## Final Terms dated 30 May 2011



Municipal Agency

DEXIA MUNICIPAL AGENCY (the "Issuer") Euro 75,000,000,000 Euro Medium Term Note Programme for the issue of *Obligations Foncières* Due from one month from the date of the original issue

## SERIES NO: 417 TRANCHE NO: 4

Euro 300,000,000 4.250 per cent. Obligations Foncières due 26 January 2021 (the "Notes")

to be assimilated (assimilables) and form a single series with the existing Euro 1,000,000,000 4.250 per cent. Obligations Foncières due 26 January 2021 issued on 26 January 2011, the existing Euro 300,000,000 4.250 per cent. Obligations Foncières due 26 January 2021 issued on 4 February 2011 and the existing Euro 150,000,000 4.250 per cent. Obligations Foncières due 26 January 2021 issued on 28 April 2011 (the "Existing Notes")

Issue Price: 99.9640 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount of the Tranche plus an amount corresponding to accrued interest at a rate of 1.467123 per cent. of such Aggregate Nominal Amount for the period from, and including, 26 January 2011 to, but excluding, the Issue Date

# Managers

# DEXIA BANQUE INTERNATIONALE À LUXEMBOURG, SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME, ACTING UNDER THE NAME OF DEXIA CAPITAL MARKETS

NOMURA INTERNATIONAL plc

The Base Prospectus referred to below (as completed by these Final Terms) has been prepared on the basis that any offer of *Obligations Foncières* in any Member State of the European Economic Area which has implemented the Prospectus Directive (2003/71/EC), as amended by Directive 2010/73/EU (the "**Prospectus Directive**") (each, a "**Relevant Member State**") will be made pursuant to an exemption under the Prospectus Directive, as implemented in that Relevant Member State, from the requirement to publish a prospectus for offers of the *Obligations Foncières*. Accordingly any person making or intending to make an offer in that Relevant Member State of the *Obligations Foncières* may only do so in circumstances in which no obligation arises for the Issuer or any Manager to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Directive or supplement a prospectus pursuant to Article 16 of the Prospectus Directive, in each case, in relation to such offer. Neither the Issuer nor any Dealer has authorised, nor do they authorise, the making of any offer of *Obligations Foncières* in any other circumstances.

# 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 Base Prospectus dated 2 July 2010 as supplemented.

This document constitutes the Final Terms of the *Obligations Foncières* described herein for the purposes of Article 5.4 of the Prospectus Directive (Directive 2003/71/EC), as amended by Directive 2010/73/EU (the "**Prospectus Directive**") and must be read in conjunction with the Base Prospectus dated 8 April 2011 which constitutes a base prospectus for the purposes of the Prospectus Directive, save in respect of the Conditions which are extracted from the Base Prospectus 2 July 2010 as supplemented and are attached hereto. Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the *Obligations Foncières* is only available on the basis of the combination of these Final Terms and the Base Prospectus dated 2 July 2010 as supplemented and the Base Prospectus dated 8 April 2011. The Base Prospectus are available for viewing at the office of the Fiscal Agent or each of the Paying Agents and are published in accordance with the provisions of Article 14 of the Prospectus Directive, admitting the validity of disclosure carried out, *inter alia* and always at the choice of the Issuer, through release on the website of the Issuer (www.dexia-ma.com) or on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu), and copies may be obtained from Dexia Municipal Agency, Tour Dexia, La Défense 2 - 1, passerelle des Reflets, TSA 92202 - 92919 La Défense Cedex, France.

1	Issuer:		Dexia Municipal Agency
2	(i)	Series Number:	417
	(ii)	Tranche Number:	4 The Notes will, upon listing, be assimilated ( <i>assimilables</i> ) and form a single series with the Existing Notes.
3	Specified Currency:		Euro ("€")
4	Aggregate Nominal Amount:		
	(i)	Series:	€1,750,000,000
	(ii)	Tranche:	€300,000,000

5	Issue	e Price:			99.9640 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount of the Tranche plus an amount corresponding to the accrued interest at a rate of 1.467123 per cent. of such Aggregate Nominal Amount for the period from, and including, 26 January 2011 to, but excluding, the Issue Date.
6	Spec	ified Denomin	ation:		€1,000
7	(i)	Issue Date:			1st June 2011
	(ii)	Interest Cor	nmencement Da	ate:	26 January 2011
8	Matu	Maturity Date:			26 January 2021
9	Inter	Interest Basis:			4.250 per cent. Fixed Rate
10	Rede	emption/Paym	ent Basis:		Redemption at par
11	Change of Interest or Redemption/Payment Basis:			on/Payment	Not Applicable
12	Call	Call Options:			Not Applicable
13	(i)	Status of the (	Obligations Fon	cières:	Obligations Foncières
		Dates of the c issuance of obtained:	orporate author Obligations	risations for <i>Foncières</i>	Decision of the <i>Directoire</i> of Dexia Municipal Agency dated 25 May 2011 deciding the issue of the <i>Obligations</i> <i>Foncières</i> and authorising Mr François Laugier, President or its <i>Directeur</i> <i>Général</i> Mr Gilles Gallerne or Mr Christophe Piatte to sign and execute all documents in relation to the issue of the <i>Obligations Foncières</i> .
14	Meth	od of distribut	ion:		Syndicated
PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE					
15	Fixe Prov	d Rate Isions	Obligation	Foncière	Applicable
	(i)	Rate of Inte	rest:		4.250 per cent. per annum payable annually in arrear
	(ii)	Interest Pay	ment Date(s):		26 January in each year commencing on (and including) 26 January 2012 up to and including the Maturity Date
	(iii)	Fixed Coup	on Amount:		€42.50 per O <i>bligation Foncière</i> of €1,000 in nominal amount
	(iv)	Broken Amo	ount(s):		Not Applicable

	<ul><li>(v) Day Count Fraction (Condition 5(a)):</li></ul>	Actual/Actual (ICMA) (unadjusted)		
	(vi) Determination Date(s) (Condition 5(a)):	26 January in each year		
	<ul> <li>(vii) Other terms relating to the method of calculating interest for Fixed Rate Obligations Foncières:</li> </ul>	Not Applicable		
40	-	Not Applicable		
16	Floating Rate Provisions			
17	Zero Coupon <i>Obligation Foncière</i> Provisions	Not Applicable		
18	Index Linked Interest <i>Obligation Foncière</i> / other variable-linked interest <i>Obligations</i> <i>Foncières</i> Provisions	Not Applicable		
19	Dual Currency Obligation Foncière Provisions	Not Applicable		
PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION				
20	Call Option	Not Applicable		
21	Other Option	Not Applicable		
22	Final Redemption Amount of each Obligation Foncière	€1,000 per <i>Obligation Foncière</i> of €1,000 Specified Denomination		
23	Early Redemption Amount			
	Early Redemption Amount(s) of each Obligation Foncière payable on redemption for taxation reasons or on any early redemption and/or the method of calculating the same (if required or if different from that			
	set out in the Conditions):	Not Applicable		
GE	NERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE C	OBLIGATIONS FONCIÈRES		
24	Form of Obligations Foncières:	Dematerialised Obligations Foncières		
	(i) Form of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières:	Bearer dematerialised form (au porteur)		
	(ii) Registration Agent	Not Applicable		
	(iii) Temporary Global Certificate:	Not Applicable		
	(iv) Applicable TEFRA exemption:	Not Applicable		
25	<ul><li>Financial Centre(s) (Condition 7(h)) or other special provisions relating to Payment Dates:</li><li>(i) Adjusted Payment Date (Condition 7(h)):</li></ul>	TARGET The next following business day		

- Talons for future Coupons or Receipts to be attached to definitive Materialised Obligations Foncières (and dates on which such Talons mature):
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- 27 Details relating to Partly Paid Obligations Foncières: 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]
- 28 Details relating to Instalment Obligations Foncières: amount of each instalment, date on which each payment is to be made:
- **29** Redenomination, renominalisation and reconventioning provisions:
- 30 Consolidation provisions:
- **31** Representation of holders of *Obligations Foncières Masse* (Condition 10):

32 Other final terms:

# DISTRIBUTION

 (i) If syndicated, names and addresses of Managers and underwriting commitments: Dexia Banque Internationale à Luxembourg, Société Anonyme, acting under the name of Dexia Capital Markets 69, route d'Esch L-1470 Luxembourg Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg Underwriting Commitment: EUR 170,000,000 Nomura International plc Nomura House 1 St Martin's-le-Grand London EC1A 4NP Underwriting Commitment: EUR 130,000,000

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Applicable

The initial Representative will be:

Antoine de Chauveron 23, avenue Foch 75016 Paris

The alternative Representative will be:

Laurent Vallery Radot 23, avenue Foch 75016 Paris

Not Applicable

The Representative will not be remunerated.

(ii) Date of Subscription Agreement:

30 May 2011

- (iii) Stabilising Manager(s) (if any):
- 34 If non-syndicated, name and address of Dealer:
- **35** Total commission and concession:
- **36** Additional selling restrictions:

Not Applicable

# Not Applicable

0.15 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount of the Tranche

## European Economic Area:

In relation to each Member State of the European Economic Area which has implemented the Prospectus Directive (each, a "Relevant Member State"), Manager has represented, each warranted and agreed that with effect from and including the date on which the Prospectus Directive is implemented in that Relevant Member State (the "Relevant Implementation Date") it has not made and will not make an offer of Obligations Foncières which are the subject of the offering contemplated by the Base Prospectus as completed by these Final Terms in relation thereto to the public in that Relevant Member State except that it may, with effect from and including the Relevant Implementation Date, make an offer of such Obligations Foncières to the public in that Relevant Member State:

- (a) at any time to any legal entity which is a qualified investor as defined in the Prospectus Directive;
- (b) at any time to fewer than 100 or, if the Relevant Member State has implemented the relevant provision of the 2010 PD Amending Directive, 150, natural or legal persons (other than qualified investors as defined in the Prospectus Directive), subject to obtaining the prior consent of the relevant Manager or Managers nominated by the Issuer for any such offer; or
- (c) at any time in any other circumstances falling within Article 3(2) of the Prospectus Directive,

provided that no such offer of

Obligations Foncières referred to in (a) to (c) above shall require the Issuer or any Manager to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Directive, or supplement a prospectus pursuant to Article 16 of the Prospectus Directive.

