

# NATIONAL BANK OF GREECE

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of 19 June 2015

Draft Resolutions/Board Remarks on the Items on the Agenda of the General Meeting

1. Submission for approval of the Board of Directors' Report on the Annual Financial Statements of the Bank and the Group for the financial year 2014 (1.1.2014 – 31.12.2014), and submission of the respective Auditors' Report for information purposes.

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
|--------------------|---|
| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present<br>or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or<br>represented by proxy) |

The Board of Directors (the Board) shall propose that the AGM approve the Board's Report on the Separate and Consolidated Financial Statements of NBG for 2014, as approved by the Board at its meeting of 23 March 2015, and also submits the Auditors' Report for information purposes.

These reports can be viewed by shareholders on the Bank's website at:

http://www.nbg.gr/el/the-group/investor-relations/financial-information/annual-interim-financial-statements/Documents/



# 2. Submission for approval of the Annual Financial Statements of the Bank and the Group for the financial year 2014 (1.1.2014 – 31.12.2014).

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| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present<br>or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or<br>represented by proxy) |

The Board shall propose that the AGM approve the Bank's and the Group's Annual Financial Statements for the financial year 2014, including the comparative data for 2013. The Financial Statements of the Group and the Bank are comprised of the Statement of Financial Position, the Income Statement, the Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Changes in Equity, the Cash Flow Statement, and the Notes to the Financial Statements. The Financial Statements were approved by the Board on 23 March 2015 and can be viewed on the Bank's website at:

http://www.nbg.gr/el/the-group/investor-relations/financial-information/annual-interim-financial-statements/Documents/

The Bank's website also includes a Press Release and a Presentation accompanying the announcement of the full-year results for 2014.

In brief, the Group's results for 2014 were as follows:

NBG's positive performance both on a quarterly (Q4) and annual basis vindicates the Group's strategic decisions and its comparative advantages.

Despite the uncertainty in Q4, the Group reported positive performance, although results were burdened with the significant extraordinary provisions for impairments in Q4.14. Accordingly, net profit remained in positive territory at  $\in$ 66m, while excluding extraordinary impairments net profit stood at  $\in$ 174m. Profit in Turkey and SE Europe remained at high levels, at  $\in$ 318 million and  $\in$ 41 million respectively.

In terms of liquidity, despite significant deposit outflows, the Bank's deposits have been less hard hit than its peers in the domestic market, while NBG maintains a loan-to-deposit ratio of around one. In addition, Eurosystem eligible collateral remains high, at circa  $\in$ 15 billion. As for asset quality, new domestic delinquencies continued to slow down in Q4.14, which, coupled with the formation of extraordinary provisions, further strengthened the NPL coverage ratio, now standing above 60%.

The Group's capital position remained strong, with the Common Equity Tier I ratio standing at 13.6%, reflecting NBG's solid position within a highly volatile landscape.



3. Discharge of the members of the Board of Directors and the Auditors of the Bank, of ETHNIKI KEFALAIOU S.A. (absorbed through merger), and ETHNODATA S.A. (absorbed through merger) from any liability for indemnity regarding the Annual Financial Statements and management for the year 2014 (1.1.2014 – 31.12.2014).

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
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| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy) |

It is proposed that the members of the Board of Directors and Auditors of NBG be discharged from any liability for indemnity regarding the Annual Financial Statements and management for the year 2014. More specifically:

<u>The Board of NBG:</u> Messrs George Zanias, Alexandros Tourkolias, Dimitrios Dimopoulos, Paul Mylonas, Paula Hatjisotirou, Petros Christodoulou, Maria (Marily) Frangista, Panagiotis-Aristidis Thomopoulos, Ioannis Giannidis, Efthymios Katsikas, Stavros Koukos, Dimitrios Afendoulis, Stefanos Vavalidis, Spyridon Theodoropoulos, Alexandra Papalexopoulou-Benopoulou, Petros Sabatacakis, Alexandros Makridis, Charalambos Makkas.

<u>The Board of ETHNIKI KEFALAIOU S.A.</u>: Messrs Theodoros Stathis, Miltiadis Stathopoulos, Athanasios Mavromatis, Petros Daskaleas, Polychronis Koustenis, Christos Iliadis, Aristotelis Karytinos.

