA, AUSTRIA, BANGLADESH, BELARUS, BELGIUM, BULGARIA, CANADA, CHILE, CYPRUS, CZECH REPUBLIC, ESTONIA, FAROE ISLANDS, FINLAND, GERMANY, HUNGARY, ICELAND, IRELAND, ITALY, JAMAICA, JAPAN, KUWAIT, KYRGYZSTAN, LATVIA, LITHUANIA, LUXEMBOURG, MACEDONIA, MALTA, MEXICO, MONTENEGRO, NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, NORWAY, PAKISTAN, PHILIPPINES, POLAND, ROMANIA, SERBIA, SLOVENIA, SOUTH AFRICA, SOUTH KOREA, SRI LANKA, SWEDEN, SWITZERLAND, TANZANIA, TUNISIA, UGANDA, UKRAINE, UNITED KINGDOM, VENEZUELA, VIETNAM, ZAMBIA	<ol> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO
FAVORABLE- 10%	17%	CHINA, CROATIA, GEORGIA, ISRAEL, PORTUGAL, RUSSIA, SINGAPORE, TAIWAN, THAILAND	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO

	27%	CANADIAN PENSIONS U.S. PENSIONS SECTIOSN 401(a), 501(a) U.S. GOVERNMENT AGENCIES	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:         <ol> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO
EXEMPT- 0%	21%	MALAYSIA	<ol> <li>COVER LETTER</li> <li>CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT</li> <li>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:         <ol> <li>CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE</li> <li>POWER OF ATTORNEY (2)</li> <li>STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT</li> <li>CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT</li> <li>PURCHASE VOUCHER</li> <li>SHARE BORROWING</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	1. YES 2. YES 3. YES 4. YES 5. NO 6. NO 7. NO 8. NO

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DESCRIPTION OF VARIOUS DOCUMENTATION					
DOCUMENT NAME	DESCRIPTION	DOCUMENT NAME	DESCRIPTION		
COVER LETTER (EXHIBIT A)	LISTING OF BENEFICIAL OWNER NAMES, ADDRESSES, TIN, NUMBER OF SHARES AND PERCENT RECLAIM	STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT	DOCUMENTATION THAT SHOWS THAT THE DIVIDEND HAS BEEN DEPOSITED INTO THE ACCOUNT. EXAMPLES INCLUDE A COPY OF THE SHAREHOLDER'S STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT, ALONG WITH A SWIFT CONFIRMATION OR SCREEN PRINT FROM THE BANK SYSTEM. IF THE DIVIDEND HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED VIA SEVERAL BANKS, YOU NEED TO SUBMIT DOCUMENTATION FOR ALL PARTS OF THE TRANSFER.		
CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCE / IRS FORM 6166	ISSUED BY THE LOCAL TAX AUTHORITY, STATING THE NAME AND TAX PAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER OF THE BENEFICIAL OWNER. IT MUST BE FOR <b>CURRENT TAX YEAR</b> OF DIVIDEND EVENT	CUSTODY ACCOUNT STATEMENT	STATEMENT OF THE SHAREHOLDER'S SHAREHOLDING AT THE TIME WHEN THE DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION WAS APPROVED SO THAT THE NUMBER OF SHARES AT THAT TIME CORRESPONDS TO THE NUMBER OF SHARES FOR WHICH REFUND OF DANISH DIVIDEND TAX IS CLAIMED.		
CERTIFICATE OF PAYMENT (EXHIBIT B)	REQUIRED FOR ALL LONG FORM CLAIMS. MUST BE SUBMITTED ON DTC PARTICIPANT LETTERHEAD.	PURCHASE VOUCHER	DOCUMENTATION IS REQUIRED IF THE SHAREHOLDER HAS BOUGHT OR SOLD SHARES WITHIN A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS BEFORE AND AFTER THE TIME WHEN THE DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION WAS APPROVED. SUCH DOCUMENTATION COULD BE PROOF OF TRADE OR RECEIPT. IF YOU MAKE A CLAIM WITHIN SIX MONTHS AFTER THE TIME THE DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION WAS APPROVED, YOU MUST ATTACH DOCUMENTATION FOR PURCHASES AND SALES UP UNTIL THE TIME THE CLAIM WAS MADE.		
POWER OF ATTORNEY (EXHIBIT C & D)	TWO POWER OF ATTORNEYS ARE REQUESTED IN ALL CASES WHERE A DTC PARTICIPANT IS SIGNING ON BEHALF OF THE BENEFICIAL OWNER ONE FROM THE BENEFICIAL OWNER TO THE DTC PARTICIPANT AND ONE FROM THE DTC PARTICIPANT TO BNY MELLON / GLOBETAX	SHARE BORROWING	THE CLAIM MUST STATE WHETHER THE SHARES WERE BORROWED FROM OR LENT TO OTHERS AT THE TIME WHEN THE DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION WAS APPROVED.		

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Deutsche Bank offers ESP powered by GlobeTax, an electronic withholding tax submission system. This system allows for the secure and simplified transfer of beneficial owner level data from the Participant to Deutsche Bank and creates applicable documentation on the Participants behalf.

Submit the data online through the web site below, print out the document on letterhead, sign, and mail to Deutsche Bank / GlobeTax.

These claims should be submitted through the following web site. (Requires a one-time registration)

https://ESP.GlobeTax.com

Please contact <a href="mailto:support@globetax.com">support@globetax.com</a> at 212-747-9100 if you have any questions about this process.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

LONG FORM QUESTIONS			
IS THE PROCESS FOR TAX RELIEF OFFERED BY DEUTSCHE BANK AN OPTIONAL PROCESS?	YES, THIS IS A DISCRETIONARY, OPTIONAL SERVICE.		
IS THE LONG FORM PROCESS FREE OF CHARGE?	<b>NO.</b> THIS TAX RECLAIM ASSISTANCE SERVICE IS WHOLLY VOLUNTARY AND DISCRETIONARY AND OUTSIDE THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ANY APPLICABLE DEPOSIT AGREEMENT. FEES WILL BE CHARGED FOR THIS ASSISTANCE SERVICE OF UP TO \$0.0125 PER DR FOR LONG FORM WITH A MINIMUM OF \$25.00, AND ANY OTHER CHARGES, FEES OR EXPENSES PAYABLE BY OR DUE TO DEUTSCHE BANK OR ITS AGENTS, INCLUDING THE CUSTODIAN OR TO TAX AUTHORITIES OR REGULATORS. FEES PAID TO DEUTSCHE BANK MAY BE SHARED WITH ITS AGENTS.		
DOES THE LONG FORM PROCESS HAVE A MINIMUM POSITION REQUIREMENT PER BENEFICIAL OWNER?	<b>NO</b> , ALL CLAIMS WILL BE PROCESSED THOUGH THERE IS A MINIMUM FEE OF \$25 PER BENEFICIAL OWNER.		
WILL I BE PAID THROUGH DTC FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED THROUGH THE LONG FORM PROCESS?	NO, YOU WILL BE PAID BY CHECK.		

FORMS AND ATTACHMENTS *Double click on respective icon to view attachment.						
APPENDIX A – COVER LETTER **For Non-ESP users ONLY						
EXHIBIT A.docx	Microsoft Excel Worksheet	EXHIBIT B.docx	EXHIBIT C.docx	EXHIBIT D.docx		