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#### **20 November 2017**

# Nordea announces results and early participation levels for consent solicitations in respect of certain of its EMTN and GMTN notes

On 7 November 2017, Nordea Bank AB (publ) (the "Issuer") announced invitations to holders of the outstanding notes listed in the tables below (each a "Series" and, together, the "Notes") to consent to (i) certain modifications of the terms and conditions (the "Conditions") of the relevant Series and related documents in connection with the proposed re-domiciliation of the Issuer from Sweden to Finland, and (ii) certain other modifications of the Conditions, by approving a resolution of the holders of such Series (a "Resolution"), all as further described in the consent solicitation memorandum dated 7 November 2017 prepared by the Issuer (the "Consent Solicitation Memorandum"). Capitalised terms used in this notice and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given to them in the Consent Solicitation Memorandum.

## Results of the Consent Solicitations in respect of the GMTN Notes

The Consent Fee Deadline in relation to the 2015 GMTN Notes was 5.00 p.m. (Central European Time) on 17 November 2017. The Consent Fee Deadline in relation to the 2014 GMTN Notes was 5.00 p.m. (New York City Time) on 17 November 2017. As at the Consent Fee Deadline, the Tabulation Agent had received Consent Instructions in favour of the relevant Resolution from holders representing at least two thirds of the outstanding principal amount of each Series indicated in the table below.

ISIN	CUSIP	Description
Regulation S: US65557DAM39	Regulation S:	
Rule 144A: US65557CAM55	65557DAM3	U.S.\$1,000,000,000 5.50% Perpetual Non- Call September 2019 Additional Tier 1
	Rule 144A:	Notes
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Regulation S: US65557DAL55	Regulation S: 65557DAL5	LL C \$500,000,000 6 1250/ Domestical Non
Rule 144A: US65557CAN39		U.S.\$500,000,000 6.125% Perpetual Non- Call September 2024 Additional Tier 1
	Rule 144A: 65557CAN3	Notes
XS1202090947	N/A	U.S.\$550,000,000 Perpetual Non-Call September 2021 Additional Tier 1 Notes (current coupon: 5.250%)
XS1202091325	N/A	SEK 2,250,000,000 Perpetual Non-Call March 2020 Additional Tier 1 Notes (current coupon: STIBOR plus 3.10 per cent.)
XS1202091671	N/A	NOK 1,250,000,000 Perpetual Non-Call March 2020 Additional Tier 1 Notes (current coupon: NIBOR plus 3.10 per cent.)

Each Resolution has therefore been validly approved by holders of each Series of GMTN Notes set out above and the Issuer expects to pay the Consent Fee on the date of this announcement. The Implementation Date is expected to be 30 November 2017.

## Preliminary Results in respect of the EMTN Notes

The Consent Fee Deadline in relation to the EMTN Notes was 5.00 p.m. (Central European Time) on 17 November 2017. Based on Consent Instructions received by the Consent Fee Deadline, the Issuer expects that all Meetings will be quorate and the relevant Extraordinary Resolutions will be approved. Noteholders of each Series of EMTN Notes listed in the table below may continue to submit Consent

Instructions after the Consent Fee Deadline and up to the Expiration Deadline at 10.00 a.m. (Central European Time) on 28 November 2017, but such Noteholders will not be eligible to receive the Consent Fee in respect of those Consent Instructions.

ISIN	Description		
XS0497179035	EUR 1,000,000,000 4.50 per cent. Dated Subordinated Notes due 26 March 2020		
XS0544654162	EUR 750,000,000 4.00 per cent. Dated Subordinated Notes due 29 March 2021		
XS1292434146	SEK 1,700,000,000 Dated Subordinated Floating Rate Notes due September 2025 (current coupon: STIBOR plus 1.50 per cent.)		
XS1292433767	SEK 2,300,000,000 Dated Subordinated Fixed Rate Reset Notes due September 2025 (current coupon: 1.935 per cent.)		
XS1299769858	JPY 15,000,000,000 1.160 per cent. Fixed Rate Subordinated Notes due 6 October 2025		
XS1317439559	EUR 750,000,000 Dated Subordinated Fixed Rate Reset Notes due November 2025 (current coupon: 1.875 per cent.)		
XS1486520403	EUR 1,000,000,000 Dated Subordinated Fixed Rate Reset Notes due September 2026 (current coupon: 1.000 per cent.)		

#### **Further Information**

A complete description of the terms and conditions of the Consent Solicitation is set out in the Consent Solicitation Memorandum. A copy of the Consent Solicitation Memorandum is available to eligible persons upon request from the Tabulation Agent.

Before making a decision with respect to any Consent Solicitation, Noteholders should carefully consider all of the information contained in the Consent Solicitation Memorandum and, in particular, the risk factors described in the section entitled "Risk Factors and Certain Other Considerations".

Further details about the transaction can be obtained from:

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