

Transparency notification by Artisan Partners Limited Partnership and Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc.

1. Summary of the notification

In accordance with article 14 § 1 of the law of May 2, 2007 on disclosure of major shareholdings, Groupe Bruxelles Lambert (“GBL”) has received a transparency notification dated December 19, 2022 indicating that as of December 13, 2022 Artisan Partners Limited Partnership and Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc. held 4.97% of GBL’s voting rights.

2. Content of the notification

The notification dated December 19, 2022 contains the following information:

- Reason for the notification:
 - Acquisition or disposal of voting securities or voting rights
 - Downward crossing of the lowest threshold
- Notification by a parent undertaking or a controlling person
- Persons subject to the notification requirement:
 - Artisan Partners Limited Partnership
 - Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc.
- Transaction date: December 13, 2022
- Threshold that is crossed (below): 5%
- Denominator: 207,110,820
- Notified details:

A. Voting rights

| Holders of voting rights | Previous notification | After the transaction | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| | # voting rights | # of voting rights linked to securities | # voting rights not linked to securities | % voting rights linked to securities | % voting rights not linked to securities |
| Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| Artisan Partners Limited Partnership | 10,560,831 | 10,299,670 | 0 | 4.97% | 0.00% |
| Total | 10,560,831 | 10,299,670 | 0 | 4.97% | 0.00% |

B. Equivalent financial instruments

| Holders of equivalent financial instruments | Type of financial instruments | Expiration date | Exercise period or date | # of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised | % of voting rights | Settlement |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--|--------------------|------------|
| - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Total | | | | 0 | 0.00% | |

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|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Total A+B | # of voting rights | % of voting rights |
| | 10,299,670 | 4.97% |

- Chain of controlled undertakings through which the holding is effectively held:

Artisan Partners Limited Partnership ("APLP"), a U.S. registered investment adviser, is a limited partnership organized under the laws of the State of Delaware. APLP is controlled by Artisan Investments GP LLC ("Artisan LLC"), a limited liability company organized under the laws of the State of Delaware. Artisan LLC is controlled by Artisan Partners Holdings LP. Artisan Partners Holdings LP is controlled by Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc. Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc. is not a controlled entity.

This press release is available on [GBL's website](#).

The detailed notification can be found [here](#).



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About Groupe Bruxelles Lambert

Groupe Bruxelles Lambert (“GBL”) is an established investment holding company, with over sixty years of stock exchange listing, a net asset value of EUR 17.2 billion and a market capitalization of EUR 11.0 billion at the end of September 2022. GBL is a leading investor in Europe, focused on long-term value creation and relying on a stable and supportive family shareholder base. GBL is both a responsible company and investor and perceives ESG factors as being inextricably linked to value creation.

GBL aims to maintain a diversified high-quality portfolio of listed and private assets as well as alternative investments (through Sienna, the group’s alternative investment platform), composed of global companies that are leaders in their sector, to which it can contribute to value creation by being an active professional investor.

GBL is focused on delivering meaningful growth by providing attractive returns to its shareholders through a combination of growth in its net asset value, a sustainable dividend and share buybacks and cancellations.

GBL is listed on Euronext Brussels (Ticker: GBLB BB; ISIN code: BE0003797140) and is included in the BEL20 index.