For the purposes of this provision, the expression an "offer of Obligations Foncières to the public" in relation to any Obligations Foncières in any Relevant Member State means the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and the Obligations Foncières to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase or subscribe the Obligations Foncières, as the same may be varied in that Member State by any measure implementing the Prospectus Directive in that Member State, the expression "Prospectus Directive" means Directive 2003/71/EC (and amendments thereto, including the 2010 PD Amending Directive, to the extent implemented in the Relevant Member State), and includes any relevant implementing measure in the Member State and the Relevant PD Amending "2010 expression Directive" means Directive 2010/73/EU.

37 Non-exempt Offer:

Not Applicable

# PURPOSE OF FINAL TERMS

These Final Terms comprise the final terms required for the issue and admission to trading on Euronext Paris and on the Regulated Market of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange of the *Obligations Foncières* described herein pursuant to the Euro 75,000,000,000 Euro Medium Term Note Programme of Dexia Municipal Agency.

## RESPONSIBILITY

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

Signed on behalf of the Issuer:

Duly represented by: G.GALLERNE

# PART B – OTHER INFORMATION

# 1. RISK FACTORS

Not Applicable.

# 2. LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING

Application has been made by the Issuer (or on its behalf) for the *Obligations Foncières* to be listed on the official list of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and on Euronext Paris and admitted to trading on the Regulated Market of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and on Euronext Paris with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2011.

The Existing Notes are already listed on the official list of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and on Euronext Paris and admitted to trading on the regulated Market of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and on Euronext Paris.

# 3. RATINGS

Ratings:

Obligations Foncières to be issued under the Programme are expected to be rated AAA by Standard & Poor's Rating Services and AAA by Fitch Ratings and Aaa by Moody's Investors Services, Inc.

Each of Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, Fitch Ratings and Moody's Investors Service is established in the European Union and has applied to be registered under Regulation (EC) No 1060/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 September 2009 on credit rating agencies, although the result of such application has not yet been notified by the relevant competent authority.

# 4. SPECIFIC CONTROLLER

The specific controller (*contrôleur spécifique*) of the Issuer has certified that the value of the assets of the Issuer will be greater than the value of its liabilities benefiting from the *privilège* defined in Article L. 515-19 of the French Monetary and Financial Code, after settlement of this issue and of the issues which have been the subject of previous attestations.

# 5. NOTIFICATION

The Commission de surveillance du secteur financier in Luxembourg has provided the Autorité des marches financiers with a certificate of approval attesting that the Base Prospectus and the supplements to the Base Prospectus have been drawn up in accordance with the Prospectus Directive.

# 6. INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ISSUE

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

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

(i)	Reasons for the offer:	The net proceeds of the issue of the Obligations Foncières will be used for the Issuer's general corporate purposes.
(ii)	Estimated net proceeds:	€303,843,369.86
(iii)	Estimated total expenses:	Estimated Luxembourg listing fees: €400
		Estimated Paris listing fees: €5,900
YIEL	D	
Indication of yield:		4.252 per cent. per annum

Calculated at the Issue Date in accordance with the ICMA method, which determines the effective interest rate of the *Obligations Foncières* taking into account accrued interest on a daily basis on the Issue Date.

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.

# 9. OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

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ISIN C	Code:	FR0010998039
Common Code:		058306517
Depositaries:		
(i)	Euroclear France to act as Central Depositary:	Yes
(ii)	Common Depositary for Euroclear Bank S.A./N.V. and Clearstream, Luxembourg:	Νο
Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg and the relevant identification number(s):		Not Applicable
Delivery:		Delivery against payment
The Agents appointed in respect of the <i>Obligations Foncières</i> are:		Fiscal Agent, Principal Paying Agent and Luxembourg Listing Agent: Dexia Banque Internationale à Luxembourg, société anonyme 69, route d'Esch L-1470 Luxembourg Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg

# **Paying Agents:** Dexia Bank Belgium SA 44, boulevard Pachéco B-1000 Brussels Belgium RBC Dexia Investor Services Bank France S.A. 105, rue Réaumur 75002 Paris France Not Applicable Name and address of the Calculation Agent: Names and addresses of additional Paying Not Applicable Agent(s) (if any): The aggregate principal amount of Obligations Foncières issued has been translated into Euro at the rate of [currency] per Euro 1.00, producing a Not Applicable sum of:

Annex

# TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE OBLIGATIONS FONCIÈRES

The following is the text of the terms and conditions that, subject to completion in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Part A of the Final Terms, shall be applicable to the Obligations Foncières. In the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières the text of the terms and conditions will not be endorsed on physical documents of title but will be constituted by the following text as completed, amended or varied by the relevant Part A of the Final Terms. In the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières, either (i) the full text of these terms and conditions together with the relevant provisions of Part A of the Final Terms or (ii) these terms and conditions as so completed (and subject to simplification by the deletion of non-applicable provisions), shall be endorsed on definitive Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières. All capitalised terms that are not defined in these Conditions will have the meanings given to them in Part A of the relevant Final Terms. References in the Conditions to "**Obligations Foncières**" are to the Obligations Foncières of one Series only, not to all Obligations Foncières that may be issued under the Programme.

An amended and restated agency agreement dated [2] July 2010 has been agreed between the Dexia Municipal Agency (the "Issuer", Dexia Banque Internationale à Luxembourg, société anonyme as fiscal agent and the other agents named in it (the "Amended and Restated Agency Agreement"). The fiscal agent, the paying agents, the redenomination agent, the consolidation agent and the calculation agent(s) for the time being (if any) are referred to below respectively as the "Fiscal Agent", the "Paying Agents" (which expression shall include the Fiscal Agent), the "Redenomination Agent", the "Consolidation Agent" and the "Calculation Agent(s)".

For the purpose of these Terms and Conditions, "**Regulated Market**" means any regulated market situated in a Member State of the European Economic Area ("**EEA**") as defined in the Markets in Financial Instruments Directive 2004/39/EC.

References below to "Conditions" are, unless the context requires otherwise, to the numbered paragraphs below.

# 1 Form, Denomination, Title and Redenomination

- (a) Form: Obligations Foncières may be issued either in dematerialised form ("Dematerialised Obligations Foncières") or in materialised form ("Materialised Obligations Foncières").
  - (i) Title to Dematerialised Obligations Foncières will be evidenced in accordance with Articles L. 211-3 and R. 211-1 of the French Monetary and Financial Code by book entries (inscriptions en compte). No physical document of title (including certificats représentatifs pursuant to Article R. 211-7 of the French Monetary and Financial Code) will be issued in respect of the Dematerialised Obligations Foncières.

Dematerialised Obligations Foncières are issued, at the option of the Issuer and as specified in the final terms (the "Final Terms"), in either bearer dematerialised form (*au porteur*), in which case they are inscribed in the books of Euroclear France ("Euroclear France") (acting as central depositary) which shall credit the accounts of Account Holders, or in registered dematerialised form (*au nominatif*) and, in such latter case, at the option of the relevant holder in either administered registered form (*au nominatif administré*) inscribed in the books of an Account Holder or in fully registered form (*au nominatif pur*) inscribed in an account in the books of Euroclear France maintained by the Issuer or a registration agent (designated in the relevant Final Terms) acting on behalf of the Issuer (the "Registration Agent"). For the purpose of these Conditions, "Account Holder" means any intermediary institution entitled to hold accounts, directly or indirectly, on behalf of its customers with Euroclear France, and includes Euroclear Bank S.A./N.V. ("Euroclear") and the depositary bank for Clearstream Banking, société anonyme ("Clearstream, Luxembourg").

(ii) Materialised Obligations Foncières are issued in bearer form ("Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières"). Definitive Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières are serially numbered and are issued with coupons (the "Coupons") (and, where appropriate, a talon (the "Talon")) attached, save in the case of Zero Coupon Obligations Foncières in which case references to interest (other than in relation to interest due after the Maturity Date), Coupons and Talons in these Conditions are not applicable. Instalment Obligations Foncières are issued with one or more receipts (the "Receipts") attached.

In accordance with Articles L. 211-3 and R. 211-1 of the French Monetary and Financial Code securities (such as Obligations Foncières) which are governed by French law and are in materialised form must be issued outside the French territory.

(b) **Denomination:** Obligations Foncières shall be issued in the Specified Denomination(s) as set out in the relevant Final Terms (the "Specified Denomination") save that the minimum denomination of each Obligation Foncière admitted to trading on a Regulated Market, or offered to the public, in a Member State of the EEA in circumstances which require the publication of a prospectus under the Prospectus Directive will be  $\in 1,000$  (or, if the Obligations Foncières are denominated in a currency other than euro, the equivalent amount in such currency at the issue date) or such other higher amount as may be allowed or required from time to time by the relevant central bank (or equivalent body) or any laws or regulations applicable to the relevant Specified Currency. Dematerialised Obligations Foncières shall be issued in one Specified Denomination only.

Obligations Foncières having a maturity of less than one year will constitute deposits for the purposes of the prohibition on accepting deposits contained in section 19 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 unless they are issued to a limited class of professional investors and have a denomination of at least £100,000 or its equivalent.

- (c) Title:
  - (i) Title to Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in bearer dematerialised form (au porteur) and in administered registered form (au nominatif administré) shall pass upon, and transfer of such Obligations Foncières shall only be effected through, registration of the transfer in the accounts of Account Holders. Title to Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in fully registered form (au nominatif pur) shall pass upon, and transfer of such Obligations Foncières shall only be effected through, registration of the transfer in the accounts of the transfer of such Obligations Foncières shall only be effected through, registration of the transfer in the accounts of the Issuer or the Registration Agent.
  - (ii) Title to definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* and the Receipts, Coupons and Talons shall pass by delivery.
  - (iii) Except as ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction or as required by law, the holder (as defined below) of any *Obligation Foncière*, Receipt, Coupon or Talon shall be deemed to be and may be treated as its absolute owner for all purposes, whether or not it is overdue and regardless of any notice of ownership, or an interest in it, any writing on it or its theft or loss and no person shall be liable for so treating the holder.

