NO PROSPECTUS IS REQUIRED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIVE 2003/71/EC (AS AMENDED OR SUPERSEDED) FOR THE ISSUE OF NOTES DESCRIBED BELOW.

MIFID II PRODUCT GOVERNANCE / TARGET MARKET - Solely for the purposes of the manufacturer's product approval process, the target market assessment in respect of the Notes has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the Notes is eligible counterparties and professional clients only, each as defined in Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, "MiFID II"); and (ii) all channels for distribution of the Notes to eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Notes (a "distributor") should take into consideration the manufacturer's target market assessment; however, a distributor subject to MiFID II is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturer's target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels.

PRIIPS REGULATION PROHIBITION OF SALES TO EEA AND UK RETAIL INVESTORS - The Notes are not intended to be offered, sold or otherwise made available to and should not be offered, sold or otherwise made available to any retail investor in the European Economic Area ("EEA") or in the United Kingdom ("UK"). For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is one (or more) of: (i) a retail client as defined in point (11) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II; (ii) a customer within the meaning of Directive (EU) 2016/97 (as amended), where that customer would not qualify as a professional client as defined in point (10) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II; or (iii) not a qualified investor as defined in Directive 2003/71/EC (as amended or superseded, the "Prospectus Directive"). Consequently no key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 (the "PRIIPs Regulation") for offering or selling the Notes or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the EEA or in the UK has been prepared and therefore offering or selling the Notes or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the EEA or in the UK may be unlawful under the PRIIPs Regulation.

THESE SENIOR NOTES ARE SUBJECT TO CONVERSION IN WHOLE OR IN PART – BY MEANS OF A TRANSACTION OR SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS AND IN ONE OR MORE STEPS – INTO COMMON SHARES OF NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA OR ANY OF ITS AFFILIATES UNDER SUBSECTION 39.2(2.3) OF THE CANADA DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION ACT ("CDIC ACT") AND TO VARIATION OR EXTINGUISHMENT IN CONSEQUENCE AND SUBJECT TO THE APPLICATION OF THE LAWS OF THE PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC AND THE FEDERAL LAWS OF CANADA APPLICABLE THEREIN IN RESPECT OF THE OPERATION OF THE CDIC ACT WITH RESPECT TO THE SENIOR NOTES.

Please see Appendix 1 hereto for amended and additional Risk Factors related to an investment in the Notes.



NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA

(A bank governed by the Bank Act (Canada))

(LEI: BSGEFEIOM18Y80CKCV46)

Issue of EUR 20,000,000 Callable Fixed Rate Sustainable Notes due 19 March 2040 under a US\$10,000,000,000 Euro Note Programme

PART A - CONTRACTUAL TERMS

Any person making or intending to make an offer of the Notes may only do so in circumstances in which no obligation arises for the Issuer or any Dealer 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 Notes in any other circumstances.

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the Conditions set forth in the Prospectus dated 6 June 2019 and the supplements to it dated 30 August 2019, 6 December 2019 and 2 March 2020 (together, the "**Prospectus**"). This document constitutes the Pricing Supplement of the Notes described herein and must be read in conjunction with such Prospectus. Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of this Pricing Supplement and the Prospectus. References in the Conditions to "Final Terms" shall be deemed to be references to this Pricing Supplement. The Prospectus together with the documents incorporated by reference therein are available for viewing during normal business hours and copies may be obtained at the registered office of the Issuer, 4th Floor, 600 de La Gauchetière Street West, Montréal, Québec, H3B 4L2, Canada, and at the office of the Fiscal Agent, and Transfer Agent, Citibank, N.A., London Branch, Citigroup Centre, Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London E14 5LB, United Kingdom.

Issuer: National Bank of Canada

2. Branch of Account for Notes: Montréal

3. (i) Series Number: 2020-8

(ii) Tranche Number: 1

4. Specified Currency or Euro ("EUR")

Currencies:

5. Aggregate Nominal Amount:

(i) Series: EUR 20,000,000

(ii) Tranche: EUR 20,000,000

6. Issue Price: 100 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount

7. (i) Specified EUR 100,000

Denominations:

(ii) Calculation Amount: EUR 100,000(i) Issue Date: 19 March 2020

(ii) Interest Commencement

Date:

8.

