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# **EURONEXT NOTICE 1-01**

### Document subject

ENTRY INTO EFFECT OF THE EURONEXT RULE BOOK

### INTRODUCTION

- 1. The new Rule Book shall enter into force on and from 06 March 2017.
- 2. The present Notice supersedes and replaces Notice 1-01 as amended and issued on 01 July 2016.

## **DETAILS**

- 3. Given the increasing requirement for companies to have a Legal Entity Identifier (LEI) for regulatory purposes<sup>1</sup>, Euronext intends to explicitly impose in the Rule Book a requirement for all Issuers to obtain this identifier and provide it to Euronext. This requirement will apply at the time of the initial request for admission to trading and as a continuing obligation. The LEIs are available from the national issuing agency in each country (the so-called "Local Operating Unit") and must be renewed annually.
- 4. Euronext also makes a number of changes to the Rule Book and the Trading Manual to accommodate the concept of Preferred Clearing, providing trading participants with the choice of Clearing Organisation - ie the entity authorised and regulated as a Central Counterparty pursuant to EMIR and appointed by the Euronext Market Undertaking to clear Transactions being, for the time being, EuroCCP and LCH SA.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In particular, both the Market Abuse Regime and MiFID II/ MiFIR make it mandatory to use LEIs for reporting purposes.