<u>The Board of ETHNODATA S.A.</u>: Messrs Nikolaos Christodoulou, Damianos Charalambidis, Nelly Tzakou-Lambropoulou, Charalambos Mantzaris, Agamemnon Papastergiou, Spyridon-Stavros Mavrogalos.

Certified Auditors of NBG: Messrs Beate Randulf and Despoina Xenaki.

<u>Certified Auditors of ETHNODATA S.A.</u>: Messrs Beate Randulf and Foteini Giannopoulou.

4. Election of regular and substitute Certified Auditors for the purposes of the audit of the Financial Statements of the Bank and the Financial Statements of the Group for the year 2015, and determination of their remuneration.

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
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| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy) |



For the audit of the Bank's and the Group's Annual and Semi-annual Financial Statements for the financial year 2015, the Board of Directors proposes the appointment of Deloitte Hadjipavlou, Sofianos & Cambanis SA, which is required by law to appoint at least one regular and one substitute certified auditor, at its discretion.

It is noted that, pursuant to par. 3.5.a(v) of the Relationship Framework Agreement between the Bank and the HFSF, dated 10 July 2013, relevant approval has been granted by the HFSF.

Moreover, it is proposed that the AGM authorize the Board to determine the remuneration of the certified auditors, following proposal of the Audit Committee, in accordance with the law.

# 5. Election of a new Board of Directors and appointment of independent nonexecutive members pursuant to the provisions of Law 3016/2002, as amended.

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
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| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy) |

Given the significant changes in NBG's Board composition that took place by virtue of its recent decisions and specifically decision No 1535/23.3.2015 regarding the election of Mrs Louka Katseli and Mr Leonidas Fragkiadakis as new directors in replacement of George Zanias and Alexandros Tourkolias, who both resigned, it is deemed appropriate to propose to the next General Meeting the election of Board Members by the Bank's Shareholders, with a term of 3 years according to the applicable framework, in the context of relevant decision by the next General Meeting, just as this happened in the case of previous such changes in the Bank's Management.

The proposal with regard to Board membership shall be announced, pursuant to the law and the corporate governance rules, following relevant proposal of the Corporate Governance & Nominations Committee and the relevant decision of the Bank's Board.



6. Approval of the remuneration of the Board of Directors of the Bank and of ETHNIKI KEFALAIOU S.A., which was absorbed through merger, for the financial year 2014 (pursuant to Article 24.2 of C.L. 2190/1920). Determination of the remuneration of the Chairman of the Board, the CEO, the Deputy CEO and non-executive Directors through to the AGM of 2016. Approval, for the financial year 2014, of the remuneration of the Bank's Directors in their capacity as members of the Bank's Audit, Corporate Governance & Nominations, Human Resources & Remuneration, Risk Management, and Strategy Committees, and determination of their remuneration through to the AGM of 2016. Approval of contracts of the Bank with members of the Board, under article 23a of Codified Law 2190/1920

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
|--------------------|---|
| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy) |

It is proposed that the AGM approve, pursuant to Article 24.2 of Codified Law 2190/1920, as amended, and Article 28 of the Articles of Association, the net remuneration paid in 2014 to the members of the Board, the Chairman, the CEO and Deputy CEOs of the Bank, totaling  $\in$ 1,205,388.94 (following any withholdings for insurance fund and income tax requirements), in line with the financial statements already approved, as per the table below:

| s/N | Reg.<br>No | SURNAME                                      | NAME            | CAPACITY   | GROSS ANNUAL<br>BoD AND BoD<br>COMMITTEES<br>REMUNERATION | NET ANNUAL BOD<br>AND BoD COMMITEES<br>REMUNERATION* | GROSS ANNUAL<br>REMUNERATION FOR<br>DEPENDENT<br>EMPLOYMENT | NET ANNUAL<br>REMUNERATION FOR<br>DEPENDENT<br>EMPLOYMENT<br>INCLUDING INSURANCE<br>CONTRIBUTIONS* |
|-----|------------|--|-----------------|--|---|--|---|--|
| 1   | 38322      | ZANIAS                                       | GEORGE          | Chairman   | 54.000,00   | 42.632,82  | 259.073,25  | 138.189,66   |
| 2   | 30322      | TOURKOLIAS                                   | ALEXANDROS      | Chief Executive Officer  | 27.000,00   | 21.731,42  | 295.963,67  | 174.086,13   |
| 3   | 39820      | MYLONAS**                                    | PAUL            | Deputy Chief Executive Officer                                       | 13.875,00   | 8.969,39   | 247.372,42  | 147.153,88   |
| 4   | 38615      | HADJISOTIRIOU**                              | PAULA           | Deputy Chief Executive Officer                                       | 13.875,00   | 8.836,60   | 256.835,06  | 151.801,15   |
| 5   | 39739      | DIMOPOULOS**                                 | DIMITRIOS       | Deputy Chief Executive Officer                                       | 13.875,00   | 8.791,46   | 248.373,61  | 153.073,27   |
| 6   | 28275      | GIANNIDIS ***                                | IOANNIS         | Non-Executive Member   | 3.825,00  | 3.779,10   |   |  |
| 7   | 69001      | CHRISTODOULOU                                | PETROS          | Non-Executive Member   | 31.625,00   | 25.158,85  | 128.781,96  | 75.696,25  |
| 8   | 21715      | KATSIKAS                                     | EFTHYMIOS       | Member   | 18.000,00   | 15.778,41  | 60.272,06   | 41.346,87  |
| 9   | 13346      | KOUKOS                                       | STAVROS         | Member   | 0,00  | 0,00   | 76.309,15   | 56.532,15  |
| 10  | 69007      | VAVALIDIS                                    | STEFANOS        | Independent Non-Executive Member                                     | 45.000,00   | 44.460,00  | 0,00  | 0,00   |
| 11  |            | THEODOROPOULOS                               | SPYRIDON        | Independent Non-Executive Member                                     | 45.000,00   | 30.917,29  | 0,00  | 0,00   |
|     | 69005      | PAPALEXOPOULOU-<br>BENOPOULOU<br>SABATACAKIS | ALEXANDRA       | Independent Non-Executive Member<br>Independent Non-Executive Member | 45.000,00   | 30.917,29<br>33.262,05                               | 0,00  |  |
| -   |            | AFENDOULIS****                               | DIMITRIOS       | Independent Non-Executive Member                                     | 24.750,00   | 19.746,50  | 0,00  |  |
|     |            | FRANGISTA *****                              | MARIA           | Independent Non-Executive Member                                     | 13.125,00   | 12.060,56  | 0,00  |  |
| 16  |            | THOMOPOULOS *****                            | PANAGIOTIS      | Independent Non-Executive Member                                     | 13.125,00   | 12.060,56  | 0,00  |  |
| 17  |            | MAKRIDIS                                     | ALEXANDROS      | Hellenic Republic Representative                                     | 26.750,00   | 21.402,40  | 0,00  |  |
| 18  | 69002      | MAKKAS                                       | CHARALAMPOS     | HFSF Representative  | 54.000,00   | 35.474,98  | 0.00  |  |
|     |            |  |                 |  | 492.450,00  | 375.979,68   | 1.572.981,18  | 937.879,36   |
|     | *          | Net annual remuneration                      | includes the em | ployees' insurance contributions, but o                              | loes not include ta                                       | ax, solidarity contributio                           | n, stamp duty   |  |
|     | **         | Assumed duties on 26.6.2014                  |                 |  |   |  |   |  |
|     | ***        | Resigned on 20.2.2014                        |                 |  |   |  |   |  |
|     |            | Assumed duties on 20.2.                      | 2014            |  |   |  |   |  |
|     | ****       | ***** Resigned on 26.6.2014                  |                 |  |   |  |   |  |



In addition, the Board shall propose that the remuneration for Board members be determined through to the AGM 2016, on the basis of a recommendation by the Human Resources & Remuneration Committee which shall take a relevant decision in a future meeting, as per current Corporate Governance Rules. The said decision shall be published on the Bank's website prior to the date of the AGM.

In any case, the remuneration should comply with the provisions of Bank of Greece Governor's Act 2650/2012, Law 4261/2014, Law 3723/2008 and Law 3864/2010.

Under article 23a of CL 2190/1920, in general the contracts of the Bank with Board members, including contracts for the provision of independent services of executive directors, are submitted for approval by the General Meeting of Shareholders.