Issue Date

9. Maturity Date: 19 March 2040

10. Interest Basis: 1.20 per cent Fixed Rate Note

11. Redemption/Payment Basis: Subject to early redemption or purchase, redemption at

par on Maturity Date

12. Change of Interest or

Redemption/ Payment Basis:

Not applicable

13. Put/Call Options: Issuer Call (further particulars specified below)

14. Date Board approval for

issuance of Notes obtained:

Not Applicable

15. Bail-inable Notes: Yes

PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

16. Fixed Rate Note Provisions Applicable

(i) Fixed Rate of Interest: 1.20 per cent. per annum payable annually in arrear

(ii) Interest Payment Date(s): 19 March, in each year up to and including the Maturity Date,

commencing 19 March 2021, subject to adjustment for payment day purposes only in accordance with the Business Day

Convention set out in (iii) below

(iii) Business Day Convention: Following Business Day Convention

(iv) Additional Business

Centre(s):

New York, Toronto, Montreal and TARGET2

(v) Fixed Coupon Amount(s): EUR 1,200 per Calculation Amount

(vi) Broken Amount(s): Not Applicable

(vii) Day Count Fraction: Actual/Actual (ICMA)(viii) Determination Dates: 19 March in each year

(ix) Calculation Agent: National Bank of Canada shall be the Calculation Agent

(x) Range Accruals: Not Applicable

(xi) Other terms relating to the

method of calculating

Not Applicable

interest for Fixed Rate

Notes:

17. Fixed Rate Reset Note

Provisions

Not Applicable

18. Floating Rate Note

Provisions

Not Applicable

19. Zero Coupon Note

Provisions

Not Applicable

20. Index-Linked Interest/ Other Variable-Linked Interest Note

Provisions

Not Applicable

21. Dual Currency Note

Provisions

Not Applicable

PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

22. **Issuer Call Option** Applicable

(i) Optional Redemption Date(s):

19 March 2025, 19 March 2030 and 19 March 2035

(ii) Optional Redemption

Amount(s) of each Note and method, if any, of calculation of such amount(s):

EUR 100,000 per Calculation Amount

(iii) If redeemable in part:

(a) Minimum Redemption

Amount:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

(b) Maximum Redemption

Amount:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

(iv) Notice period (if other than as

set out in Condition 5(i)):

Not less than five (5) Business Days' notice

23. Noteholder Put Option

24. **Early Redemption for** Not Applicable

Illegality

(i) Minimum Period: 15 days

(ii) Maximum Period: Not Applicable

25. Early Redemption for a Disruption Event

Applicable

(i) Minimum Period: 15 days

(ii) Maximum Period: Not Applicable

(iii) Trade Date: 10 March 2020

26. Early Redemption for Special Circumstance

Applicable

(i) Minimum Period:

15 days

(ii) Maximum Period:

Not Applicable

27. Bail-inable Notes – TLAC
Disqualification Event Call

Not Applicable

28. Final Redemption Amount

EUR 100,000 per Calculation Amount

29. Early Redemption Amount

Early Redemption Amount(s) per Calculation Amount payable on redemption for taxation reasons or, for Illegallity, for a Disruption Event, for Special Circumstance, on event of default and/or the method of calculating the same):

The Early Redemption Amount in respect of the Notes shall be such amount per Calculation Amount determined by the Calculation Agent in good faith and on such basis as it, in its sole and absolute discretion, considers fair and reasonable in the circumstances, to be equal to the fair market value of the Note immediately prior to the date of redemption (ignoring the event resulting in the early redemption of the Notes), plus or minus any related hedging gains or costs.

GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES

30. Form of Notes:

Bearer Notes:

Temporary Global Note exchangeable on or after 28 April 2020 for a Permanent Global Bearer Note which is exchangeable for Definitive Bearer Notes in the limited circumstances specified in the Permanent Global Note

31. Financial Centre(s) or other special provisions relating to Payment Dates:

New York, Toronto, Montreal and TARGET2

32. Talons for future Coupons or Receipts to be attached to Definitive Notes (and dates on which such Talons mature):

No

33. Details relating to Partly-

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

Not Applicable

34. Details relating to Not Applicable Instalment Notes: amount of each instalment ("Instalment Amount"),

("Instalment Amount"), date on which each payment is to be made ("Instalment Date"):

reconventioning provisions:

35. Redenomination, Not Applicable renominalisation and

36. Consolidation provisions: Not Applicable

37. Calculation Agent for Not Applicable purposes of Condition 6(j) RMB Notes) ((if other than the Agent):

38. RMB Settlement Centre: Not Applicable

39. Relevant Valuation Time for Not Applicable

RMB Notes:

40. Other final terms: Not Applicable

DISTRIBUTION

41. (i) Method of distribution: Non-syndicated

(ii) If syndicated, names of Not Applicable Manager(s):

(iii) Stabilisation

Manager(s) (if any): Not Applicable

42. If non-syndicated, name of Dealer(s): RBC Europe Limited

43. US selling restrictions: Regulation S Category 2; TEFRA D Rules applicable

44. Additional selling Not applicable restrictions: (including any

modifications to those contained in the Prospectus noted above)

45. Governing Law and Laws of the Province of Québec and the federal laws of Jurisdiction: Canada applicable therein

46. The aggregate principal amount of Notes issued has been translated into U.S. dollars at the rate of 1.13, producing a sum of:

47. Additional tax disclosure (or Not Applicable amendments to disclosure in the Prospectus):

48. Prohibition of Sales to EEA Applicable and UK Retail Investors:

49. Prohibition of Sales to Applicable Belgian Consumers:

THIRD PARTY INFORMATION

Not Applicable

By:

PURPOSE OF PRICING SUPPLEMENT

This Pricing Supplement comprises the final terms required for the issue of the Notes described herein pursuant to the U.S.\$10,000,000,000 Euro Note Programme of National Bank of Canada.

Signed on behalf of National Bank of Canada:

Duly authorised

PART B - OTHER INFORMATION

1. LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING

Listing/Admission to trading: Application has been made by the Issuer (or on its behalf)

for the Notes to be admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange's Euro MTF Market and listed on the official list of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange with effect from or

around 19 March 2020

2. RATINGS

Ratings: The Notes to be issued have not been rated.

3. USE OF PROCEEDS

Use of Proceeds: The net proceeds of the issue of the Notes will be used to

finance or refinance, in whole or in part, future and existing eligible businesses and eligible projects, including the Issuer's own operations, that fall within the Eligible

Categories (as defined within the Framework).

4. OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

ISIN: XS2138588319

Common Code: 213858831

CFI Code See the website of the Association of National Numbering

Agencies (ANNA) or alternatively sourced from the responsible National Numbering Agency that assigned the

ISIN

FISN See the website of the Association of National Numbering

Agencies (ANNA) or alternatively sourced from the responsible National Numbering Agency that assigned the

ISIN

Any clearing system(s) other than

Euroclear Bank SA/NV and Clearstream Banking S.A., their addresses and the relevant identification number(s): Not Applicable

Delivery: Delivery against payment

Name(s) and address(es) of Initial

Paying (s), Registrar(s) and

Transfer Agent(s):

Citibank, N.A., London Branch, Citigroup Centre, Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London E14 5LB, United Kingdom

Names and addresses of additional N

Paying Agent(s) (if any), Registrar(s) or Transfer Agent(s): None

5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The second party opinion on the Framework referenced under "Sustainability Bond Framework" on page 183 of the Base Prospectus expired on October 31, 2019

APPENDIX 1

(This Appendix forms part of the Pricing Supplement to which it is attached)

AMENDED AND ADDITIONAL RISK FACTORS

In light of the second party opinion on the Framework noted under Part B – 5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION of the Pricing Supplement, the risk factor entitled "Notes issued as "green bonds", "social bonds" or "sustainable bonds" may not be a suitable investment for all investors seeking exposure to green, social or sustainable assets" on pages 49 to 51 of the Base Prospectus is amended and restated as follows (with the changes set out in bold):

Notes issued as "green bonds", "social bonds" or "sustainable bonds" may not be a suitable investment for all investors seeking exposure to green, social or sustainable assets

The Notes will be for the financing and/or refinancing, in whole or in part, of future or existing eligible businesses and eligible projects, including the Bank's own operations, that fall within the Eligible Categories (as defined below) (see further under "Sustainability Bond Framework") (any such Senior Notes which may be "green bonds", "social bonds" or "sustainable bonds", the "Sustainable Bonds").

The Bank will exercise its judgement and sole discretion in determining the businesses and projects that will be financed by the proceeds of Sustainable Bonds. If the use of the proceeds of Sustainable Bonds is a factor in an investor's decision to invest in Sustainable Bonds, they should consider the disclosure in "Use of Proceeds" set out above and consult with their legal or other advisers before making an investment in Sustainable Bonds (including with respect to whether they require a current valid second party opinion on the Framework in light of the expiration of the second party opinion on the Framework as disclosed in Part B – 4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION of the Pricing Supplement above). While it is the intention of the Bank to meet the Framework (as defined below), no assurance is given by the Bank, the Arrangers or the Dealers that any of the businesses and projects funded with the proceeds from Sustainable Bonds will meet the Framework or an investor's expectations or requirements, whether as to sustainable impact or outcome or otherwise.