(iv) In these Conditions, "holder of Obligations Foncières", means (i) in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières, the person whose name appears in the account of the relevant Account Holder or the Issuer or the Registration Agent (as the case may be) as being entitled to such Obligations Foncières and (ii) in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières, the bearer of any definitive Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière and the Receipts, Coupons or Talon relating to it, and capitalised terms have the meanings given to them in the relevant Final Terms, the absence of any such meaning indicating that such term is not applicable to the Obligations Foncières.

## (d) Redenomination:

- (i) The Issuer may (unless otherwise specified in the Final Terms), on any Interest Payment Date, without the consent of the holder of any Obligation Foncière, Receipt, Coupon or Talon, by giving at least 30 days' notice in accordance with Condition 14 and on or after the date on which the European Member State in whose national currency the Obligations Foncières are denominated has become a participating Member State in the third stage (or any further stage) of the European Economic and Monetary Union (as provided in the Treaty establishing the European Community (the "EC", as amended from time to time (the "Treaty")) or events have occurred which have substantially the same effects (in either case, "EMU"), redenominate all, but not some only, of the Obligations Foncières of any Series into Euro and adjust the aggregate principal amount and the Specified Denomination(s) set out in the relevant Final Terms accordingly, as described below. The date on which such redenomination becomes effective shall be referred to in these Conditions as the "Redenomination Date".
- Unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms, the redenomination of the (ii) Obligations Foncières pursuant to Condition 1(d)(i) shall be made by converting the principal amount of each Obligation Foncière from the relevant national currency into Euro using the fixed relevant national currency Euro conversion rate established by the Council of the European Union pursuant to applicable regulations of the Treaty and rounding the resultant figure to the nearest Euro 0.01 (with Euro 0.005 being rounded upwards). If the Issuer so elects, the figure resulting from conversion of the principal amount of each Obligation Foncière using the fixed relevant national currency Euro conversion rate shall be rounded down to the nearest Euro. The Euro denominations of the Obligations Foncières so determined shall be notified to holders of Obligations Foncières in accordance with Condition 14. Any balance remaining from the redenomination with a denomination higher than Euro 0.01 shall be paid by way of cash adjustment rounded to the nearest Euro 0.01 (with Euro 0.005 being rounded upwards). Such cash adjustment will be payable in Euros on the Redenomination Date in the manner notified to holders of Obligations Foncières by the Issuer.
- (iii) Upon redenomination of the *Obligations Foncières*, any reference in the relevant Final Terms to the relevant national currency shall be construed as a reference to Euro.
- (iv) Unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms, the Issuer may, with the prior approval of the Redenomination Agent and the Consolidation Agent, in connection with any redenomination pursuant to this Condition or any consolidation pursuant to Condition 13, without the consent of the holder of any *Obligation Foncière*, Receipt,

Coupon or Talon, make any changes or additions to these Conditions or Condition 13 (including, without limitation, any change to any applicable business day definition, business day convention, principal financial centre of the country of the Specified Currency, interest accrual basis or benchmark), taking into account market practice in respect of redenominated euromarket debt obligations and which it believes are not prejudicial to the interests of such holders. Any such changes or additions shall, in the absence of manifest error, be binding on the holders of *Obligations Foncières*, Receipts, Coupons and Talons and shall be notified to holders of *Obligations Foncières* in accordance with Condition 14 as soon as practicable thereafter.

(v) Neither the Issuer nor any Paying Agent shall be liable to the holder of any Obligation Foncière, Receipt, Coupon or Talon or other person for any commissions, costs, losses or expenses in relation to or resulting from the credit or transfer of Euros or any currency conversion or rounding effected in connection therewith.

# 2 Conversions and Exchanges of Obligations Foncières

- (a) Dematerialised Obligations Foncières
  - (i) Dematerialised Obligations Foncières issued in bearer dematerialised form (au porteur) may not be converted into Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in registered dematerialised form, whether in fully registered form (au nominatif pur) or in administered registered form (au nominatif administré).
  - (ii) Dematerialised Obligations Foncières issued in registered dematerialised form (au nominatif) may not be converted into Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in bearer dematerialised form (au porteur).
  - (iii) Dematerialised Obligations Foncières issued in fully registered form (au nominatif pur) may, at the option of the holder of such Obligations Foncières, be converted into Obligations Foncières in administered registered form (au nominatif administré), and vice versa. The exercise of any such option by such holder shall be made in accordance with Article R.211-4 of the French Monetary and Financial Code. Any such conversion shall be effected at the cost of such holder.
- (b) Materialised Obligations Foncières

Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* of one Specified Denomination may not be exchanged for Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* of another Specified Denomination.

# 3 Status

The Obligations Foncières and, where applicable, any Receipts and Coupons relating to them constitute direct, unconditional and, pursuant to the provisions of Condition 4, privileged obligations of the Issuer and rank and will rank *pari passu* and without any preference among themselves and equally and rateably with all other present or future *obligations foncières* of the Issuer (including the *Obligations Foncières* of all other Series) and other resources raised by the Issuer benefiting from the *privilège* (the "*Privilège*") referred to in Article L. 515-19 of the French Monetary and Financial Code as described in Condition 4.

# 4 Privilège

(a) The *Obligations Foncières* benefit from the *Privilège* (priority right of payment) pursuant to Article L. 515-19 of the French Monetary and Financial Code.

(b) In accordance with Article L. 515-19, all sums payable to the Issuer in respect of loans, assimilated receivables, exposures or securities referred to in Articles L. 515-14 to L. 515-17 of the French Monetary and Financial Code and the forward financial instruments referred to in Article L. 515-18 (in each case after any applicable netting), together with the claims in respect of deposits made by the Issuer with credit institutions, are allocated in priority to the payment of any sums due in respect of obligations foncières (including the Obligations Foncières) issued by the Issuer and other resources raised by the Issuer pursuant to issue or subscription contracts referring to the Privilège.

It should be noted that, in addition to *Obligations Foncières* and other resources raised by the Issuer pursuant to issue or subscription contracts referring to the *Privilège*, derivative transactions used for hedging are also benefiting from the *Privilège* under the condition of Article L. 515-18 of the French Monetary and Financial Code.

(c) Article L. 515-19 of the French Monetary and Financial Code provides that, notwithstanding any legislative provisions to the contrary and in particular those contained in the French Code of Commerce (relating to conciliation (conciliation), preservation (sauvegarde), judicial reorganisation (redressement judiciaire) and judicial liquidation (liquidation judiciaire)), the amounts due regularly under obligations foncières (including the Obligations Foncières) and other resources benefiting from the Privilège, are paid on their contractual due date, and in priority to all other debts, whether or not preferred or secured, including interest resulting from the Privilège have been fully paid, no other creditor of the Issuer may exercise any right over the assets and rights of the Issuer.

# 5 Interest and other Calculations

(a) **Definitions:** In these Conditions, unless the context otherwise requires, the following defined terms shall have the meanings set out below:

## "Business Day" means:

- (i) in the case of euro, a day on which the TARGET system is operating (a "TARGET Business Day") and/or
- (ii) in the case of a Specified Currency other than euro, a day (other than a Saturday or Sunday) on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets settle payments in the principal financial centre for that currency and/or
- (iii) in the case of a Specified Currency and/or one or more Business Centres, a day (other than a Saturday or a Sunday) on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets settle payments in such currency in the Business Centre(s) or, if no currency is indicated, generally in each of the Business Centres

"Day Count Fraction" means, in respect of the calculation of an amount of interest on any *Obligation Foncière* for any period of time (from and including the first day of such period to but excluding the last) (whether or not constituting an Interest Period or Interest Accrual Period, the "Calculation Period"):

(i) if "Actual/Actual" or "Actual/Actual - ISDA" is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the actual number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 365 (or, if any portion of that Calculation Period falls in a leap year, the sum of (A) the actual number of days in that portion of the Calculation Period falling in a leap year divided by 366 and (B) the actual number of days in that portion of the Calculation Period falling in a non-leap year divided by 365)

- (ii) if "Actual/Actual ICMA" is specified in the relevant Final Terms:
  - (A) if the Calculation Period is equal to or shorter than the Determination Period during which it falls, the number of days in the Calculation Period divided by the product of (x) the number of days in such Determination Period and (y) the number of Determination Periods normally ending in any year; and
  - (B) if the Calculation Period is longer than one Determination Period, the sum of:
    - (x) the number of days in such Calculation Period falling in the Determination Period in which it begins divided by the product of (1) the number of days in such Determination Period and (2) the number of Determination Periods normally ending in any year; and
    - (y) the number of days in such Calculation Period falling in the next Determination Period divided by the product of (1) the number of days in such Determination Period and (2) the number of Determination Periods normally ending in any year

#### where

"Determination Period" means the period from and including a Determination Date in any year to but excluding the next Determination Date; and

"Determination Date" means the date specified hereon or, if none is so specified, the Interest Payment Date

- (iii) if "Actual/365 (Fixed)" is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the actual number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 365
- (iv) if "Actual/360" is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the actual number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 360
- (v) if "30/360", "360/360" or "Bond Basis" is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 360, calculated on a formula basis as follows:

[360 x (Y<sub>2</sub> -Y<sub>1</sub>)] + [30 x (M<sub>2</sub> -M<sub>1</sub>)]+ (D<sub>2</sub> -D<sub>1</sub>)

360

where:

Day Count Fraction =

" $Y_1$ " is the year, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period falls;

" $Y_2$ " is the year, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period falls;

" $M_1$ " is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period falls;

" $M_2$ " is the calendar month, expressed as number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period falls;

" $D_1$ " is the first calendar day, expressed as a number, of the Calculation Period, unless such number would be 31, in which case  $D_1$  will be 30; and

" $D_2$ " is the calendar day, expressed as a number, immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period, unless such number would be 31 and  $D_1$  is greater than 29, in which case  $D_2$  will be 30

(vi) if "30E/360" or "Eurobond Basis" is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 360, calculated on a formula basis as follows:

	[360 x (Y <sub>2</sub> -Y <sub>1</sub> )] + [30 x (M <sub>2</sub> -M <sub>1</sub> )]+ (D <sub>2</sub> -D <sub>1</sub> )
Day Count Fraction =	360

where:

" $Y_1$ " is the year, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period falls;

" $Y_2$ " is the year, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period falls;

" $M_1$ " is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period falls;

 $^{"}M_{2}$ " is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period falls;

" $D_1$ " is the first calendar day, expressed as a number, of the Calculation Period, unless such number would be 31, in which case  $D_1$  will be 30; and

" $D_2$ " is the calendar day, expressed as a number, immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period, unless such number would be 31, in which case  $D_2$  will be 30

(vii) if "**30E/360 (ISDA)**" is specified hereon, the number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 360, calculated on a formula basis as follows:

Day Count Fraction =

where:

" $Y_1$ " is the year, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period falls;

" $Y_2$ " is the year, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period falls;

" $M_1$ " is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period falls;

" $M_2$ " is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period falls;

" $D_1$ " is the first calendar day, expressed as a number, of the Calculation Period, unless (i) that day is the last day of February or (ii) such number would be 31, in which case  $D_1$  will be 30; and

" $D_2$ " is the calendar day, expressed as a number, immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period, unless (i) that day is the last day of February but not the Maturity Date or (ii) such number would be 31, in which case  $D_2$  will be 30

"Euro-zone" means the region comprised of member states of the European Union that adopt the single currency in accordance with the Treaty

"Interest Accrual Period" means the period beginning on (and including) the Interest Commencement Date and ending on (but excluding) the first Interest Period Date and each successive period beginning on (and including) an Interest Period Date and ending on (but excluding) the next succeeding Interest Period Date

"Interest Amount" means the amount of interest payable, and in the case of Fixed Rate *Obligations Foncières*, means the Fixed Coupon Amount or Broken Amount, as the case may be

"Interest Commencement Date" means the Issue Date or such other date as may be specified in the relevant Final Terms

"Interest Determination Date" means, with respect to a Rate of Interest and Interest Accrual Period, the date specified as such in the relevant Final Terms or, if none is so specified, (i) the day falling two TARGET Business Days prior to the first day of such Interest Accrual Period if the Specified Currency is euro or (ii) the first day of such Interest Accrual Period if the Specified Currency is Sterling or (iii) the day falling two Business Days in Paris for the Specified Currency prior to the first day of such Interest Accrual Period if the Specified Currency prior to the first day of such Interest Accrual Period if the Specified Currency is neither Sterling nor euro

"Interest Payment Date" means the date(s) specified as Specified Interest Payment Date or Interest Payment Date in the relevant Final Terms

"Interest Period" means the period beginning on (and including) the Interest Commencement Date and ending on (but excluding) the first Interest Payment Date and each successive period beginning on (and including) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the next succeeding Interest Payment Date

"Interest Period Date" means each Interest Payment Date unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms

"ISDA Definitions" means the 2006 ISDA Definitions, as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc., unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms

"Rate of Interest" means the rate of interest payable from time to time in respect of the *Obligations Foncières* and that is either specified or calculated in accordance with the provisions in the relevant Final Terms

"**Reference Banks**" means, in the case of a determination of LIBOR, the principal London office of four major banks in the London inter-bank market and, in the case of a determination of EURIBOR, the principal Euro-zone office of four major banks in

the Euro-zone inter-bank market, in each case selected by the Calculation Agent or as specified in the relevant Final Terms

"Relevant Date" means, in respect of any Obligation Foncière, Receipt or Coupon, the date on which payment in respect of it first became due or (if any amount of the money payable is improperly withheld or refused) the date on which payment in full of the amount outstanding is made or (in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières if earlier) the date seven days after that on which notice is duly given to the holders of such Materialised Obligations Foncières that, upon further presentation of the Materialised Obligation Foncière, Receipt or Coupon being made in accordance with the Conditions, such payment will be made, provided that payment is in fact made upon such presentation

"Relevant Screen Page" means such page, section, caption, column or other part of a particular information service as may be specified in the relevant Final Terms

"Reference Rate" means the rate specified as such in the relevant Final Terms

"Specified Currency" means the currency specified as such in the relevant Final Terms or, if none is specified, the currency in which the *Obligations Foncières* are denominated

**"TARGET System**" means the Trans-European Automated Real-Time Gross Settlement Express Transfer (known as TARGET 2) System which was launched on 19 November 2007 or any successor thereto.

(b) Interest on Fixed Rate Obligations Foncières: Each Fixed Rate Obligation Foncière bears interest on its outstanding nominal amount from the Interest Commencement Date at the rate per annum (expressed as a percentage) equal to the Rate of Interest, such interest being payable in arrear on each Interest Payment Date.

If a Fixed Coupon Amount or a Broken Amount is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the amount of interest payable on each Interest Payment Date will amount to the Fixed Coupon Amount or, if applicable, the Broken Amount so specified and in the case of the Broken Amount will be payable on the particular Interest Payment Date(s) specified in the relevant Final Terms.

# (c) Interest on Floating Rate Obligations Foncières and Index Linked Interest Obligations Foncières:

- (i) Interest Payment Dates: Each Floating Rate Obligation Foncière and Index Linked Interest Obligation Foncière bears interest on its outstanding nominal amount from the Interest Commencement Date at the rate per annum (expressed as a percentage) equal to the Rate of Interest, such interest being payable in arrear on each Interest Payment Date. The amount of interest payable shall be determined in accordance with Condition 5(k). Such Interest Payment Date(s) is/are either shown in the relevant Final Terms as Specified Interest Payment Dates or, if no Specified Interest Payment Date(s) is/are shown in the relevant Final Terms, Interest Payment Date shall mean each date which falls the number of months or other period shown in the relevant Final Terms as the Interest Period after the preceding Interest Payment Date or, in the case of the first Interest Payment Date, after the Interest Commencement Date.
- (ii) Business Day Convention: If any date referred to in these Conditions that is specified to be subject to adjustment in accordance with a Business Day Convention would

otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day, then, if the Business Day Convention specified is (A) the Floating Rate Business Day Convention, such date shall be postponed to the next day that is a Business Day unless it would thereby fall into the next calendar month, in which event (x) such date shall be brought forward to the immediately preceding Business Day and (y) each subsequent such date shall be the last Business Day of the month in which such date would have fallen had it not been subject to adjustment, (B) the Following Business Day Convention, such date shall be postponed to the next day that is a Business Day, (C) the Modified Following Business Day unless it would thereby fall into the next calendar month, in which event such date shall be brought forward to the immediately preceding Business Day or (D) the Preceding Business Day.

- (iii) Rate of Interest for Floating Rate Obligations Foncières: The Rate of Interest in respect of Floating Rate Obligations Foncières for each Interest Accrual Period shall be determined in the manner specified in the relevant Final Terms and the provisions below relating to either ISDA Determination or Screen Rate Determination shall apply, depending upon which is specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (A) ISDA Determination for Floating Rate Obligations Foncières

Where ISDA Determination is specified in the relevant Final Terms as the manner in which the Rate of Interest is to be determined, the Rate of Interest for each Interest Accrual Period shall be determined by the Calculation Agent as a rate equal to the relevant ISDA Rate. For the purposes of this sub-paragraph (A), "**ISDA Rate**" for an Interest Accrual Period means a rate equal to the Floating Rate that would be determined by the Calculation Agent under a Swap Transaction under the terms of an agreement incorporating the ISDA Definitions and under which:

- (a) the Floating Rate Option is as specified in the relevant Final Terms
- (b) the Designated Maturity is a period specified in the relevant Final Terms and
- (c) the relevant Reset Date is the first day of that Interest Accrual Period unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms.

For the purposes of this sub-paragraph (A), "Floating Rate", "Calculation Agent", "Floating Rate Option", "Designated Maturity", "Reset Date" and "Swap Transaction" have the meanings given to those terms in the ISDA Definitions.

# (B) Screen Rate Determination for Floating Rate Obligations Foncières

- (a) Where Screen Rate Determination is specified in the relevant Final Terms as the manner in which the Rate of Interest is to be determined, the Rate of Interest for each Interest Accrual Period will, subject as provided below, be either:
  - (i) the offered quotation; or
  - (ii) the arithmetic mean of the offered quotations,

(expressed as a percentage rate per annum) for the Reference Rate which appears or appear, as the case may be, on the Relevant Screen

Page as at either 11.00 a.m. (London time in the case of LIBOR or Brussels time in the case of EURIBOR) on the Interest Determination Date in question as determined by the Calculation Agent. If five or more of such offered quotations are available on the Relevant Screen Page, the highest (or, if there is more than one such highest quotation, one only of such quotations) and the lowest (or, if there is more than one such lowest quotation, one only of such quotations) shall be disregarded by the Calculation Agent for the purpose of determining the arithmetic mean of such offered quotations.

If the Reference Rate from time to time in respect of Floating Rate *Obligations Foncières* is specified in the relevant Final Terms as being other than LIBOR or EURIBOR, the Rate of Interest in respect of such *Obligations Foncières* will be determined as provided in the relevant Final Terms.

- (b) if the Relevant Screen Page is not available or if sub-paragraph (a)(i) applies and no such offered quotation appears on the Relevant Screen Page or if sub-paragraph (a)(ii) applies and fewer than three such offered quotations appear on the Relevant Screen Page, in each case as at the time specified above, subject as provided below, the Calculation Agent shall request, if the Reference Rate is LIBOR, the principal London office of each of the Reference Banks or, if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, the principal Euro-zone office of each of the Reference Banks, to provide the Calculation Agent with its offered quotation (expressed as a percentage rate per annum) for the Reference Rate if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, at approximately 11.00 a.m. (London time), or if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, at approximately 11.00 a.m. (Brussels time) on the Interest Determination Date in question. If two or more of the Reference Banks provide the Calculation Agent with such offered quotations, the Rate of Interest for such Interest Period shall be the arithmetic mean of such offered quotations as determined by the Calculation Agent; and
- (c) if paragraph (b) above applies and the Calculation Agent determines that fewer than two Reference Banks are providing offered quotations, subject as provided below, the Rate of Interest shall be the arithmetic mean of the rates per annum (expressed as a percentage) as communicated to (and at the request of) the Calculation Agent by the Reference Banks or any two or more of them, at which such banks were offered, if the Reference Rate is LIBOR, at approximately 11.00 a.m. (London time) or, if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, at approximately 11.00 a.m. (Brussels time) on the relevant Interest Determination Date, deposits in the Specified Currency for a period equal to that which would have been used for the Reference Rate by leading banks in, if the Reference Rate is LIBOR, the London inter-bank market or, if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, the Euro-zone inter-bank market, as the case may be, or, if fewer than two of the Reference Banks provide the Calculation Agent with such offered rates, the offered rate for deposits in the Specified Currency for a period equal to that which would have been used for the Reference Rate, or the arithmetic mean of the offered rates for deposits in the Specified Currency for a period equal to that which would have been used for the Reference Rate, at which, if the Reference Rate is LIBOR, at approximately 11.00 a.m. (London time) or, if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, at approximately 11.00 a.m.

