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James Hardie Industries plc

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27 December 2018

The Manager
Company Announcements Office
Australian Securities Exchange Limited
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Dear Sir/Madam

Substantial Holding Notice

As required under ASX Listing Rule 3.17.3 please see attached a copy of the substantial holding notice received by James Hardie on 21 December 2018.

Yours faithfully

Natasha Mercer
Company Secretary

James Hardie Industries plc is a limited liability company incorporated in Ireland with its registered office at Europa House, Harcourt Centre, Harcourt Street, Dublin 2, Ireland.

Directors: Michael Hammes (Chairman, USA), Brian Anderson (USA), Russell Chenu (Australia), Andrea Gisle Joosen (Sweden), David Harrison (USA), Persio Lisboa (USA), Alison Littley (United Kingdom), Anne Lloyd (USA), Rada Rodriguez (Sweden), Rudy van der Meer (Netherlands).

Chief Executive Officer and Director: Louis Gries (USA)

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Commonwealth Bank

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James Hardie Industries PLC
Group Company Secretary
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21st December 2018

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Disclosure of Holding above 7% Threshold.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia ("CBA") on behalf of its subsidiaries: ASB Group Investments Limited, Avanteos Investments Limited, Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) Limited, Colonial First State Investments Limited, Commonwealth Bank Officers Superannuation Corporation Pty Limited and Realindex Investments Pty Limited have a requirement to make subsequent disclosure under Section 1048/1050 of the Companies Act 2014.

These entities have an aggregated interest in James Hardie Industries PLC, Chess Depository Interests of 7.022% ordinary share capital, as at 19th December 2018. This is based upon a total of 31,054,175 shares held and a total of 442,263,913 voting rights on issue.

A previous announcement of 6.026% interest in relevant share capital was disclosed on the 17th August 2018 for value date 13th August 2018.

The holdings dissection between entities within CBA before notification obligation on 18th December 2018:

Entity	Registered Holder	Holdings of CDIs	Relevant Interest %
Commonwealth Bank Officers Superannuation Corporation Pty Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	867,293	0.196%
ASB Group Investments Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	315,940	0.071%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Northern Trust Company	719,130	0.163%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	3,229,144	0.730%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	3,471,782	0.785%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	938,777	0.212%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	1097765	0.248%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	JP Morgan Chase Bank NA	91,113	0.021%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	National Bank Nominees Pty Limited	25,547	0.006%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	HSBC Bank Australia Limited	177,131	0.040%
Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	11,834,018	2.676%
Avanteos Investments Limited	Avanteos Investments Limited	778,992	0.176%
Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	6,817,325	1.541%
Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) Limited	Avanteos Investments Limited	6,882	0.002%
Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) Limited	Nomura Bank (Luxembourg) S.A.	183,888	0.042%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	UBS Nominees Pty Ltd	86,252	0.020%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Goldman Sachs (Asia) L.L.C	17,837	0.004%
Total		30,658,816	6.932%

The holdings dissection between entities within CBA after notification obligation on 19th December 2018:

Entity	Registered Holder	Holdings of CDIs	Relevant Interest %
Commonwealth Bank Officers Superannuation Corporation Pty Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	867,293	0.196%
ASB Group Investments Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	315,940	0.071%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Northern Trust Company	828,080	0.187%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	3,400,592	0.769%
Colonial First State Investments Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	3,489,551	0.789%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	1,095,164	0.248%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	1,097,765	0.248%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	JP Morgan Chase Bank NA	91,113	0.021%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	National Bank Nominees Pty Limited	29,808	0.007%
Realindex Investments Pty Limited	HSBC Bank Australia Limited	213,089	0.048%
Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) Limited	Citibank N A Hong Kong	11,734,018	2.653%
Avanteos Investments Limited	Avanteos Investments Limited	779,578	0.176%
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Total		31,054,175	7.022%

Transactions giving rise to notification:

Date of Change	Registered Company	Class	Transaction Type	Number of Securities	Cash Consideration
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Avanteos Investments Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	294	4,399.94
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Avanteos Investments Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	154	2,304.73
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	Chess Depository Receipts	Sale	520	7,819.29
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Avanteos Investments Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	31	463.94
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Avanteos Investments Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	107	1,601.34
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	HSBC Bank Australia Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	1,681	25,282.24
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Citibank N A Hong Kong	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	150,139	2,258,090.56
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Citibank N A Hong Kong	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	171,448	2,577,840.69
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Northern Trust Company	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	108,950	1,638,139.52
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Citibank N A Hong Kong	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	6,248	93,969.92
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited (Australia)	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	18,289	275,066.56
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Citibank N A Hong Kong	Chess Depository Receipts	Sale	100,000	1,503,680.00
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	National Bank Nominees Pty Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	4,261	64,085.44
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	HSBC Bank Australia Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	8,415	126,561.60
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	HSBC Bank Australia Limited	Chess Depository Receipts	Purchase	25,862	388,964.48

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Yours Faithfully

Anitha Subramanian
Head of Accounting and Reporting Operations
Commonwealth Bank of Australia