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Holding announcement according to article 135 section 2 BörseG (ESMA 2015/1597)

# BAWAG Group AG: Release according to article 135 section 2 BörseG

Vienna (pta046/09.12.2021/20:30) - Release of Announcement according to article 135 section 2 BörseG Notification of Major Holdings

## 1. Issuer:

BAWAG Group AG, Wiedner Gürtel 11, 1100 Wien, Austria

## 2. Reason for notification:

Acquisition / disposal of shares with voting rights

## 3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation

Name: BlackRock, Inc.

City and country of registered office: Wilmington, USA - United States

4. Names of shareholder(s) holding directly 3% or more voting rights, if different from 3

#### 5. Date on which threshold was crossed or reached

07.12.2021

#### 6. Total positions

|  | % of voting rights<br>attached to shares<br>(total of 7.a.) | % of voting rights<br>through instruments<br>(total of 7.b.1 +<br>7.b.2) |      | total number of<br>voting rights of<br>issuer |
|--|---|--|------|---|
| Resulting situation<br>on the date on<br>which threshold<br>was crossed /<br>reached | 3.86  | 0.09   | 3.95 | 89,142,237                                    |
| Position of previous notification  | 3.94  | 0.10   | 4.04 |   |

# 7. Notified details of the resulting situation

#### 7.a. Voting rights attached to shares

| ISIN code    | absolute direct (Sec<br>130 BörseG 2018) | absolute indirect<br>(Sec 133 BörseG<br>2018) | in % direct (Sec<br>130 BörseG 2018) | in % indirect (Sec<br>133 BörseG 2018) |
|--------------|--|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| AT0000BAWAG2 | 0  | 3,442,634                                     | 0.00                                 | 3.86                                   |
| Total:       |  | 3,442,634                                     |                                      | 3.86                                   |

#### 7.b.1. Financial / Other Instruments pursuant to Sec. 131 para. 1 No. 1 BörseG 2018

| Type of instrument | Expiration Date | Exercise Period | Voting Rights<br>Absolute | Voting Rights in % |
|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Securities Lent    | N/A             | N/A             | 34,686                    | 0.04               |
|                    |                 | Total:          | 34,686                    | 0.04               |

# 7.b.2 Financial / Other Instruments pursuant to Sec. 131 para. 1 No. 2 BörseG 2018

| Type of    | Expiration Date | Exercise Period | Physical /Cash |          | Voting Rights in |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------|------------------|
| instrument |                 |                 | Settlement     | Absolute | %                |
| CFD        | N/A             | N/A             | Cash           | 45,074   | 0.05             |
|            |                 |                 | Total:         | 45,074   | 0.05             |

# 8. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation

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<br>controlled by<br>No. | Shares held<br>directly (%) | Financial/other<br>instruments<br>held directly (%) | Total of both<br>(%) |
|-----|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|----------------------|
| 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>Capital<br>Management,<br>Inc.        | 29 |  |   |
| 31 | BlackRock<br>Canada<br>Holdings LP                 | 17 |  |   |
| 32 | BlackRock<br>Canada<br>Holdings ULC                | 31 |  |   |
| 33 | BlackRock<br>Asset<br>Management<br>Canada Limited | 32 |  |   |
| 34 | BlackRock<br>Holdco 4, LLC                         | 3  |  |   |
| 35 | BlackRock<br>Holdco 6, LLC                         | 34 |  |   |
| 36 | BlackRock<br>Delaware<br>Holdings Inc.             | 35 |  |   |
| 37 | BlackRock Fund<br>Advisors                         | 36 |  |   |

| 38 | BlackRock      | 36 |  |  |
|----|----------------|----|--|--|
|    | Institutional  |    |  |  |
|    | Trust Company, |    |  |  |
|    | National       |    |  |  |
|    | Association    |    |  |  |

# 9. In case of proxy voting

Date of general meeting: N/A

## 10. Additional Information

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| ISIN(s):         | AT0000BAWAG2 (share)  |
| stock exchanges: | official trade in Vienna                                    |



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