(Brussels time), on the relevant Interest Determination Date, any one or more banks (which bank or banks is or are in the opinion of the Issuer suitable for such purpose) informs the Calculation Agent it is quoting to leading banks in, if the Reference Rate is LIBOR, the London inter-bank market or, if the Reference Rate is EURIBOR, the Euro zone inter-bank market, as the case may be, provided that, if the Rate of Interest cannot be determined in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this paragraph, the Rate of Interest shall be determined as at the last preceding Interest Determination Date (though substituting, where a different Margin or Maximum or Minimum Rate of Interest is to be applied to the relevant Interest Accrual Period from that which applied to the last preceding Interest Accrual Period, the Margin or Maximum or Minimum Rate of Interest relating to the relevant Interest Accrual Period, in place of the Margin or Maximum or Minimum Rate of Interest relating to that last preceding Interest Accrual Period).

- (iv) Rate of Interest for Index Linked Interest Obligations Foncières: The Rate of Interest in respect of Index Linked Interest Obligations Foncières for each Interest Accrual Period shall be determined in the manner specified in the relevant Final Terms and interest will accrue by reference to an Index or Formula as specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (d) **Zero Coupon** *Obligations Foncières*: Where an *Obligation Foncière* the interest basis of which is specified to be Zero Coupon is repayable prior to the Maturity Date pursuant to an Issuer's option or, if so specified in the relevant Final Terms, pursuant to Condition 6(d)(i) or otherwise and is not paid when due, the amount due and payable prior to the Maturity Date shall, unless otherwise provided in the relevant Final Terms, be the Early Redemption Amount of such *Obligation Foncière*. As from the Maturity Date, the Rate of Interest for any overdue principal of such an *Obligation Foncière* shall be a rate per annum (expressed as a percentage) equal to the Amortisation Yield (as described in Condition 6(d)(i)) or to a rate specified in the Final Terms.
- (e) **Dual Currency** *Obligations Foncières*: In the case of Dual Currency *Obligations Foncières*, if the rate or amount of interest falls to be determined by reference to a Rate of Exchange or a method of calculating, a Rate of Exchange, the rate or amount of interest payable shall be determined in the manner specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (f) **Partly Paid** *Obligations Foncières*: In the case of Partly Paid *Obligations Foncières* (other than Partly Paid *Obligations Foncières* which are Zero Coupon *Obligations Foncières*), interest will accrue as aforesaid on the paid-up nominal amount of such *Obligations Foncières* and otherwise as specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (g) Accrual of Interest: Interest shall cease to accrue on each Obligation Foncière on the due date for redemption unless (i) in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières, on such due date or (ii) in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières, upon due presentation, payment is improperly withheld or refused, in which event interest shall continue to accrue (as well after as before judgment) at the Rate of Interest in the manner provided in this Condition 5 to the Relevant Date.
- (h) Margin, Maximum/Minimum Rates of Interest, Instalment Amounts and Redemption Amounts, and Rounding:
  - (i) If any Margin is specified in the relevant Final Terms (either (x) generally, or (y) in relation to one or more Interest Accrual Periods), an adjustment shall be made to all

Rates of Interest, in the case of (x), or the Rates of Interest for the specified Interest Accrual Periods, in the case of (y), calculated in accordance with (c) above by adding (if a positive number) or subtracting the absolute value (if a negative number) of such Margin, subject always to the next paragraph

- (ii) If any Maximum or Minimum Rate of Interest, Instalment Amount or Redemption Amount is specified in the relevant Final Terms, then any Rate of Interest, Instalment Amount or Redemption Amount shall be subject to such maximum or minimum, as the case may be
- (iii) For the purposes of any calculations required pursuant to these Conditions (unless otherwise specified), (x) all percentages resulting from such calculations shall be rounded, if necessary, to the nearest one hundred-thousandth of a percentage point (with halves being rounded up), (y) all figures shall be rounded to seven significant figures (with halves being rounded up) and (z) all currency amounts that fall due and payable shall be rounded to the nearest unit of such currency (with halves being rounded up), save in the case of yen, which shall be rounded down to the nearest yen. For these purposes "unit" means the lowest amount of such currency that is available as legal tender in the country(ies) of such currency.
- (i) Calculations: The amount of interest payable in respect of any Obligation Foncière for any period shall be calculated by multiplying the product of the Rate of Interest and the outstanding nominal amount of such Obligation Foncière by the Day Count Fraction, unless an Interest Amount (or a formula for its calculation) is specified in respect of such period, in which case the amount of interest payable in respect of such Obligation Foncière for such period shall equal such Interest Amount (or be calculated in accordance with such formula). Where any Interest Period comprises two or more Interest Accrual Periods, the amount of interest payable in respect of such Interest payable in respect of the sum of the amounts of interest payable in respect of each of those Interest Accrual Periods.
- Determination and Publication of Rates of Interest, Interest Amounts, Final Redemption (j) Amounts, Optional Redemption Amounts and Instalment Amounts: The Calculation Agent shall, as soon as practicable on such date as the Calculation Agent may be required to calculate any rate or amount, obtain any quotation or make any determination or calculation, determine such rate and calculate the Interest Amounts in respect of each Specified Denomination of the Obligations Foncières for the relevant Interest Accrual Period, calculate the Final Redemption Amount, Optional Redemption Amount, Early Redemption Amount or Instalment Amount, obtain such quotation or make such determination or calculation, as the case may be, and cause the Rate of Interest and the Interest Amounts for each Interest Accrual Period and the relevant Interest Payment Date and, if required to be calculated, the Final Redemption Amount, Optional Redemption Amount, Early Redemption Amount or any Instalment Amount to be notified to the Fiscal Agent, the Issuer, each of the Paying Agents, the holders of Obligations Foncières, any other Calculation Agent appointed in respect of the Obligations Foncières that is to make a further calculation upon receipt of such information and, if the Obligations Foncières are listed on a Regulated Market or stock exchange, and the rules of such exchange so require, such exchange as soon as possible after their determination but in no event later than (i) the commencement of the relevant Interest Period, if determined prior to such time, in the case of notification to such exchange of a Rate of Interest and Interest Amount, or (ii) in all other cases, the fourth Business Day after such determination. Where any Interest Payment Date or Interest Period Date is subject to adjustment pursuant to Condition 5(c)(ii), the Interest Amounts and the Interest Payment Date so published may subsequently be amended (or appropriate alternative arrangements made by way of adjustment) without notice in the event of an extension or

shortening of the Interest Period. The determination of any rate or amount, the obtaining of each quotation and the making of each determination or calculation by the Calculation Agent(s) shall (in the absence of manifest error) be final and binding upon all parties.

Calculation Agent: The Issuer shall procure that there shall at all times one or more Calculation (k) Agents if provision is made for them in the relevant Final Terms and for so long as any Obligation Foncière is outstanding (as defined below). Where more than one Calculation Agent is appointed in respect of the Obligations Foncières, references in these Conditions to the Calculation Agent shall be construed as each Calculation Agent performing its respective duties under the Conditions. If the Calculation Agent is unable or unwilling to act as such or if the Calculation Agent fails duly to establish the Rate of Interest for an Interest Accrual Period or to calculate any Interest Amount, Instalment Amount, Final Redemption Amount, Early Redemption Amount or Optional Redemption Amount, as the case may be, or to comply with any other requirement, the Issuer shall appoint a leading bank or investment banking firm engaged in the interbank market (or, if appropriate, money, swap or over-the-counter index options market) that is most closely connected with the calculation or determination to be made by the Calculation Agent (acting through its principal Paris office or any other office actively involved in such market) to act as such in its place. The Calculation Agent may not resign its duties without a successor having been appointed as aforesaid.

For the purpose of these Conditions, "outstanding" means, in relation to the Obligations Foncières of any Series, all the Obligations Foncières issued other than (a) those that have been redeemed in accordance with these Conditions, (b) those in respect of which the date for redemption has occurred and the redemption moneys (including all interest accrued on such Obligations Foncières to the date for such redemption and any interest payable after such date) have been duly paid (i) in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in bearer dematerialised form and in administered registered form, to the relevant Account Holder on behalf of the holder of Obligations Foncières, (ii) in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in fully registered form, to the account of the holder of Obligations Foncières and (iii) in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières, to the Fiscal Agent and remain available for payment against presentation and surrender of Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières, Receipts and/or Coupons, as the case may be, (c) those which have become void or in respect of which claims have become prescribed, (d) those which have been purchased and cancelled as provided in these Conditions, (e) in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières (i) those mutilated or defaced Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières that have been surrendered in exchange for replacement Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières, (ii) (for the purpose only of determining how many such Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières are outstanding and without prejudice to their status for any other purpose) those Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières alleged to have been lost, stolen or destroyed and in respect of which replacement Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières have been issued and (iii) any Temporary Global Certificate to the extent that it shall have been exchanged for one or more definitive Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières, pursuant to its provisions.

# 6 Redemption, Purchase and Options

(a) Final Redemption: Unless previously redeemed, purchased and cancelled as provided below, each Obligation Foncière shall be finally redeemed on the Maturity Date specified in the relevant Final Terms at its Final Redemption Amount (which, unless otherwise provided, is its nominal amount) or, in the case of a Obligation Foncière falling within Condition 6(b) below, its final Instalment Amount.

