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First Investment Bank signs agreement with Fitch Ratings for Public Monitored Ratings

Dear Sirs,

Re:

We hereby inform you that First Investment Bank has signed an agreement with Fitch Ratings for Public Monitored Ratings of First Investment Bank AD.

Once First Investment Bank's ratings are assigned, we will disclose them duly in accordance with *Regulation (EU) No 596/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on market abuse and repealing Directive 2003/6/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and Commission Directives 2003/124/EC, 2003/125/EC and 2004/72/EC.* 

Sincerely,

(signed)

Nikola Bakalov Chief Executive Officer (signed)

Svetozar Popov Executive Director