In view of the above and based on the election of the new Board of Directors proposed by the Board to the Shareholders, the Board shall propose upon relevant recommendation by the HR & Remuneration Committee, the approval of the Bank's contracts for the provision of independent services with the Chairman, the Chief Executive Officer and the Deputy Chief Executive Officers, which will include the said financial and any other terms that will be proposed by the Committee based on the above. The HR & Remuneration Committee shall take a relevant decision in a future meeting and shall publish it prior to the date of the AGM on the Bank's website.

Last, it is proposed that the AGM approve the remuneration paid to the members of the Board of Directors of ETHNIKI KEFALAIOU S.A., which was absorbed through merger, for the financial year 2014, pursuant to Article 24.2 of CL 2190/1920, as amended, as follows:

| NAME                    | POSITION                | BOARD ANNUAL<br>(GROSS)<br>COMPENSATION |  |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|--|
| Theodoros Stathis       | Chairman                | 64,800.00                               |  |
| Miltiadis Stathopoulos  | Vice Chairman           | 0.00                                    |  |
| Athanassios Mavrommatis | Chief Executive Officer | 64,800.00                               |  |
| Petros Daskaleas        | Advisor                 | 0.00                                    |  |
| Polychronis Koustenis   | Advisor                 | 4,800.00                                |  |
| Christos Iliadis        | Advisor                 | 4,800.00                                |  |
| Aristotelis Karytinos   | Advisor                 | 0.00                                    |  |
| TOTAL                   |                         | <u>139,200.00</u>                       |  |



7. Granting of permission, pursuant to Article 23 par. 1 of Codified Law 2190/1920 and Article 30 par. 1 of the Bank's Articles of Association, for Board members, General Managers, Assistant General Managers and Managers to participate on the Board of Directors or in the management of NBG Group companies pursuing similar or related business goals

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*),<br>shares with voting rights   |
|--------------------|--|
| Required majority: | 50% of the total voting rights (present or<br>represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by<br>proxy) |

It is proposed that the AGM grant permission for the Board members, General Managers, Assistant General Managers and Managers to participate on the Boards of Directors or in the management of NBG Group companies pursuing similar or related business goals.

# 8. Election of regular and substitute members of the Audit Committee

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
|--------------------|---|
| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy) |

Pursuant to Law 3693/2008, the Audit Committee members are elected by the AGM. According to the charter of the Audit Committee, its members are appointed by the General Meeting following proposal of the Corporate Governance & Nominations Committee to the Chairman of the Board. Members of the Committee shall not exceed 40% of total Board members, with a minimum of three members. All members of the Committee should be non-executive members of the Board, while 75% of the members are independent non-executive members of the Board.

Accordingly, in compliance with the provisions of Law 3693/2008 and following a respective meeting of the Corporate Governance & Nominations Committee, it is proposed that the General Meeting elect the regular and substitute members of the Board's Audit Committee, to serve through to the AGM 2016.



The Corporate Governance & Nominations Committee will decide upon the matter at a forthcoming meeting, and the relevant Board proposal will be posted on the Bank's website prior to the date of the AGM.

# 9. Amendment of Article 24 par. 2 and 3 of the Bank's Articles of Association.

| Required Quorum:   | 1/5 of total common voting shares, including those<br>issued in favor of the HFSF (Article 7 par. 3 of L.<br>3864/2010, as amended) |
|--------------------|---|
| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy)                       |

In light of the administrative changes in the Bank's structure and the organizational changes in its Management Units and branch network, it is proposed to amend Article 24 par. 2 and 3 of the Articles of Association so as to allow Management Executives assigned with duties of responsibility by the Management to represent the Bank in person before courts, as follows:

| CURRENT ARTICLE  | NEW ARTICLE  |
|--|--|
| Article 24   | Article 24   |
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| managers of the Bank's administrative divisions,<br>or of the Bank's network divisions or managers of<br>regional divisions, or chiefs of section or chiefs of<br>service of the management or network divisions | managers or their substitutes or deputy<br>managers of the management, or of the Bank's<br>network divisions or managers of regional<br>divisions, or chiefs of section or chiefs of service |

| or regional divisions.   | of the Bank's administrative divisions or network<br>divisions or regional divisions, or executives<br>entrusted with positions of responsibility by the<br>Bank's management.   |
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| 3. In respect of the affairs of the Bank's Non-<br>Performing Loan units and branches, further to<br>the above officers, the manager of the Non-<br>Performing Loan unit, of the branch or his/her<br>substitute, or one of the deputy managers, or<br>one of the chief operations officers or officers or<br>substitutes thereof may also take decisions on<br>behalf of the Bank and legally represent same. | 3. In respect of the affairs of the Bank's branches, further to the above officers, the manager of the branch or his/her substitute, or one of the deputy managers, or one of the chief operations officers or officers or substitutes thereof may also take decisions on behalf of the Bank and legally represent same. |
| 4<br>5   | 4<br>5   |