- (b) Redemption by Instalments: Unless previously redeemed, purchased and cancelled as provided in this Condition 6, each Obligation Foncière that provides for Instalment Dates and Instalment Amounts shall be partially redeemed on each Instalment Date at the related Instalment Amount specified in the relevant Final Terms. The outstanding nominal amount of each such Obligation Foncière shall be reduced by the Instalment Amount (or, if such Instalment Amount is calculated by reference to a proportion of the nominal amount of such Obligation Foncière, such proportion) (the "Outstanding Nominal Amount") for all purposes with effect from the related Instalment Date, unless payment of the Instalment Amount is improperly withheld or refused (i) in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières, on the due date for such payment or (ii) in the case, such amount shall remain outstanding until the Relevant Date relating to such Instalment Amount.
- (c) Redemption at the Option of the Issuer, and Partial Redemption: If Call Option is specified in the relevant Final Terms, the Issuer may, on giving not less than 15 nor more than 30 days' irrevocable notice in accordance with Condition 14 to the holders of Obligations Foncières (or such other notice period as may be specified in the relevant Final Terms) redeem, all or, if so provided, some, of the Obligations Foncières on any Optional Redemption Date. Any such redemption of Obligations Foncières shall be at their Optional Redemption Amount together with interest accrued to the date fixed for redemption, if any. Any such redemption must relate to Obligations Foncières of a nominal amount at least equal to the Minimum Redemption Amount to be redeemed as specified in the relevant Final Terms and no greater than the Maximum Redemption Amount to be redeemed specified in the relevant Final Terms.

All *Obligations Foncières* in respect of which any such notice is given shall be redeemed on the date specified in such notice in accordance with this Condition.

In the case of a partial redemption the notice to holders of Materialised *Obligations Foncières* shall also contain the numbers of the definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* to be redeemed which shall have been drawn in such place and in such manner as may be fair and reasonable in the circumstances, taking account of prevailing market practices, subject to compliance with any applicable laws and Regulated Market or stock exchange requirements.

In the case of a partial redemption of Dematerialised *Obligations Foncières*, the redemption may be effected, at the option of the Issuer, either (i) by reducing the nominal amount of all such Dematerialised *Obligations Foncières* in a Series in proportion to the aggregate nominal amount redeemed or (ii) by redeeming in full some only of such Dematerialised *Obligations Foncières* and, in such latter case, the choice between those Dematerialised *Obligations Foncières* that will be fully redeemed and those Dematerialised *Obligations Foncières* of any Series that will not be redeemed shall be made in accordance with Article R.213-16 of the French Monetary and Financial Code and the provisions of the relevant Final Terms, subject to compliance with any other applicable laws and Regulated Market or stock exchange requirements. In the case of a partial exercise of an Issuer's option in respect of Dematerialised *Obligations Foncières* (other than for the purposes of the relevant Final Terms.

So long as the *Obligations Foncières* are admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and the rules of that Regulated Market so require, the Issuer shall, once in each year in which there has been a partial redemption of the *Obligations*  *Foncières*, cause to be published in a leading newspaper of general circulation in Luxembourg or, so long as the rules of such Regulated Market so permit, on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange, a notice specifying the aggregate nominal amount of *Obligations Foncières* outstanding and, in the case of Materialised *Obligations Foncières* a list of any definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* drawn for redemption but not surrendered.

## (d) Early Redemption:

- (i) Zero Coupon Obligations Foncières:
- (A) The Early Redemption Amount payable in respect of any Zero Coupon Obligation Foncière, the Early Redemption Amount of which is not linked to an index and/or a formula, upon redemption of such Obligation Foncière pursuant to Condition 6(e) if so specified in the relevant Final Terms shall be the Amortised Nominal Amount (calculated as provided below) of such Obligation Foncière unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (B) Subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (C) below, the Amortised Nominal Amount of any such Obligation Foncière shall be the scheduled Final Redemption Amount of such Obligation Foncière on the Maturity Date discounted at a rate per annum (expressed as a percentage) equal to the Amortisation Yield (which, if none is shown in the relevant Final Terms, shall be such rate as would produce an Amortised Nominal Amount equal to the issue price of the Obligations Foncières if they were discounted back to their issue price on the Issue Date (the "Amortisation Yield")) compounded annually.
- (C) If the Early Redemption Amount payable in respect of any such Obligation Foncière upon its redemption pursuant to Condition 6(e) is not paid when due, the Early Redemption Amount due and payable in respect of such Obligation Foncière shall be the Amortised Nominal Amount of such Obligation Foncière as defined in sub-paragraph (B) above, except that such sub-paragraph shall have effect as though the date on which the Amortised Nominal becomes due and payable was the Relevant Date. The calculation of the Amortised Nominal Amount in accordance with this sub-paragraph shall continue to be made (both before and after judgment) until the Relevant Date, unless the Relevant Date falls on or after the Maturity Date, in which case the amount due and payable shall be the scheduled Final Redemption Amount of such Obligation Foncière on the Maturity Date together with any interest that may accrue in accordance with Condition 5(d).

Where such calculation is to be made for a period of less than one year, it shall be made on the basis of the Day Count Fraction shown hereon.

- (ii) Other Obligations Foncières: The Early Redemption Amount payable in respect of any Obligation Foncière (other than Obligations Foncières described in (i) above), upon redemption of such Obligations Foncières pursuant to Condition 6(e), if so provided in the relevant Final Terms), shall be the Final Redemption Amount unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (e) No Redemption for Taxation Reasons: If French law should require that payments of principal or interest in respect of any Obligation Foncière be subject to deduction or withholding in respect of any present or future taxes or duties whatsoever, such Obligation Foncière will not, unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms, be redeemed early. If such early redemption is provided in the relevant Final Terms, notice of such early redemption shall be given in accordance with Condition 14.

- (f) **Partly Paid** *Obligations Foncières*: Partly Paid *Obligations Foncières* will be redeemed, whether at maturity, early redemption or otherwise, in accordance with the provisions of this Condition and the provisions specified in the relevant Final Terms.
- (g) Purchases: The Issuer shall have the right at all times to purchase Obligations Foncières (provided that, in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières, all unmatured Receipts and Coupons and unexchanged Talons relating thereto are attached thereto or surrendered therewith) in the open market or otherwise at any price.
- (h) Cancellation: All Obligations Foncières purchased by or on behalf of the Issuer must (or may, should French law ceases to require so) be cancelled, in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières, by transfer to an account in accordance with the rules and procedures of Euroclear France and, in the case of Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières, by surrendering Temporary Global Certificate or the definitive Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières in question together with all unmatured Receipts and Coupons and all unexchanged Talons to the Fiscal Agent and, in each case, if so transferred or surrendered, shall, together with all Obligations Foncières redeemed by the Issuer, be cancelled forthwith (together with, in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières, all rights relating to payment of interest and other amounts relating to such Dematerialised Obligations Foncières so cancelled or, where applicable, transferred or surrendered therewith). Any Obligations Foncières so cancelled or, where applicable, transferred or surrendered for cancellation may not be reissued or resold and the obligations of the Issuer in respect of any such Obligations Foncières shall be discharged.

# 7 Payments and Talons

- (a) Dematerialised Obligations Foncières: Payments of principal and interest in respect of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières shall (in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in bearer dematerialised form or administered registered form) be made by transfer to the account denominated in the relevant currency of the relevant Account Holders for the benefit of the holders of Obligations Foncières and, (in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in fully registered form), to an account denominated in the relevant currency with a Bank designated by the holders of Obligations Foncières. All payments validly made to such Account Holders will be an effective discharge of the Issuer in respect of such payments.
- (b) **Bearer Materialised** *Obligations Foncières*: Payments of principal and interest in respect of Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* shall, subject as mentioned below, be made against presentation and surrender of the relevant Receipts (in the case of payments of Instalment Amounts other than on the due date for redemption and provided that the Receipt is presented for payment together with its relative *Obligation Foncière*), Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* (in the case of all other payments of principal and, in the case of interest, as specified in Condition 7(f)(vi)) or Coupons (in the case of interest, save as specified in Condition 7(f)(vi)), as the case may be, at the specified office of any Paying Agent outside the United States by a cheque payable in the relevant currency drawn on, or, at the option of the holder, by transfer to an account denominated in such currency with, a Bank.
- (c) Payments in the United States: Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières are denominated in U.S. Dollars, payments in respect thereof may be made at the specified office of any Paying Agent in New York City in the same manner as aforesaid if (i) the Issuer shall have appointed Paying Agents with specified offices outside the United States with the reasonable expectation that such Paying Agents would be able to make payment of the amounts on the Obligations Foncières in the manner provided above when due,

(ii) payment in full of such amounts at all such offices is illegal or effectively precluded by exchange controls or other similar restrictions on payment or receipt of such amounts and (iii) such payment is then permitted by United States law, without involving, in the opinion of the Issuer, any adverse tax consequence to the Issuer.

- (d) Payments Subject to Fiscal Laws: All payments are subject in all cases to any applicable fiscal or other laws, regulations and directives in the place of payment but without prejudice to the provisions of Condition 8. No commission or expenses shall be charged to the holders of *Obligations Foncières* or Coupons in respect of such payments.
- Appointment of Agents: The Fiscal Agent, the Paying Agents, the Calculation Agent, the (e) Redenomination Agent, the Consolidation Agent and the Registration Agent initially appointed by the Issuer and their respective specified offices are listed at the end of the Base Prospectus relating to the Programme of Obligations Foncières of the Issuer. The Fiscal Agent, the Paying Agents, the Redenomination Agent, the Consolidation Agent and the Registration Agent act solely as agents of the Issuer and the Calculation Agent(s) act(s) as independent experts(s) and, in each case such, do not assume any obligation or relationship of agency for any holder of Obligation Foncière or Coupon. The Issuer reserves the right at any time to vary or terminate the appointment of the Fiscal Agent, any other Paying Agent, the Redenomination Agent, the Consolidation Agent and the Registration Agent or the Calculation Agent(s) and to appoint additional or other Paying Agents, provided that the Issuer shall at all times maintain (i) a Fiscal Agent, (ii) one or more Calculation Agent(s) where the Conditions so require, (iii) a Redenomination Agent and a Consolidation Agent where the Conditions so require, (iv) Paying Agents having specified offices in at least two major European cities provided that (A) so long as the Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and the rules applicable to that Regulated Market so require, the Issuer will maintain a Paying Agent in Luxembourg, and (B) so long as the Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on Euronext Paris and the rules applicable to that Regulated Market so require, the Issuer will maintain a Paying Agent in Paris (v) a Registration Agent, (vi) so long as Materialised Obligations Foncières are outstanding, a Paying Agent having its specified office in a Member State of the EU that will not be obliged to withhold or deduct tax pursuant to European Council Directive 2003/48/EC or any other EU Directive implementing the conclusions of the ECOFIN Council meeting of 26-27 November 2000 on the taxation of savings income or any law implementing or complying with, or introduced in order to, such Directive and (vii) such other agents as may be required by any other Regulated Market or stock exchange on which the Obligations Foncières may be listed and admitted to trading.