Furthermore, while the intention of the Bank is to apply the net proceeds of the relevant Sustainable Bonds as described in "Use of Proceeds" set out above, there is no contractual obligation to allocate the proceeds of such Sustainable Bonds to finance eligible businesses and projects or to provide annual progress reports as described therein.

The Bank's failure to so allocate or report, the failure of any of the businesses and projects funded with the proceeds from Sustainable Bonds to meet the Framework, the failure of external assurance providers to opine on the conformity of the Sustainability Bond Report (as defined below)with the Framework, or the cessation of the listing or admission of Sustainable Bonds to trading on any dedicated "green", "environmental", "sustainable", "social" or other equivalently-labelled segment of any stock exchange on securities market (where applicable) will not constitute an Event of Default with respect to the relevant Sustainable Bonds or give rise to any other claim of a holder of such Sustainable Bonds against the Bank. Any such failure may affect the value of the relevant Sustainable Bonds and/or have adverse consequences for certain investors with portfolio mandates to invest in sustainable or green assets or for a particular purpose.

Furthermore, it should be noted that there is currently no clearly-defined definition (legal, regulatory

or otherwise) of, nor market consensus as to what constitutes, a "green", "sustainable", "social" or an equivalently labelled project or business, nor as to what precise attributes are required for a particular project or business to be defined as "green", "sustainable", "social" or such other equivalent label nor can any assurance be given that such a clear definition or consensus will develop over time. Accordingly, while it is the intention of the Bank, no assurance is or can be given by the Bank, the Arrangers or the Dealers to investors that any projects or uses the subject of, or related to, any of the businesses and projects funded with the proceeds from Sustainable Bonds will meet any or all investor expectations regarding such "green", "sustainable", "social" or other equivalently-labelled performance objectives or that any adverse environmental, social and/or other impacts will not occur during the implementation of any projects or uses the subject of, or related to, any of the businesses and projects funded with the proceeds from Sustainable Bonds.

None of the Bank, the Arrangers or the Dealers makes any representation as to the suitability of the Sustainable Bonds to fulfil any green, environmental, sustainable, social or other criteria required by prospective investors, or as to the suitability or reliability for any purpose whatsoever of any report, assessment, opinion or certification of any third party (whether or not solicited by the Bank) which may be made available in connection with the issue of Sustainable Bonds and in particular with any of the businesses and projects funded with the proceeds from Sustainable Bonds to fulfil any environmental, sustainability, social and/or other criteria. For the avoidance of doubt, none of the Framework, the second party opinion or any other report, assessment, opinion or certification of any third party (whether or not solicited by the Bank) is, nor shall they be deemed to be, incorporated in and/or form part of this Prospectus. Any such report, assessment, opinion or certification is not, nor should be deemed to be, a recommendation by the Bank, the Arrangers, the Dealers or any other person to buy, sell or hold Sustainable Bonds. The second party opinion and any such other report. assessment, opinion or certification of any third party (whether or not solicited by the Bank) is only current as at the date that it was initially issued. Prospective investors must determine for themselves the relevance of any such report, assessment, opinion or certification and/or the information contained therein and/or the provider of such opinion or certification for the purpose of any investment in any Sustainable Bonds. The providers of such reports, assessments, opinions and certifications are not currently subject to any specific regulatory or other regime or oversight. None of the Arrangers or the Dealers have undertaken, nor are they responsible for, any assessment of the Framework or the eligibility criteria for the Sustainable Bonds, any verification of whether any of the businesses or projects fall within the Eligible Categories, or the monitoring of the use of proceeds of the Sustainable Bonds. Investors should refer to the Framework, the Sustainability Bond Report and the second party opinion (details of which are set out under "Sustainability Bond Framework") for information.

If Sustainable Bonds are at any time listed or admitted to trading on any dedicated "green", "environmental", "sustainable", "social" or other equivalently-labelled segment of any stock exchange or securities market (whether or not regulated), no representation or assurance is given by the Bank, any Arranger, any Dealer or any other person that such listing or admission satisfies, whether in whole or in part, any present or future investor expectations or requirements as regards any investment criteria or guidelines with which such investor or its investments are required to comply, whether by any present or future applicable law or regulations or by its own bylaws or other governing rules or investment portfolio mandates, in particular with regard to any direct or indirect environmental, sustainability or social impact of any projects or uses, the subject of or related to, any of the businesses and projects funded with the proceeds from Sustainable Bonds. Furthermore, it should be noted that the criteria for any such listings or admission to trading may vary from one stock exchange or securities market to another. Nor is any representation or assurance given or made by the Bank, any Arranger, any Dealer or any other person that any such listing or admission to trading will be obtained in respect of Sustainable Bonds or, if obtained, that any such listing or admission to

trading will be maintained during the life of the relevant Sustainable Bonds.

