## Final Terms dated 10 May 2010

## **Erste Group Bank AG**

## Issue of EUR 10,000,000 Fixed Rate Mortgage Bonds (Pfandbriefe) due 12 May 2016,

## under the €30,000,000,000 Debt Issuance Programme

#### **PART A - CONTRACTUAL TERMS**

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the Conditions (the "Conditions") set forth in the Prospectus dated 17 July 2009 which constitutes a base prospectus for the purposes of the Prospectus Directive (Directive 2003/71/EC) (the "**Prospectus Directive**"). This document constitutes the Final Terms of the Notes described herein for the purposes of Article 5.4 of the Prospectus Directive and must be read in conjunction with such Prospectus . Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of these Final Terms and the Prospectus. The Prospectus is available for viewing at http://www.erstegroup.com and during normal business hours at Börsegasse 14, 1010 Vienna and copies may be obtained from Erste Group Bank AG, Börsegasse 14, 1010 Vienna and on http://www.erstegroup.com.

1 Issuer: Erste Group Bank AG

2 (i) Series Number: 938
(ii) Tranche Number: 1

3 Specified Currency or Currencies: EUR

4 Aggregate Nominal Amount of Notes:

(i) Series: EUR 10,000,000
(ii) Tranche: EUR 10,000,000

5 Issue Price: 100.00 % of the Aggregate Nominal Amount

(i) Specified Denominations: EUR 50,000 6 (ii) Calculation Amount: EUR 50,000 7 (i) Issue Date: 12 May 2010 (ii) Interest Commencement Date: 12 May 2010 12 May 2016 8 Maturity Date: 9 Interest Basis: **Fixed Rate** 

10 Redemption/Payment Basis: Redemption at par11 Change of Interest or Not Applicable

Redemption/Payment Basis:

**12** Put/Call Options: No

13 (i) Status of the Notes: Pfandbrief

(ii) Date Board approval for according to Overall Planning Approval of Management issuance of Notes obtained: Board dated 16 November 2009 and Supervisory

Board dated 16 December 2009..

14 Method of distribution: Non-syndicated

# PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

15 **Fixed Rate Note Provisions Applicable** 

Rates of Interest: 2.760 % per annum from (and including) 12 May 2010 (i)

to (but excluding) 12 May 2016.

(ii) Interest Payment Date(s): 12 May in each year subject to adjustment in

accordance with the Following Business Day

Convention

(iii) Fixed Coupon Amount: EUR 1,380 payable in the years 2011 through 2016

(iv) Broken Amount: Not Applicable

(v) Day Count Fraction: Actual/Actual (ICMA), unadjusted

(vi) Interest Determination Dates: Not Applicable (vii) Other terms relating to the Not Applicable

method of calculating interest for

Fixed Rate Notes:

**Floating Rate Note Provisions** 16 Not Applicable

17 **Zero Coupon Note Provisions** Not Applicable

Index-linked Interest Note/other variable-linked interest Note

**Provisions** 

**Dual Currency Note Provisions** Not Applicable

PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

20 **Call Option** Not Applicable 21 **Put Option** Not Applicable

22 **Final Redemption Amount of each** 

> In cases where the Final Redemption Amount is Index-Linked or other

variable-linked:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

**Redemption of Reverse Convertible** 

Notes (Cash-or-Share Notes,

Cash-or-Fund Notes,

Cash-or-Commodity Notes, Cashor-Currency Notes, Cash-or-Future Notes)

Not Applicable

**Early Redemption Amount** 24

According to Clause 6 of the Terms and Conditions of

the Notes

**GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES** 

25 Form of Notes: Notes governed by Austrian law:

Bearer Notes:

Temporary Global Note exchangeable for a Permanent Global Note which is not exchangeable

for Definitive Notes

26 New Global Note Yes

Financial Centre(s) or other special **TARGET** 27 provisions relating to Payment Dates:

28 Talons for future Coupons or Receipts to be attached to Definitive Notes (and

No

dates on which such Talons mature):

29 Details relating to Partly Paid Notes: amount of each payment comprising the Issue Price and date on which each payment is to be made and consequences (if any) of failure to pay, including any right of the Issuer to forfeit the Notes and interest due on late payment:

Not Applicable

30 Details relating to Instalment Notes:

amount of each instalment, date on which each payment is to be made:

Not Applicable

31 Redenomination, renominalisation and

reconventioning provisions:

Not Applicable

32 Consolidation provisions: Not Applicable33 Other final terms: Not Applicable

DISTRIBUTION

34 (i) If syndicated, names of Managers Not Applicable(ii) Stabilising Manager(s) (if any): Not Applicable

35 If non-syndicated, name of Dealer: DZ BANK AG Deutsche Zentral-Genossenschaftsbank,

Frankfurt am Main

36 U.S. Selling Restrictions TEFRA D

37 Additional selling restrictions: Not Applicable

38 Jurisdiction and Governing Law: Austrian39 Binding language: English

40 Domestic or International Notes International

## **PURPOSE OF FINAL TERMS**

These Final Terms comprise the final terms required for issue and admission to trading on the Vienna Stock Exchange of the Notes described herein pursuant to the €30,000,000,000 Debt Issuance Programme of Erste Group Bank AG.

