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20 March 2024

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 copy of the substantial holding notice received by James Hardie on 18 March 2024.

Regards

**Aoife Rockett**  
**Company Secretary**

*This announcement has been authorised for release by the Company Secretary, Ms Aoife Rockett.*

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Dear Sir/Madam

#### **Notification of change in disclosable interest under the Companies Act 2014**

This notification is given in fulfillment of the duty imposed pursuant to Section 1048 and/or Section 1050 of the Companies Act 2014.

Challenger Limited on behalf of its subsidiary Fidante Partners Limited has a relevant share capital holding (as defined in Section 1047 of the Companies Act 2014) in James Hardie Industries PLC (**JHX**) which requires disclosure under Section 1048 and/or Section 1050 of the Companies Act 2014 as first notified to JHX on 23 October 2018.

On 14 March 2024, there was a change in the share capital held by the Challenger Companies such that the shareholding decreased through a percentage point, with the Challenger Companies having an aggregated interest in JHX of 3.9344% of ordinary share capital (being a reduction from 4.9284%) which is held as set out in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to this letter.

If you have any questions in relation to the above, please contact me at +61 2 9994 7094.

Kind regards



Linda Matthews  
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Challenger Limited

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Challenger Life Company Limited ABN 44 072 486 938 AFSL 234670 | Challenger Investment Partners Limited ABN 29 092 382 842 AFSL 234 678  
Challenger Retirement and Investment Services Limited ABN 80 115 534 453 AFSL295642 RSE Licence No. L0001304  
Challenger Mortgage Management Pty Ltd ABN 72 087 271 109 | Challenger Securitisation Management Pty Ltd ABN 56 100 346 898 AFSL 244593  
Challenger Investment Solutions Management Pty Ltd ABN 63 130 035 353 AFSL 487354

Schedule 1

Part 1

Registered Holder	Number of Chess Depository Interests	Held %
J. P. Morgan Nominees Australia Pty Limited	5,542,877	1.2722%
Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited	5,119,454	1.1750%
National Nominees Limited	1,270,260	0.2916%
HSBC Custody Nominees (Australia) Limited	4,888,900	1.1221%
BNP Paribas Nominees Pty Limited	257,279	0.0591%
UBS Nominees Pty Limited	62,668	0.0144%
		3.9344%