In addition, the Issuer shall forthwith appoint a Paying Agent in New York City in respect of any Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières* denominated in U.S. Dollars in the circumstances described in paragraph (c) above.

On a redenomination of the Obligations Foncières of any Series pursuant to Condition 1(d) with a view to consolidating such Obligations Foncières with one or more other Series of Obligations Foncières, in accordance with Condition 13, the Issuer shall ensure that the same entity shall be appointed as both Redenomination Agent and Consolidation Agent in respect of both such Obligations Foncières and such other Series of Obligations Foncières to be so consolidated with such Obligations Foncières.

Notice of any such change or any change of any specified office shall promptly be given to the holders of *Obligations Foncières* in accordance with Condition 14.

# (f) Unmatured Coupons and Receipts and unexchanged Talons:

- (i) Upon the due date for redemption of those Obligations Foncières, Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières which comprise Fixed Rate Obligations Foncières (other than Dual Currency Obligations Foncières or Index Linked Obligations Foncières) should be surrendered for payment together with all unmatured Coupons (if any) relating thereto, failing which an amount equal to the face value of each missing unmatured Coupon (or, in the case of payment not being made in full, that proportion of the amount of such missing unmatured Coupon that the sum of principal so paid bears to the total principal due) shall be deducted from the Final Redemption Amount, Early Redemption Amount or Optional Redemption Amount, as the case may be, due for payment. Any amount so deducted shall be paid in the manner mentioned above against surrender of such missing Coupon within a period of 10 years from the Relevant Date for the payment of such principal (whether or not such Coupon has become void pursuant to Condition 9).
- (ii) Upon the due date for redemption of any Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière comprising a Floating Rate Obligation Foncière, Dual Currency Obligation Foncière or Index Linked Obligation Foncière, unmatured Coupons relating to such Obligation Foncière (whether or not attached) shall become void and no payment shall be made in respect of them.
- (iii) Upon the due date for redemption of any Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière, any unexchanged Talon relating to such Obligation Foncière (whether or not attached) shall become void and no Coupon shall be delivered in respect of such Talon.
- (iv) Upon the due date for redemption of any Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière that is redeemable in instalments, all Receipts relating to such Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière having an Instalment Date falling on or after such due date (whether or not attached) shall become void and no payment shall be made in respect of them.
- (v) Where any Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière that provides that the relative unmatured Coupons are to become void upon the due date for redemption of those Obligations Foncières is presented for redemption without all unmatured Coupons, and where any Bearer Obligation Foncière is presented for redemption without any unexchanged Talon relating to it, redemption shall be made only against the provision of such indemnity as the Issuer may require.
- (vi) If the due date for redemption of any Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière is not a due date for payment of interest, interest accrued from the preceding due date for payment of interest or the Interest Commencement Date, as the case may be, shall only be payable against presentation (and surrender if appropriate) of the relevant definitive Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière Bearer Materialised. Interest accrued on a Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière that only bears interest after its Maturity Date shall be payable on redemption of such Obligation Foncière against presentation of the relevant Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière.
- (g) Talons: On or after the Interest Payment Date for the final Coupon forming part of a Coupon sheet issued in respect of any Bearer Materialised Obligation Foncière, the Talon forming part of such Coupon sheet may be surrendered at the specified office of the Fiscal Agent in exchange for a further Coupon sheet (and if necessary another Talon for a further Coupon sheet) (but excluding any Coupons that may have become void pursuant to Condition 9).

- (h) Business Days for Payment: If any date for payment in respect of any Obligation Foncière, Receipt or Coupon is not a business day, the holder shall not be entitled to payment until the next following business day, unless otherwise specified in the relevant Final Terms (the "Adjusted Payment Date"), nor to any interest or other sum in respect of such postponed payment. In this paragraph, "business day" means a day (other than a Saturday or a Sunday) (A) (i) in the case of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières, on which Euroclear France is open for business or (ii) in the case of Materialised Obligations Foncières, on which banks and foreign exchange markets are open for business in the relevant place of presentation, (B) in such jurisdictions as shall be specified as "Financial Center" in the relevant Final Terms and (C) (i) in the case of a payment in a currency other than euro, where payment is to be made by transfer to an account maintained with a bank in the relevant currency, on which foreign exchange transactions may be carried on in the relevant currency in the principal financial centre of the country of such currency or (ii) in the case of a payment in euro, which is a TARGET Business Day.
- (i) **Bank:** For the purpose of this Condition 7, "**Bank**" means a bank in the principal financial centre of the relevant currency or, in the case of euro, in a city in which banks have access to the TARGET System.

# 8 Taxation

- (a) Taxation of Obligations Foncières: All payments of principal, interest and other revenues by or on behalf of the Issuer in respect of the Obligations Foncières shall be made free and clear of, and without withholding or deduction for, any taxes, duties, assessments or governmental charges of whatever nature imposed, levied, collected, withheld or assessed by or within France or any authority therein or thereof having power to tax, unless such withholding or deduction is required by law.
- (b) No Additional Amounts: If French law should require that payments of principal or interest in respect of any Obligation Foncière, or any Receipt or Coupon relating thereto, be subject to deduction or withholding in respect of any present or future taxes or duties whatsoever, the Issuer will not be required to pay any additional amounts, unless otherwise provided in the relevant Final Terms, in respect of any such deduction or withholding.
- (c) Supply of Information: Each holder of Obligations Foncières shall be responsible for supplying to the Paying Agent, in a timely manner, any information as may be required in order to comply with the identification and reporting obligations imposed on it by the European Council Directive 2003/48/EC or any other European Directive implementing the conclusions of the ECOFIN Council Meeting dated 26-27 November 2000 on the taxation of savings income or any law implementing or complying with, or introduced in order to conform to such Directive.

# 9 Prescription

Claims against the Issuer for payment in respect of the *Obligations Foncières*, Receipts and Coupons (which for this purpose shall not include Talons) shall be prescribed and become void unless made within 10 years (in the case of principal) or 5 years (in the case of interest) from the appropriate Relevant Date in respect of them.

# 10 Representation of holders of Obligations Foncières

Except as otherwise provided by the relevant Final Terms, holders of *Obligations Foncières* will, in respect of all Tranches in any Series, be grouped automatically for the defence of their common interests in a *masse* (in each case, the "*Masse*").

Except as otherwise provided by the relevant Final Terms, the *Masse* will be governed by the provisions of the French Code of Commerce with the exception of Articles L. 228-47, L. 228-48, L. 228-59, R.228-63, R.228-67 and R.228-69 subject to the following provisions:

## (a) Legal Personality

The *Masse* will be a separate legal entity and will act in part through a representative (the "**Representative**") and in part through a general meeting of the holders of *Obligations Foncières* (the "**General Meeting**").

The *Masse* alone, to the exclusion of all individual holders of *Obligations Foncières*, shall exercise the common rights, actions and benefits which now or in the future may accrue respectively with respect to the *Obligations Foncières*.

## (b) Representative

The office of the Representative may be conferred on a person of any nationality. However, the following persons may not be chosen as Representatives:

- (i) the Issuer;
- (ii) any entity holding at least 10 per cent. of the share capital of the Issuer or any entities at least 10 per cent. of the share capital of which is held by the Issuer;
- (iii) any entity guaranteeing all or part of the obligations of the Issuer;
- (iv) any member of the management board (*Directoire*) and supervisory board (*Conseil de Surveillance*), any statutory auditors, any employee, managers (*gérants*), general managers (*directeurs généraux*), members of the board of directors (*Conseil d'Administration*) (or their respective ascendants, descendants and spouses) of any entities referred to in (i), (ii) and (iii) above; and
- (v) persons to whom the practice of banker is forbidden or who have been deprived of the right of directing, administering or managing an enterprise in whatever capacity.

The names and addresses of the initial Representative of the *Masse* and its alternate will be set out in the Final Terms. The Representative appointed in respect of the first Tranche of any Series of *Obligations Foncières* will be the Representative of the single *Masse* of all Tranches in such Series.

The Representative will not be entitled to any remuneration in connection with its functions or duties.

In the event of death, retirement or revocation of appointment of the Representative, such Representative will be replaced by the alternate Representative. In the event of the death, retirement or revocation of appointment of the alternate Representative, an alternate will be elected by the General Meeting.

All interested parties will at all times have the right to obtain the names and addresses of the initial Representative and the alternate Representative at the head office of the Issuer and the specified offices of any of the Paying Agents.

## (c) **Powers of Representative**

The Representative shall (in the absence of any decision to the contrary of the General Meeting and except as provided by paragraph 1 of Article L. 515-31 of the French Monetary and Financial Code) have the power to take all acts of

management necessary in order to defend the common interests of the holders of Obligations Foncières.

All legal proceedings against the holders of *Obligations Foncières* or initiated by them, must be brought by or against the Representative; except that, should judicial reorganisation or liquidation (*redressement ou liquidation judiciaire*) proceedings be commenced against the Issuer the Specific Controller shall file the proof of debt of all the creditors of the Issuer benefiting from the *Privilège* (including the holders of *Obligations Foncières*).

The Representative may not be involved in the management of the affairs of the Issuer.

