

Appendix 3Y

Change of Director's Interest Notice

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Name of entity	Cochlear Limited
ABN	96 002 618 073

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	Diggory William Howitt
Date of last notice	16 November 2017

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) <small>Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.</small>	Not applicable
Date of change	1 March 2018
No. of securities held prior to change	(a) 25,311 Shares (b) 5,970 Options (c) 75,899 LTI Options (d) 4,909 LTI Performance Rights (e) 1,734 STI Deferral Performance Rights

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Class	<p>(a) fully paid ordinary shares in Cochlear Limited (“shares”)</p> <p>(b) options over fully paid ordinary shares (“Options”)</p> <p>(c) long term incentive options subject to performance hurdles and vesting timeframes (“LTI Options”)</p> <p>(d) long term incentive share rights subject to performance hurdles and vesting timeframes (“LTI Performance Rights”)</p> <p>(e) short term incentive share rights subject to the vesting timeframe (“STI Deferral Performance Rights”)</p>
Number acquired	5,970 Shares
Number disposed	Nil
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation</small>	\$68.56 per share
No. of securities held after change	<p>(a) 31,281 Shares</p> <p>(b) nil Options</p> <p>(c) 75,899 LTI Options</p> <p>(d) 4,909 LTI Performance Rights</p> <p>(e) 1,734 STI Deferral Performance Rights</p>
Nature of change <small>Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back</small>	Exercise of Options

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Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	N/A
Nature of interest	N/A
Name of registered holder (if issued securities)	N/A
Date of change	N/A
No. and class of securities to which interest related prior to change <small>Note: Details are only required for a contract in relation to which the interest has changed</small>	N/A
Interest acquired	N/A
Interest disposed	N/A
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation</small>	N/A
Interest after change	N/A

Part 3 – +Closed period

Were the interests in the securities or contracts detailed above traded during a +closed period where prior written clearance was required?	No
If so, was prior written clearance provided to allow the trade to proceed during this period?	Not applicable
If prior written clearance was provided, on what date was this provided?	Not applicable

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