



## Announcement Summary

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**Entity name**

COLES GROUP LIMITED.

**Security on which the Distribution will be paid**

COL - ORDINARY FULLY PAID

**Announcement Type**

New announcement

**Date of this announcement**

27/2/2024

**Distribution Amount**

AUD 0.36000000

**Ex Date**

5/3/2024

**Record Date**

6/3/2024

**Payment Date**

27/3/2024

**DRP election date**

Thursday March 7, 2024 17:00:00

**Refer to below for full details of the announcement**



## Announcement Details

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### Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

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**1.1 Name of +Entity**

COLES GROUP LIMITED.

**1.2 Registered Number Type**

ABN

**Registration Number**

11004089936

**1.3 ASX issuer code**

COL

**1.4 The announcement is**

New announcement

**1.5 Date of this announcement**

27/2/2024

**1.6 ASX +Security Code**

COL

**ASX +Security Description**

ORDINARY FULLY PAID

### Part 2A - All dividends/distributions basic details

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**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)**

31/12/2023

**2A.4 +Record Date**

6/3/2024

**2A.5 Ex Date**

5/3/2024

**2A.6 Payment Date**

27/3/2024

**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 0.36000000

**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)

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

Yes

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

Full DRP

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

No

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**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.).**

Yes

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

Coles' shareholders will be paid dividends by direct credit into their bank account in Australian dollars (AUD), Pound Sterling (GBP), or New Zealand Dollars (NZD) provided valid banking instructions have been received by Coles' share registrar, Computershare, no later than 17:00 (AEDT) on 7 March 2024.

Coles' shareholders who do not provide their credit details:

(i) will receive dividend payments by way of cheque in Australian dollars, if the shareholder has a registered address outside of Australia or New Zealand; or

(ii) if the shareholder has a registered address in Australia or New Zealand, in accordance with Coles' implementation of mandatory direct credit payment, the shareholder's dividends will be held on the shareholder's behalf in a non-interest bearing account until the shareholder's nominated bank account details are received by Computershare (after which time the shareholder's payment will be made on the next scheduled periodic payment date).

**2B.2a Other currency/currencies in which the dividend/distribution will be paid:**

Currency	Payment currency equivalent amount per security
GBP - Pound Sterling	GBP



NZD - New Zealand Dollar

NZD

**2B.2b Please provide the exchange rates used for non-primary currency payments**

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**2B.2c If payment currency equivalent and exchange rates not known, date for information to be released****Estimated or Actual?**  
Estimated

12/3/2024

**2B.3 Can the securityholder choose to receive a currency different to the currency they would receive under the default arrangements?**

Yes

**2B.3a Please describe what choices are available to a securityholder to receive a currency different to the currency they would receive under the default arrangements**

As described in 2B.2a
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**2B.3b Date and time by which any document or communication relating to the above arrangements must be received in order to be effective for this dividend/distribution**

Thursday March 7, 2024 17:00:00

**2B.3c Please provide, or indicate where relevant forms can be obtained and how and where they must be lodged**

Currency elections or any questions can be directed to Computershare Investor Services on 1300 171 785 (within Australia) or +61 3 9415 4078 (outside Australia) or online at <a href="http://www.investorcentre.com/col">www.investorcentre.com/col</a> .
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## 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 0.36000000

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

Yes

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

Yes

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

100.0000 %

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

30.0000 %

**3A.4 Ordinary dividend/distribution franked amount per +security**

AUD 0.36000000

**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 0.00000000



## 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**

Thursday March 7, 2024 17:00:00

**4A.3 DRP discount rate**

0.0000 %

**4A.4 Period of calculation of reinvestment price****Start Date**

13/3/2024

**End Date**

19/3/2024

**4A.5 DRP price calculation methodology**

In accordance with the DRP Rules, the offer price will be calculated as the arithmetic average of the daily volume weighted average market price of Coles' shares during the 5 trading days commencing on 13 March 2024.

**4A.6 DRP Price (including any discount):**

AUD

**4A.7 DRP +securities +issue date**

27/3/2024

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

Yes

**4A.8a Do DRP +securities rank pari passu from +issue date?**

Yes

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

No

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

No

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

Yes

**4A.11a Conditions for DRP participation**

In accordance with the DRP Rules, Coles' Board has determined that participation is currently only available to shareholders of fully paid Coles ordinary shares with a registered address in Australia or New Zealand as at the relevant dividend record date.

**4A.12 Link to a copy of the DRP plan rules**<https://www.colesgroup.com.au/drp>**4A.13 Further information about the DRP**

## 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**