While it is the intention of the Bank to apply the net proceeds of any Sustainable Bonds and obtain and publish the relevant reports, assessments, opinions and certifications in, or substantially in, the manner described in "Use of Proceeds" set out above, there can be no assurance that the Bank will be able to do this. Nor can there be any assurance that any eligible project (where applicable) will be completed within any specified period or at all or with the results or outcome (whether or not related to the environment) as originally expected or anticipated by the Bank.

Any failure by the Bank to apply the net proceeds of any issue of Sustainable Bonds in accordance with the Framework, any withdrawal, **termination or expiration** of any report, assessment, opinion or certification as described above, or any such report, assessment, opinion or certification attesting that the Bank is not complying in whole or in part with any matters for which such report, assessment, opinion or certification is reporting, assessing, opining or certifying on, and/or any such Sustainable Bonds no longer being listed or admitted to trading on any stock exchange or securities market, as aforesaid (where applicable), may have a material adverse effect on the value of such Sustainable Bonds and/or result in adverse consequences for certain investors with portfolio mandates to invest in securities to be used for a particular purpose.

The additional Risk Factors set out below must be read in conjunction with the relevant Risk Factors set out in the Prospectus on pages 12 to 52.

The Notes are not suitable for all investors

An investor should reach a decision to invest in the Notes after carefully considering, in conjunction with his or her advisors, the suitability of the Notes in light of his or her investment objectives and the other information set out in this Pricing Supplement and in the Prospectus.

The value of an investment in the Notes may diminish over time owing to inflation and other factors that adversely affect the present value of future payments. Accordingly, an investment in the Notes may result in a lower return when compared to other investment alternatives. The Notes are designed for investors who are prepared to hold the Notes to maturity. Prospective purchasers should take into account certain risks associated with an investment in the Notes which are described under "Risk Factors" in the Prospectus, as well as any additional risks described in this Pricing Supplement.

The Notes will not be insured under the Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation Act or any other deposit insurance regime

The Notes will not constitute deposits that are insured under the *Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation Act* or any other deposit insurance regime designed to ensure the payment of all or a portion of a deposit upon insolvency of the deposit taking institution.

The secondary market may offer prices which may be at a discount from the Final Redemption Amount that would be payable if the Notes were maturing on such day

If the secondary market for the Notes is limited, there may be fewer buyers when an investor decides to sell his or her Notes prior to the Maturity Date, affecting the bid price that such a Noteholder will receive.

The price at which a Noteholder or its depositary bank will be able to sell the Notes prior to the Maturity Date may be at a discount, which could be substantial, from the Final Redemption Amount

that would be payable if the Notes were maturing on such day, based upon one or more factors. The value of the Notes in the secondary market will be affected by a number of complex and inter-related factors, including supply and demand for the Notes, interest rates in the market, the time remaining to the maturity of the Notes, the creditworthiness of the Issuer, economic, financial, political, regulatory, judicial or other events, or factors that affect financial markets generally. The effect of any one factor may be offset or magnified by the effect of another factor.

While the Final Redemption Amount is based on the full principal amount of the Notes, the pricing of the Notes will factor in any selling commission and the Issuer's cost of hedging its obligations under the Notes. As a result, assuming no change in market conditions and any other relevant factors highlighted herein that may affect the price on the secondary market, the price on the secondary market will likely be lower than the original issue price to take such fees and costs into consideration. This effect is expected to be greater if the Notes are sold earlier in the term of the Notes. It is expected that the early trading charge, if any, will correspond to such discount from the original issue price.

Liquidity and early sale risk

There is currently no established trading market for the Notes, and one may never develop. Accordingly, investors must be prepared to hold their Notes until maturity. There may not be any (or there may only be a very limited) secondary market for the Notes. Investors who cannot accept that the secondary market is limited in this way should not invest in the Notes. The Issuer does not intend to create, and is not obliged to create, a secondary trading market for the Notes. There is no guarantee that a secondary market will exist.

Investors seeking to liquidate/sell positions in the Notes prior to the stated Maturity Date may receive substantially less than their original purchase price.