## (d) General Meeting

A General Meeting may be held at any time, on convocation either by the Issuer or by the Representative. One or more holders of *Obligations Foncières*, holding together at least one-thirtieth of the principal amount of the *Obligations Foncières* outstanding, may address to the Issuer and the Representative a demand for convocation of the General Meeting. If such General Meeting has not been convened within two months after such demand, the holders of *Obligations Foncières* may commission one of their members to petition a competent court in Paris to appoint an agent (*mandataire*) who will call the General Meeting.

Notice of the date, hour, place and agenda of any General Meeting will be published as provided under Condition 14.

Each holder of an *Obligation Foncière* has the right to participate in a General Meeting in person, by proxy, correspondence, or, if the *statuts* of the Issuer so specify<sup>1</sup>, videoconference or any other means of telecommunication allowing the identification of the participating holders of the *Obligations Foncières*. Each *Obligation Foncière* carries the right to one vote or, in the case of *Obligations Foncières* issued with more than one Specified Denomination, one vote in respect of each multiple of the lowest Specified Denomination comprised in the principal amount of the Specified Denomination of such *Obligation Foncière*.

In accordance with Article R. 228-71 of the French Code of Commerce, the rights of each holder of an *Obligation Foncière* to participate in a General Meeting must be evidenced by entries in the books of the relevant Account Holder of the name of such holder of an *Obligation Foncière* on the third business day in Paris preceding the date set for the relevant General Meeting at 0.00, Paris time.

## (e) Powers of the General Meetings

The General Meeting is empowered to deliberate on the dismissal and replacement of the Representative and the alternate Representative and also may act with respect to any other matter that relates to the common rights, actions and benefits which now or in the future may accrue with respect to the *Obligations Foncières*, including authorising the Representative to act at law as plaintiff or defendant.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> At the date of this Base Prospectus the statuts of the Issuer do not contemplate the right for a holder of an Obligation Foncière to participate in a General Meeting by videoconference or any other means of telecommunication allowing the identification of the participating holders of Obligations Foncières.

The General Meeting may further deliberate on any proposal relating to the modification of the Conditions including any proposal, whether for arbitration or settlement, relating to rights in controversy or which were the subject of judicial decisions, it being specified, however, that the General Meeting may not increase the liabilities (*charges*) by holders of *Obligations Foncières*, nor establish any unequal treatment between the holders of *Obligations Foncières*, nor decide to convert *Obligations Foncières* into shares.

General Meetings may deliberate validly on first convocation only if holders of *Obligations Foncières* present or represented hold at least one fifth of the principal amount of the *Obligations Foncières* then outstanding. On second convocation, no quorum shall be required. Decisions at meetings shall be taken by a two-third majority of votes cast by holders of *Obligations Foncières* attending such General Meetings or represented thereat.

Decisions of General Meetings must be published in accordance with the provisions set forth in Condition 14.

# (f) Information to holders of Obligations Foncières

Each holder of an *Obligation Foncière* or representative thereof will have the right, during the 15-day period preceding the holding of each General Meeting, to consult or make a copy of the text of the resolutions which will be proposed and of the reports which will be presented at the General Meeting, all of which will be available for inspection by the relevant holders of *Obligations Foncières* at the registered office of the Issuer, at the specified offices of any of the Paying Agents and at any other place specified in the notice of the General Meeting.

# (g) Expenses

The Issuer will pay all reasonable expenses relating to the operation of the *Masse*, including expenses relating to the calling and holding of General Meetings and, more generally, all administrative expenses resolved upon by the General Meeting, it being expressly stipulated that no expenses may be imputed against interest payable on the *Obligations Foncières*.

# (h) Single Masse

The holders of *Obligations Foncières* of the same Series, and the holders of *Obligations Foncières* of any other Series which have been assimilated with the *Obligations Foncières* of such first mentioned Series in accordance with Condition 13, shall, for the defence of their respective common interests, be grouped in a single *Masse*. The Representative appointed in respect of the first Tranche of any Series of *Obligations Foncières* will be the Representative of the single *Masse* of all Tranches in such Series.

# **11 Modifications**

These Conditions may be completed in relation to any Series of *Obligations Foncières* by the terms of the relevant Final Terms in relation to such Series.

# 12 Replacement of definitive *Obligations Foncières*, Receipts, Coupons and Talons

If, in the case of any Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières*, a definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligation Foncière*, Receipt, Coupon or Talon is lost, stolen, mutilated, defaced or destroyed, it may be replaced, subject to applicable laws, regulations and Regulated Market or stock exchange regulations, at the specified office of the Fiscal Agent or such other Paying Agent as may from time to time be designated by the Issuer for the purpose and notice of whose designation is given to holders of *Obligations Foncières*, in each case on payment by the claimant of the fees and costs incurred in connection therewith and on such terms as to evidence, security and indemnity (which may provide, inter alia, that if the allegedly lost, stolen or destroyed definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligation Foncière*, Receipt, Coupon or Talon is subsequently presented for payment or, as the case may be, for exchange for further Coupons, there shall be paid to the Issuer on demand the amount payable by the Issuer in respect of such definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières*, Receipts, Coupons or further Coupons) and otherwise as the Issuer may require. Mutilated or defaced definitive Bearer Materialised *Obligations Foncières*, Receipts, Coupons or further Soupons) and otherwise as the Issuer may require.

# 13 Further Issues and Consolidation

- (a) Further Issues: The Issuer may from time to time without the consent of the holders of Obligations Foncières, Receipts or Coupons create and issue further Obligations Foncières to be assimilated (assimilées) with the Obligations Foncières provided such Obligations Foncières and the further Obligations Foncières carry rights identical in all respects (or in all respects save for the principal amount thereof and the first payment of interest in the relevant Final Terms) and that the terms of such Obligations Foncières provide for such assimilation and references in these Conditions to "Obligations Foncières" shall be construed accordingly.
- (b) Consolidation: The Issuer may from time to time on any Interest Payment Date occurring on or after the Redenomination Date on giving not less than 30 days' prior notice to the holders of Obligations Foncières in accordance with Condition 14, without the consent of the holders of Obligations Foncières, Receipts or Coupons, consolidate the Obligations Foncières of one Series with the Obligations Foncières of one or more other Series issued by it, whether or not originally issued in one of the European national currencies or in euro, provided such other Obligations Foncières have been redenominated in euro (if not originally denominated in euro) and which otherwise have, in respect of all periods subsequent to such consolidation, the same terms and conditions as the Obligations Foncières.

## 14 Notices

(a) Notices to the holders of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in registered form (au nominatif) shall be valid if either, (i) they are mailed to them at their respective addresses, in which case they will be deemed to have been given on the fourth weekday (being a day other than a Saturday or a Sunday) after the mailing, or, (ii) they are published (a) so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange, and the rules of such Regulated Market so permit, on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu) or (b) at the option of the Issuer, in a daily leading newspaper of general circulation in Europe (which is expected to be the Financial Times) and so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on any Regulated Market(s) or stock exchange(s) in a leading daily newspaper with general circulation in the city/ies where the Regulated Market(s) or stock exchange(s) on which such Obligation(s) Foncière(s) is/are admitted to trading is located which in the case of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange, is expected to be the

Luxemburger Wort. Notices to the holders of Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières and Dematerialised Obligations Foncières in bearer form (au porteur) shall be valid if published (i) so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange, and the rules of such Regulated Market so permit, on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu) or (ii) at the option of the Issuer, in a daily leading newspaper of general circulation in Europe (which is expected to be the Financial Times) and so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on any Regulated Market(s) or stock exchange(s) in a daily newspaper with general circulation in the city(ies) where the Regulated Market(s) or stock exchange(s) on which such Obligations Foncières is/are admitted to trading which in the case of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange, is expected to be the *Luxemburger Wort*.

- (b) If any such publication is not practicable, notice shall be validly given if published in another leading daily English language newspaper with general circulation in Europe. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given on the date of such publication or, if published more than once or on different dates, on the date of the first publication as provided above. Holders of Coupons shall be deemed for all purposes to have notice of the contents of any notice given to the holders of Bearer Materialised Obligations Foncières in accordance with this Condition.
- Notices required to be given to the holders of Dematerialised Obligations Foncières (whether in (c) registered or in bearer form) pursuant to these Conditions may be given by delivery of the relevant notice to Euroclear France, Euroclear, Clearstream, Luxembourg and any other clearing system through which the Obligations Foncières are for the time being cleared in substitution for the mailing and publication as required by Conditions 14(a) and (b) above; except that (i) (a) so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and the rules of such Regulated Market so permit, notices shall also be published on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu) or (b) so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on any Regulated Market(s) or stock exchange(s) and the rules applicable to that stock exchange so require, notices shall be published in a daily newspaper with general circulation in the city(ies) where the Regulated Market(s) or stock exchange(s) on which such Obligations Foncières is/are admitted to trading and (ii) notices relating to the convocation and decision(s) of the General Meetings pursuant to Condition 10 shall also be published (a) so long as such Obligations Foncières are admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and the rules of such Regulated Market so permit, on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu) or (b) in a leading newspaper of general circulation in Europe.

# 15 Method of Publication of the Final Terms

The Final Terms related to *Obligations Foncières* admitted to trading and/or offered to the public will be published, without prejudice of any provisions of the Prospectus Directive, upon each relevant issue, in a manner complying with Article 14 of the Prospectus Directive in an electronic form on the website of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (www.bourse.lu).

In addition, should the *Obligations Foncières* be admitted to trading on a Regulated Market other than the Luxembourg Stock Exchange, the Final Terms related to those *Obligations Foncières* will provide whether this Base Prospectus and the relevant Final Terms will be published, if relevant on the website of (x) such Regulated Market, (y) the competent authority of the Member State in the EEA where such Regulated Market is situated, or (z) otherwise.

## 16 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

(a) **Governing Law:** The *Obligations Foncières*, the Receipts, the Coupons and the Talons and all non-contractual obligations arising out of or in connection with them are governed by, and shall be construed in accordance with, French law.

(b) Jurisdiction: Any claim against the Issuer in connection with any *Obligations Foncières*, Receipts, Coupons or Talons may be brought before any competent court in Hauts de Seine.