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Person/company obliged to make the notification:

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Name: Bank of America Corporation  
Place: Wilmington  
State: United States of America

voestalpine AG: Notification in accordance with § 93 (2) BörseG

Interest held by Bank of America Corporation rose above 5% on 2 July 2015 and fell below 4% on 6 July 2015

voestalpine AG hereby announces in accordance with § 93 (2) BörseG (Austrian Stock Exchange Act) that it received notification from Bank of America Corporation on 7 July 2015 stating that it held shares and financial instruments within the meaning of § 91a BörseG representing more than 5% of the voting rights of voestalpine AG on 2 July 2015.

In detail, Bank of America Corporation stated it had the following direct and indirect holdings of voestalpine AG shares and financial instruments within the meaning of § 91a BörseG on 2 July 2015:

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Shareholder		Number of ordinary	Voting rights
		shares	in %
_Bank_of_America_N.A	_shares	_88	_0.00%
Merrill Lynch, Pierce,	shares	122	0.00%
Fenner and Smith Inc.			
_(Discretionary_PIA)			
Merrill Lynch	shares	6,520,000	3.73%
_Equity_S.à_r.l.			
Merrill Lynch, Pierce,	shares	93	0.00%
Fenner and Smith Inc.			
_(Discretionary_PIA)			

_Subtotal_____	_____	_6,520,303_____	_3.73%_____	
Merrill Lynch, Pierce,	Financial	2,785,933	1.59%	
Fenner and Smith Inc.	instruments			
_(Discretionary_PIA)____	_based on shares_	_____	_____	
_Total_____	_____	_9,306,236_____	_5.32%_____	

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When calculating voting rights, all of the voting rights specified in §§ 91 to 92 BörseG must be added together in accordance with § 91a (7) BörseG. Bank of America Corporation therefore held a total of 9,306,236 ordinary shares and financial instruments based on ordinary shares on 2 July 2015. Based on the 174,949,163 voestalpine ordinary shares issued, this represents 5.32% of the voting rights of voestalpine AG.

On 8 July 2015, voestalpine AG received notification from Bank of America Corporation that on 6 July 2015 its direct and indirect holdings of voestalpine AG ordinary shares and financial instruments based on ordinary shares did not exceed 4%, and its holdings of voestalpine AG voting rights therefore fell below the 4% threshold on this date.

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