10. Approval of the commitment of funds amounting to €3,013,550.23 from the taxable reserve of account 41 04 00 00 00, and the creation of an equivalent special taxed reserve to cover the Bank's own participation in the NSRF program (ICT4GROWTH action), and non-distribution of the amount before the lapse of five years from the completion and commencement of the production phase of the investment.

| Required quorum:   | 1/5 of total common(*) voting shares  |
|--------------------|---|
| Required majority: | 50% of the total of the voting rights (present or represented by proxy) + 1 (present or represented by proxy) |

Following NBG Board resolution 1526/21.10.2014, which decided that "a separate taxed reserve shall be created to cover the Bank's own participation, which may not be distributed before the lapse of five years from the completion and commencement of the production phase of the investment, amounting to €3,013,550.23, whereas such decision may not be revoked and is subject to approval of the Bank's General Meeting of Shareholders", and in compliance with the provisions of the ICT4GROWTH Programme Guide it is proposed that the General Meeting approve the said resolution and in particular, the approval of the commitment of funds amounting to €3,013,550.23 from the taxable reserve of account 41 04 00 00 00, and the creation of an equivalent special taxed reserve to cover the Bank's own participation in the NSRF Digital Convergence OP of Information Society SA (ICT4GROWTH action), approved by Decision 440/31.10.2013 of the Board of InfoSoc (InfoSoc Document 14495/05.11.2013 re approval of application for support and Decision 47/23.01.2015 re inclusion of postgraduate candidates), and non-distribution of



the amount before the lapse of five years from the completion and commencement of the production phase of the investment.

11. Authorization for the Board to increase the Bank's share capital, as per Article 13 of Codified Law 2190/1920, and/or arrange the issue of convertible bond loans, as per Article 3a of CL 2190/1920 and Article 5 of the Bank's Articles of Association, as amended.

|                            | Minimum required<br>quorum  | Minimum required<br>majority                          |
|----------------------------|---|---|
| Annual General Meeting     | 2/3 of the total common<br>voting shares, including<br>those issued in favor of the<br>HFSF (Article 7a par. 3 of<br>Law 3864/2010, as<br>amended). | 2/3 of the total voting rights (present or            |
| 1st Repeat General Meeting | 1/2 of the total common<br>voting shares (calculated as<br>above).  | represented) + 1 vote<br>(present or<br>represented). |
| 2nd Repeat General Meeting | 1/5 of the total common<br>voting shares (calculated as<br>above).  |   |

In light of the current economic environment, it is advisable that the Bank adopt flexible plans in order to benefit from any future circumstance that enables it to enhance its liquidity and capital adequacy. In this context and given the expiry of relevant authorizations granted in the past by the Bank's GM to the Board:

It is proposed that the General Meeting grant the Board the right, until exhaustion of the 5 year period provided for by law, to increase the Bank's share capital through the issuance of common shares, as per Article 13 of CL 2190/1920, and/or arrange the issue of convertible bond loans, as per Articles 3a and 13 of CL 2190/1920 and Article 5 of the Bank's Articles of Association, up to the total paid-up share capital of the Bank as at the time of this General Meeting (i.e.  $\in$ 2,413,736,838.60). It is proposed that the Board decide at its discretion the detailed terms of such increase and/or issue of bond loans, subject to the provisions of law. This authority may be exercised by the Board one-off or in tranches. Note that the law requires such share capital increases and issues of convertible bond loans to be carried out through the exercise of pre-emption rights by the Bank's existing shareholders.



