

Notification of dividend / distribution

Announcement Summary

Entity name

QBE INSURANCE GROUP LIMITED

Security on which the Distribution will be paid

QBE - ORDINARY FULLY PAID

Announcement Type

New announcement

Date of this announcement

Tuesday August 18, 2015

Distribution Amount

AUD 0.20000000

Ex Date

Wednesday August 26, 2015

Record Date

Friday August 28, 2015

Payment Date

Friday October 2, 2015

DRP election date

Monday August 31, 2015 17:00:00

Refer to below for full details of the announcement

Announcement Details

Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

1.1 Name of +Entity

QBE INSURANCE GROUP LIMITED

1.2 Registered Number Type

ABN

Registration Number

28008485014

1.3 ASX issuer code

QBE

1.4 The announcement is

New announcement

1.5 Date of this announcement

Tuesday August 18, 2015



1.6 ASX +Security Code

QBE

ASX +Security Description

ORDINARY FULLY PAID

Part 2A - All dividends/distributions basic details

2A.1 Type of dividend/distribution

Ordinary

2A.2 The Dividend/distribution:

relates to a period of six months

2A.3 The dividend/distribution relates to the financial reporting or payment period ending ended/ending (date)

Tuesday June 30, 2015

2A.4 +Record Date

Friday August 28, 2015

2A.5 Ex Date

Wednesday August 26, 2015

2A.6 Payment Date

Friday October 2, 2015

2A.7 Are any of the below approvals required for the dividend/distribution before business day 0 of the timetable?

- Security holder approval
- Court approval
- Lodgement of court order with +ASIC
- ACCC approval
- FIRB approval
- Another approval/condition external to the entity required before business day 0 of the timetable for the dividend/distribution.

No

2A.8 Currency in which the dividend/distribution is made ("primary currency")

AUD - Australian Dollar

2A.9 Total dividend/distribution payment amount per +security (in primary currency) for all dividends/distributions notified in this form

AUD 0.20000000

2A.10 Does the entity have arrangements relating to the currency in which the dividend/distribution is paid to securityholders that it wishes to disclose to the market?

Yes



2A.11 Does the entity have a securities plan for dividends/distributions on this +security?

We have a Dividend/Distribution Reinvestment Plan (DRP)

We have a Bonus +Security Plan or equivalent (BSP)

2A.11a If the +entity has a DRP, is the DRP applicable to this dividend/distribution?

Yes

2A.11b If the +entity has a BSP, is the BSP applicable to this dividend/distribution?

Yes

2A.12 Does the +entity have tax component information apart from franking?

No

2A.11a(i) DRP Status in respect of this dividend/distribution

Full DRP

2A.11b(i) BSP status in respect of this dividend/distribution

Full BSP offered

Part 2B - Currency Information

2B.1 Does the entity default to payment in certain currencies dependent upon certain attributes such as the banking instruction or registered address of the +securityholder? (For example NZD to residents of New Zealand and/or USD to residents of the U.S.A.).

No

2B.2 Please provide a description of your currency arrangements

All QBE shareholders may nominate an account with a financial institution in Australia or New Zealand for receipt of their dividend payments. If a shareholder provides Australian dividend account details, they are paid in Australian dollars. Shareholders who provide New Zealand account details will be paid in New Zealand dollars.

Part 3A - Ordinary dividend/distribution

3A.1 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution estimated at this time?

No

3A.1a Ordinary dividend/distribution estimated amount per +security

AUD

3A.1b Ordinary Dividend/distribution amount per security

AUD 0.20000000

3A.2 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution franked?

Yes

3A.3 Percentage of ordinary dividend/distribution that is franked

100.0000 %

3A.4 Ordinary dividend/distribution franked

AUD 0.20000000

amount per +security

3A.2a Is the ordinary dividend/distribution fully

franked?

Yes

3A.3a Applicable corporate tax rate for franking credit (%)

30.0000 %

3A.5 Percentage amount of dividend which is

unfranked 0.0000 %



3A.6 Ordinary dividend/distribution unfranked amount per +security excluding conduit foreign income amount

AUD 0.00000000

3A.7 Ordinary dividend/distribution conduit foreign income amount per security AUD

Part 4A - +Dividend reinvestment plan (DRP)

4A.1 What is the default option if +security holders do not indicate whether they want to participate in the DRP?

Do not participate in DRP (i.e. cash payment)

4A.2 Last date and time for lodgement of election notices to share registry under DRP

Monday August 31, 2015 17:00:00

4A.3 DRP discount rate

0.0000 %

4A.4 Period of calculation of reinvestment price

Start Date

Tuesday September 1, 2015

End Date

Monday September 14, 2015

4A.5 DRP price calculation methodology

The daily volume weighted average market price per QBE Ordinary Fully Paid Share sold in the ordinary course of the 10 trading days between Tuesday, 1 September 2015 and Monday, 14 September 2015 inclusive on the market operated by ASX Limited, rounded to the nearest cent.

4A.6 DRP Price (including any discount): 4A.7 DRP +securities +issue date

AUD Friday October 2, 2015

4A.8 Will DRP +securities be a new issue?

4A.8a Do DRP +securities rank pari passu from

+issue date?

Yes Yes

4A.9 Is there a minimum dollar amount or number of +securities required for DRP participation?

Yes

4A.9a Minimum number of +securities required

for DRP participation 100

4A.9b Minimum amount for DRP participation

AUD

4A.10 Is there a maximum dollar amount or number of +securities required for DRP participation?

4A.11 Are there any other conditions applying to DRP participation?

No

4A.12 Link to a copy of the DRP plan rules

www.group.gbe.com/investorcentre/dividends/dividendreinvestmentplanbooklet



4A.13 Further information about the DRP

Participation in the DRP is restricted to shareholders who are resident in, and whose address on the register of shareholders is in, Australia or New Zealand.

Part 4B - Bonus +security plan or equivalent (BSP)

4B.1 What is the default option if +security holders do not indicate whether they want to participate in the BSP?

Do not participate in BSP (i.e. cash payment)

4B.2 Last date and time for lodgement of election notices to share registry under BSP

Monday August 31, 2015 17:00:00

4B.4 Period of calculation of BSP price

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Tuesday September 1, 2015

4B.5 BSP price calculation methodology

4B.3 BSP discount rate

0.0000 %

End Date

Monday September 14, 2015

The daily volume weighted average market price per QBE Ordinary Fully Paid share sold in the ordinary course of the 10 trading days between Tuesday, 1 September 2015 and Monday, 14 September 2015 inclusive on the market operated by ASX Limited, rounded to the nearest cent.

4B.6 BSP Price

AUD 0.0000

Start Date

4B.8 Will BSP +securities be a new issue?

Yes

4B.7 BSP +securities +issue date

Friday October 2, 2015

4B.8a Do BSP +securities rank pari passu from

+issue date?

Yes

4B.9 Is there a minimum dollar amount or number of +securities required for BSP participation?

4B.9a Minimum number of +securities required for BSP participation

4B.9b Minimum amount for BSP participation
AUD

100

No

4B.10 Is there a maximum dollar amount or number of +securities required for BSP participation?

4B.11 Are there any other conditions applying to BSP participation?

4B.12 Link to a copy of the BSP plan rules

www.group.gbe.com/investorcentre/dividends/bonusshareplanbooklet

4B.13 Further information about the BSP

Part 5 - Further information



5.1 Please provide any further information applicable to this dividend/distribution

5.2 Additional information for inclusion in the Announcement Summary