## **RESPONSIBILITY**

The Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in these Final Terms.

Erste Group Bank AG as the Issuer.

By: By:

Authorised Officer Authorised Officer

#### **PART B - OTHER INFORMATION**

### 1. LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING

(i) Admission to trading: Application is expected to be made by the Issuer for

the Notes to be admitted to trading on the Vienna Stock Exchange (*Geregelter Freiverkehr*) with effect from

12 May 2010.

(ii) Estimate of total expenses

related to admission to trading:

**EUR 725** 

#### 2. RATINGS

Ratings: In general Pfandbriefe have the following rating:

Moody's: Aaa

## 3. NOTIFICATION

The Commission de surveillance du secteur financier (CSSF - Luxembourg) has provided the Finanzmarktaufsichtbehörde (FMA - Austria), Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstleistungsaufsicht (Bafin - Germany), Commissione Nazionale per le Società e la Borsa (CONSOB - Italy), Malta Financial Services Authority (MFSA - Malta), Commission de surveillance du secteur financier (CSSF - Luxembourg), Hungarian Financial Supervisory Authority (PSZÁF - Hungary), Czech Securities Commission (SEC - Czech Republic), National Bank of Slovakia (NBS - Slovak Republic), Polish Securities and Exchange Commission (KPWIG - Warszawa), Securities Market Agency (Slovenia) and Romanian National Securities Commission (Romania) with a certificate of approval attesting that the Prospectus has been drawn up in accordance with the Prospectus Directive

### 4. INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ISSUE/OFFER

Save as discussed in "Subscription and Sale", so far as the Issuer is aware, no person involved in the offer of the Notes has an interest material to the offer.

# 5. REASONS FOR THE OFFER, ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AND TOTAL EXPENSES

(i) Reasons for the offer: See "Use of Proceeds" wording in Prospectus

(ii) Estimated net proceeds: EUR 9,972,000(iii) Estimated total expenses: EUR 3,000

## 6. Fixed Rate Notes only - YIELD

Indication of yield: 2.76 %

As set out above, the yield is calculated at the Issue Date on the basis of the Issue Price. It is not an

indication of future yield.

7. Index-linked or Equity-linked or Fund-linked or Credit-linked or Commodity-linked or Future-linked or other variable-linked Notes only - PERFORMANCE OF INDEX/FORMULA/UNDERLYING EQUITY/FUND/CREDIT EVENT/COMMODITY/FUTURE/ OTHER VARIABLE, EXPLANATION OF EFFECT ON VALUE OF INVESTMENT AND ASSOCIATED RISKS AND OTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING THE UNDERLYING

Not Applicable

8. Dual Currency Notes only - PERFORMANCE OF RATE[S] OF EXCHANGE AND **EXPLANATION OF EFFECT ON VALUE OF INVESTMENT** 

Not Applicable

#### **OPERATIONAL INFORMATION** 9.

XS0508117198 ISIN Code: 050811719 (ii) Common Code:

(iii) Clearing system(s)

Clearstream Banking, Société Anonyme a) for International Notes:

Not Applicable b) for Domestic Notes:

Delivery against payment (iv) Delivery:

BNPPARIBAS Securities Services, Luxembourg

(v) Names and addresses of initial

Paying Agent(s):

(vi) Names and addresses of additional Paying Agent(s) (if any):

(vii) Intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility.

Not Applicable

Yes

Note that the designation "yes" simply means that the Notes are intended upon issue to be deposited with one of the ICSDs as common safekeeper and does not necessarily mean that the Notes will be recognised as eligible collateral for Eurosystem monetary policy and intra-day credit operations by the Eurosystem either upon issue or at any or all times during their life. Such recognition will depend upon the ECB being satisfied that Eurosystem eligibility criteria have been met. Note also that this Programme contemplates that Notes may be issued in NGN form even if the designation "No" is selected above. See also Part A - Item 25.