## 12. Various announcements and approvals.

It is announced that, pursuant to Meeting No 1535/23.3.2015 of the Board of Directors of National Bank of Greece S.A., and following a proposal of the Corporate Governance & Nominations Committee of the NBG Board, Ms Louka Katseli and Mr Leonidas Frangiadakis were elected, in accordance with Article 18 of the Articles of Association, as new members (non-executive and executive respectively) of the Bank's Board, in replacement of Mr George Zanias, resigned, and Mr Alexandros Tourkolias, resigned.

It is also announced that, by virtue of Financial Policy General Directorate (GDOP) Decision No 0000232 EX.2015/X.P.263/4.3.2015 of the Ministry of Finance (Govt. Gazette YODD 104/6.3.2015), Ms Angeliki Skandaliari was appointed as representative of the Hellenic Republic on the Bank's Board (as non-executive member), in replacement of Mr Alexandros Makridis, who resigned.

[This item usually includes announcements regarding issues that the Board of Directors wishes to bring to the attention of the GM, but which do not require voting or decision taking.]

(\*) with the exception of common shares issued in favor of the HFSF (under article 7a par. 3 of Law 3864/2010)



#### ANNEX 1

#### How shareholders can exercise their shareholder rights

In accordance with Articles 26 par. 2, par. 2b and 28a of Codified Law 2190/1920, as amended and supplemented by, respectively, Articles 3 and 6 of Law 3884/2010, the Bank informs shareholders of the following:

#### ENTITLEMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GENERAL MEETING

Any person listed as a shareholder (i.e. holder of common registered shares of the Bank) in the registry of the Dematerialized Securities System managed by Hellenic Exchanges S.A. ("HELEX"), at the start of the 5th day prior to the date of the General Meeting, i.e. on 14 June 2015 ("Record Date"), is entitled to participate in the GM. Each common share is entitled to one vote.

If this is the case, at the 1st Repeat General Meeting any person listed as a shareholder, as above, on 28 June 2015, i.e. at a the start of the 4th day prior to the date of the 1st Repeat GM of 2 July 2015 is entitled to participate in the said GM. In the case of the 2nd Repeat GM, shareholder status must exist on 10 July 2015, i.e. at the start of the 4th day prior to the date of the 2nd Repeat GM of 14 July 2015.

Under article 1 of Law 3723/2008, the Bank's preference shares of Law 3723/2008 entitle the representative of their holder (the Hellenic Republic) to attend the Meeting. The Hellenic Financial Stability Fund participates in the AGM, as per Law 3864/2010, as amended.

Proof of shareholder status should be provided by presenting to the Bank relevant certification from HELEX or alternatively through direct electronic link-up of the Bank with the records of the Dematerialized Securities System of HELEX. The relevant written certification by HELEX or the electronic verification of shareholder status must have been received by the Bank by 16 June 2015 at the latest, i.e. on the 3rd day prior to the date of the AGM. The same deadline, i.e. the third day at the latest prior to the date thereof, also applies to the Repeat General Meetings. Specifically, with respect to the 1st Repeat GM, the certification or verification of shareholder status must have been received by the Bank by 29 June 2015 at the latest, while with respect to the 2nd Repeat GM, by 11 July 2015 at the latest.

Shareholders who are legal entities must also, by the same deadline, file, pursuant to the law, their legalisation documents, unless these documents have already been filed with our Bank, in which case it is sufficient to state where they have been filed in the relevant proxy form.

Shareholders who do not comply with the provisions of Article 28a of CL 2190/1920, as above, may participate in the GM only after the Meeting has authorized them to do so. To exercise the said rights, it is not necessary to block the shares or follow any other similar process that may restrict the ability to sell and transfer shares in the period between the Record Date and the General Meeting.

#### PROCEDURE FOR VOTING BY PROXY

A Shareholder may participate in the General Meeting and vote either in person or by proxy. Each shareholder may appoint up to 3 proxy holders. Legal entities may participate in the General Meeting by appointing up to 3 natural persons as proxy holders. However, if the shareholder owns shares in the Bank that are held in more than one Investor Securities



Account, such limitation shall not prevent the shareholder from appointing, in respect of the AGM, separate proxy holders for the shares appearing in each Account. A proxy holder holding proxies from several shareholders may cast votes differently for each shareholder. Before the General Meeting commences, the proxy holder must disclose to the Bank any particular facts that may be of relevance for shareholders in assessing the risk that the proxy holder may pursue interests other than those of the shareholder. Within the meaning intended in this paragraph, a conflict of interest may arise in particular when the proxy holder is: (i) a controlling shareholder of the Bank or is another entity controlled by such shareholder; (ii) a member of the Board of Directors or in general the management of the Bank, or of a controlling shareholder or an entity controlled by such shareholder; (iv) a spouse or close relative (1st degree) of a natural person referred to in (i) to (iii) hereinabove.

