Mr. Engelbert Petrasch, em. notary public Storkgasse 10/20 1050 Vienna

Voting instructions for the

22nd Annual General Meeting of Erste Group Bank AG Austria Center Vienna, Bruno-Kreisky-Platz 1, 1220 Vienna on 12 May 2015, 10:00 a.m. (Vienna Time)

If you grant power of attorney to Mr. Engelbert Petrasch, em. notary public in his capacity as proxy representative for shares for Erste Group Bank AG, you can use this form to issue your voting instructions. Your voting instructions will not be forwarded to Erste Group Bank AG in advance.

If no other submitter is named, the undermentioned draft resolutions pursuant to § 108 para. 1 AktG are those submitted by the Management Board and the Supervisory Board or the Supervisory board only. If there are separate votes on individual subjects in one draft resolution concerning an agenda item, the voting instruction given for this draft resolution shall apply accordingly for each individual subject. On additional agenda items and new or changed draft resolutions not mentioned in this form Mr. Petrasch will abstain from voting.

On draft resolutions without or with inexplicit instructions (e.g. voting FOR and AGAINST the same resolution) Mr. Petrasch will abstain from voting for the affected resolution.

Issuer (Shareholder)					
First name, surname / Company name					
First name, Surname / Company name					
Address			Date of birth / Registerno.		
Contact (Phone. or e-mail)					
Draft resolutions of the agenda For the Against the					
(Please check boxes like ☒; do not use red ink)			resolution	resolution	Abstention
2.	Grant of discharge to the members of the Management Board with regard to the financial year 2014.				
3.	Grant of discharge to the members of the Supervisory Board with regard to the financial year 2014.				
4.	Remu	neration of the members of the Supervisory Board.			
5.	Elections to the Supervisory Board.				
	5.a	Increasing the number of Supervisory Board members from 11 to 12.			
	5.b	Election of Gonzalo Gortázar Rotaeche to the Supervisory Board.			
	5.c	Election of Maximilian Hardegg to the Supervisory Board.			
	5.d	Election of Antonio Massanell Lavilla to the Supervisory Board.			
	5.e	Reelection of Wilhelm Rasinger to the Supervisory Board.			
6.	manag	ntment of an additional (group) auditor for the financial statements, the gement report, the group financial statements and the group management report for ancial year 2016.			
7.	Acquisition of own shares for the purpose of securities trading.				
8.	Acquisition of own shares for no designated purpose subject to the exclusion of trading in own shares.				
Mr. Petrasch is entitled to reject a power of attorney without giving any reasons, especially if it suffers a flaw. Mr. Petrasch will make an effort to inform the issuer about the rejection if contact details are available (phone, e-mail, etc.) and information is feasible within the required period. These voting instructions only are valid along with a valid power of attorney. In case of revocation of the power of attorney the voting instructions become void. This revocation must be sent to Mr. Petrasch via one of the below mentioned addresses. Upon revocation on the day of the General Meeting please draw special attention to indicate that voting instruction also are revoked.					
Date Signature / company Signatures of all co-shareholders, if applicable					

Please complete and return until 11 May 2015, 16.00 hours Viennese time

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