Early Redemption for Special Circumstance, Illegality or Disruption Event at the option of the Bank

Upon the occurrence of a Special Circumstance, Illegality or Disruption Event as provided in this Pricing Supplement, the Issuer may redeem the Notes early upon the payment to each Noteholder of an amount in respect of each equal to the fair market value of each Note in accordance with the terms of this Pricing Supplement. In such circumstances, the Notes may be redeemed prior to the Maturity Date for substantially less than their original purchase price or originally expected principal and interest amounts.

Reinvestment Risk

If the Notes are redeemed early prior to a scheduled maturity following a Special Circumstance, Illegality or Disruption Event or pursuant to the Issuer Call Option, an investor may not be able to reinvest the proceeds at an effective interest rate as high as the interest rate or yield (or potential interest rate or yield) on the Notes being redeemed and may only be able to do so at a significantly lower rate. Investors should consider such reinvestment risk in light of the investments available.

Adjustments by the Calculation Agent

The terms and conditions of the Notes allow the Calculation Agent to make adjustments or take any other appropriate action if circumstances occur where the Notes or any calculations or other acts

thereunder are affected by disruption events, adjustment events or circumstances affecting normal activities.

Conflict of Interest

The Calculation Agent may have economic interests adverse to those of the Noteholders, including with respect to certain determinations that the Calculation Agent must make in determining the amounts payable under the terms of the Notes and in making certain other determinations with regard to the Notes.

The Issuer forms part of a major banking group. It is therefore possible that the Issuer or one of its subsidiaries or one of their officers, employees, representatives or agents (together the "Bank Group") or another client of the Bank Group may have interests, relationships and/or arrangements that give rise to conflicts of interest in relation to business that is transacted with investors in the Notes. Such conflicts of interest will be managed in accordance with the Issuer's established policies and procedures.

A Note's purchase price may not reflect its inherent value

Prospective investors in the Notes should be aware that the purchase price of a Note does not necessarily reflect its inherent value. Any difference between a Note's purchase price and its inherent value may be due to a number of different factors including, without limitation, prevailing market conditions and fees, discounts or commissions paid or earned by the various parties involved in structuring and/or distributing the Note. For further information prospective investors should refer to the party from whom they are purchasing the Notes. Prospective investors may also wish to seek an independent valuation of Notes prior to their purchase.

Tax Treatment

The tax treatment of any amount to be paid to the Noteholder in relation to the Notes may reduce such Noteholder's effective yield on the Notes.

Significant tax aspects of the tax treatment of the Notes may be uncertain. In addition, tax treatment may change before the maturity or redemption of the Notes. Prospective investors should consult their tax advisers about their own tax treatment.

The Issuer, Dealer and Calculation Agent and/or their respective affiliates are not tax advisors and do not provide tax advice. Responsibility for any tax implications of an investment in the Notes rests entirely with each investor. Investors should note that the tax treatment of the Notes may differ from jurisdiction to jurisdiction.

Investors should consult their own tax advisors with respect to their particular circumstances.

Credit Risk

Investors in the Notes are exposed to the credit risk of the Issuer, which may vary over the term of the Notes.

Leverage Risk

Borrowing to fund the purchase of the Notes ('external leveraging') can have a significant negative impact on the value of and return on the investment. Investors considering leveraging the Notes in this manner should obtain further detailed information as to the applicable risks from the leverage

provider. If the investor obtains external leverage for the investment, the investor should make sure it has sufficient liquid assets to meet the margin requirements in the event of market movements adverse to the investor's position. In such case, if the investor does not make the margin payments then the investor's investment in the Notes may be liquidated with little or no notice.

Compounding of Risks

An investment in the Notes involves risks and should only be made after assessing the direction, timing and magnitude of potential future market changes (e.g. interest rates, currency, etc.), as well as the terms and conditions of the Notes. More than one risk factor may have simultaneous effects with regard to the Notes such that the effect of a particular risk factor may not be predictable. In addition, more than one risk factor may have a compounding effect, which may not be predictable. No assurance can be given as to the effect that any combination of risk factors may have on the value of the Notes.

Currency Risk

An investment in the Notes will be in Euro. As a result, investors converting amounts received under the Notes to USD or to another currency will be subject to fluctuations between the exchange rate of the Euro and the USD or such other currency.

No reliance

Each holder of the Notes may not rely on the Issuer, the Dealer, or any of their respective affiliates in connection with its determination as to the legality of its acquisition of the Notes.