The appointment and revocation of appointment of a proxy holder shall be made in writing and shall be notified to the Bank in writing at least 3 days prior to the date of the General Meeting.

To participate in the AGM either in person or by proxy, shareholders are kindly requested to fill in and submit to the Bank the form "DECLARATION – AUTHORIZATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE AGM OF SHAREHOLDERS OF NATIONAL BANK OF GREECE TO BE HELD ON 19/06/2015, AND ANY REPEAT MEETINGS THEREOF". The Bank shall make available the said form on its website (www.nbg.gr) and through its Branch network. The said form, filled in and signed by the shareholder, must be filed with the Bank's Subdivision for Governance of NBG Shareholder Register & Shareholder Affairs (ground floor, 93 Eolou St., Athens) or any branch of the Bank's network, or, filled in and signed by the shareholder, sent by fax to +30 2103343404, 2103343406 and 2103343410, or by e-mail to inikol@nbg.gr at least 3 days prior to the date of the General Meeting. Shareholders should confirm that the appointment-of-proxy form has been successfully received by the Bank by calling +30 2103343415, 2103343421, 2103343436 and 2103343411.

## ANNEX 2

## BALLOT PAPER FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS 19 JUNE 2015 (and of any adjourned or postponed meetings thereof)

|         | (and of any adjourned or postponed meetings ther   | 1  |         |
|---------|--|----|---------|
|         |  | NO | ABSTAIN |
| ITEM 1: | Submission for approval of the Board of Directors' Report<br>on the Annual Financial Statements of the Bank and the<br>Group for the financial year 2014 (1.1.2014 – 31.12.2014),<br>and submission of the respective Auditors' Report for<br>information purposes.  |    |         |
| ITEM 2: | Submission for approval of the Annual Financial Statements of the Bank and the Group for the financial year 2014 (1.1.2014 – 31.12.2014).  |    |         |
| ITEM 3: | Discharge of the members of the Board of Directors and<br>the Auditors of the Bank, of ETHNIKI KEFALAIOU S.A.<br>(absorbed through merger), and ETHNODATA S.A.<br>(absorbed through merger) from any liability for indemnity<br>regarding the Annual Financial Statements and<br>management for the year 2014 (1.1.2014 – 31.12.2014).   |    |         |
| ITEM 4: | Election of regular and substitute Certified Auditors for the<br>purposes of the audit of the Financial Statements of the<br>Bank and the Financial Statements of the Group for the<br>year 2015, and determination of their remuneration.   |    |         |
| ITEM 5: | Election of a new Board of Directors and appointment of independent non-executive members pursuant to the provisions of Law 3016/2002, as amended.   |    |         |
| ITEM 6: | Approval of the remuneration of the Board of Directors of<br>the Bank and of ETHNIKI KEFALAIOU S.A., which was<br>absorbed through merger, for the financial year 2014<br>(pursuant to Article 24 par. 2 of CL 2190/1920).<br>Determination of the remuneration of the Chairman of the<br>Board, the CEO, the Deputy CEO and non-executive<br>Directors through to the AGM of 2016. Approval, for the<br>financial year 2014, of the remuneration of the Bank's<br>Directors in their capacity as members of the Bank's Audit,<br>Corporate Governance & Nominations, Human Resources<br>& Remuneration, Risk Management, and Strategy<br>Committees, and determination of their remuneration<br>through to the AGM of 2016. Approval of contracts of the<br>Bank with members of the Board, under Article 23a of<br>CL 2190/1920. |    |         |
| ITEM 7: | Granting of permission, pursuant to Article 23 par. 1 of CL 2190/1920 and Article 30 par. 1 of the Bank's Articles of Association, for Board Members, General Managers, Assistant General Managers and Managers to participate on the Board of Directors or in the management of NBG Group companies pursuing similar or related business goals.   |    |         |
| ITEM 8: | Election of regular and subsitute members of the Audit Committee.  |    |         |



