### Form 603

Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

# Notice of initial substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme	Bega Cheese Limited
ACN/ARSN	008 358 503
Details of substantial holder (1)	
Name	Vanguard Group (The Vanguard Group, Inc. and its controlled entities including those
ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	listed in Annexure A) N/A
The holder became a substantial holder on	14 October 2019

### 2. Details of voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Ordinary	10,750,689	10,750,689	5.018%

## 3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
Vanguard Group	Vanguard Group is the manager of various Mutual funds and accounts and in that capacity has the power to dispose of the shares. The other members of Vanguard Group have a relevant interest under section 608(3) of the Corporations Act.	Ordinary – 10,750,689

# 4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant	Registered holder of	Person entitled to be	Class and
interest	securities	registered as holder (8)	number of securities
Vanguard Group	Brown Brothers Harriman	Various funds and accounts of Vanguard Group	Ordinary – 90,951
Vanguard Group	BNY Melion	Various funds and accounts of Vanguard Group	Ordinary – 783,669
Vanguard Group	JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A.	Various funds and accounts of Vanguard Group	Ordinary 5,710,081
Vanguard Group	State Street Bank and Trust Company	Various funds and accounts of Vanguard Group	Ordinary – 1,386,053
Vanguard Group	Various others	Various funds and accounts of Vanguard Group	Ordinary 2,779,935

#### 5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	elevant interest Date of acquisition		Class and number of securities	
See Annexure A				

## 6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
N/A	NA

# 7. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
	P.O. Box 2600, V26 Valley Forge, PA 19482 USA

sign here HAWN Acker capacity Compliance Manager

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 7 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (5) The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme (if any) that the person or an Associate has a relevant interest in.
- (6) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.
- (7) Include details of:
  - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances by which the relevant interest was acquired. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
  - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

- (8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. if the relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".
- (9) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, moneys and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest has acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder of its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.

To Company ACN/ARSN

Bega Cheese Limited 008 358 503

Substantial Holder Name

Vanguard Group N/A

ACN/ARSN

			Consideration	<b>T</b>		
Data of share		Nature of	given in relation		Number of securities	Person's votes
Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed		to change(7)	Class	affected	affected
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	4.94	Ordinary	(1,083)	(1,083)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	4.92	Ordinary	(1,083)	(1,083)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	вич	4.77	Ordinary	75,292	75,292
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	BUY	4.50	Ordinary	91,953	91,953
	The Vanguard Group, Inc. The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	4.47	Ordinary	(1,444)	(1,444)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	3.95	Ordinary	(4,752)	(4,752)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	3.95	Ordinary	(4,752)	(4,752)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL SELL	3.97	Ordinary	(1,805)	(1,805)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	4.00	Ordinary	(2,527)	(2,527)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	3.95	Ordinary	(2,166)	(2,166)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	3.90 4.00	Ordinary	(1,584)	(1,584)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	BUY	4.41	Ordinary Ordinary	(1,584)	(1,584)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	4.37	Ordinary	1,083	1,083
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	SELL	4.57	Ordinary	(3,168)	(3,168)
	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	BUY	4.50	Ordinary	(7,467) 25,001	(7,467)
	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.86	Ordinary	1,840	25,001 1,840
	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.86	Ordinary	2,160	2,160
	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	5.05	Ordinary	29,401	29,401
21-Jun-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	5.05	Ordinary	1,620	1,620
25-Jun-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.93	Ordinary	1,850	1,850
27-Jun-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.87	Ordinary	1,890	1,890
	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.81	Ordinary	3,288	3,288
	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.56	Ordinary	1,644	1,644
9-Jul-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.54	Ordinary	1,644	1,644
9-Jul-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.54	Ordinary	34,847	34,847
11-Jul-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.63	Ordinary	1,686	1,686
16-Jul-2019	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.49	Ordinary	3,384	3,384
	Vanguard Investments Australia Ltd.	BUY	4.44	Ordinary	2,730	2,730
30-Jul-2019		BUY	4.47	Ordinary	3,102	3,102
		BUY	3.98	Ordinary	1,818	1,818
		BUY	3.96	Ordinary	2,592	2,592
		BUY	3.96	Ordinary	2,592	2,592
8-Aug-2019		BUY	3.94	Ordinary	3,102	3,102
		BUY	4.00	Ordinary	4,610	4,610
		BUY	4.04	Ordinary	3,091	3,091
27-Aug-2019		BUY	3.80	Ordinary	84,376	84,376
		BUY	3.80	Ordinary	40,170	40,170
		SELL	4.00	Ordinary	(3,752)	(3,752)
		BUY	4.00	Ordinary	1,876	1,876
		BUY	4.00	Ordinary	6,094	6,094
		BUY	4.00	Ordinary	25,272	25,272
10-Sep-2019		BUY	4.20	Ordinary	2,826	2,826
17-Sep-2019		BUY	****	Ordinary	4,940	4,940
		BUY	4.62	Ordinary	2,590	2,590
		BUY	4.66	Ordinary	3,900	3,900
		BUY	4.60	Ordinary	3,640	3,640
		BUY	4.55	Ordinary	2,829	2,829
		BUY	4.55	Ordinary	3,108	3,108
		BUY		Ordinary	4,902	4,902
		SELL	4.55	Ordinary	(6,192)	(6,192)
		BUY		Ordinary	4,369	4,369
		BUY		Ordinary	3,768	3,768
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				Ordinary	2,056	2,056
15-001-2015	anguaru mvesuments Australia Ltu.	BUY	4.50	Ordinary	27,500	27,500

### Annexure A

This is Annexure A of 2 pages referred to his form 603, Notice of initial s	ubstantial holder.
Name: Shawn Acker	
Capacity: Compliance Manager	
Date: 16 October 2019	