| ITEM 9:  | Amendment of Article 24 par. 2 and 3 of the Bank's Articles of Association.   |  |  |
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| ITEM 10: | Approval of the commitment of funds amounting to €3,013,550.23 from the taxable reserve of account 41 04 00 00 00, and the creation of an equivalent special taxed reserve to cover the Bank's own participation in the NSRF program (ICT4GROWTH action), and non-distribution of the amount before the lapse of five years from the completion and commencement of the production phase of the investment. |  |  |
| ITEM 11: | Authorization for the Board to increase the Bank's share capital, as per Article 13 of CL 2190/1920, and/or arrange the issue of convertible bond loans, as per Article 3a of CL 2190/1920 and Article 5 of the Bank's Articles of Association, as amended.   |  |  |
| ITEM 12: | Various announcements and approvals.  |  |  |





NATIONAL BANK OF GREECE

# Number of shares and voting rights

In line with the provisions of Article 27 par. 3(b) of Codified Law 2190/1920, as amended, National Bank of Greece hereby discloses the total number of shares and voting rights existing as at 28/05/2015, the date of the invitation to shareholders to attend the Bank's forthcoming Annual General Meeting:

- 3,533,149,631 common registered shares with the right to vote at the Extraordinary General Meeting;
- 12,639,831 redeemable non-voting non-cumulative preference shares, as specified in Article 4.2.xlvii of the Bank's Articles of Association, without the right to vote at the Extraordinary General Meeting;
- 270,000,000 redeemable preference shares under Law 3723/2008 held by the Hellenic Republic, as stated in Article 4.2.xlix and 4.2.liv of the Bank's Articles of Association, with the rights provided under Law 3723/2008 to the representative of the Hellenic Republic.



#### DECLARATION – AUTHORIZATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE AGM OF SHAREHOLDERS OF NATIONAL BANK OF GREECE TO BE HELD ON 19/06/2015, AND ANY REPEAT MEETINGS THEREOF

To National Bank of Greece S.A. Subdivision for Governance of NBG Shareholder Register & Shareholder Affairs 93 Eolou St., Athens 10232

#### SHAREHOLDER'S PARTICULARS

| NATURAL PERSON  |                        | <u> </u>      | LEGAL ENTITY                             |  |  |
|---|------------------------|---------------|--|--|--|
| Surname:  |                        |               | Name:                                    |  |  |
| First name:   |                        |               | Representative:                          |  |  |
| Father's name:  |                        |               | Authorized                               |  |  |
| Type of ID:   | ID card 🗆              | Passport      | Contact Person:                          |  |  |
| ID card/Passport<br>No.:                              |                        |               | Registered Office:                       |  |  |
| Telephone No.:  |                        |               | Telephone No.:                           |  |  |
| INVESTOR CODE<br>NUMBER/ACCOUNT:                      |                        |               | INVESTOR CODE<br>NUMBER/ACCOUNT:         |  |  |
| Share   |                        |               | N  | umber of shares  |  |
|   | 5003003019             |               |  |  |  |
| NATIONAL B  | ANK OF GREECE          | S.A.          | AUTHORIZATION                            |  |  |
| Shareholders of Natio                                 | nal Bank of Gree       | ece to be h   | eld on 19/06/2015 and repea              | ne in the <b>Annual General Meeting of</b><br>t <b>meetings, if any,</b> declaring in advance<br>proxy to appoint another proxy to act for |  |
| him/her in the event of in<br>It is hereby certified* | npediment.             |               |  |  |  |
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|   | 1                      | 1             |  | The Shareholder  |  |
|   |                        |               |  |  |  |
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| (*by the Greek consulate authorities or any NBG brand |                        |               | G branch)                                | (Shareholder's signature)  |  |
| Note for Natural Persons:                             |                        |               |  |  |  |
|   | ·                      | all be unders | stood that you will participate in perso |  |  |
| (93 Eolou St., Athens, grour                          | nd floor) or to any br | anch of the I | Bank, or by fax to: +30 2103343404, +    | BG Shareholder Register & Shareholder Affairs<br>30 2103343406, +30 2103343410 and +30 210<br>eat GM of 02/07/2015 by Monday 29/06/2015    |  |

at the latest, and for the 2nd Repeat GM of 14/07/2015 by Saturday 11/07/2015 at the latest.