#### **FINAL TERMS**

MiFID II Product Governance / Professional investors and ECPs only target market – Solely for the purposes of each manufacturer's product approval process, the target market assessment in respect of the Notes has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the Notes is eligible counterparties and professional clients only, each as defined in Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, "MiFID II") and (ii) all channels for distribution of the Notes to eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Notes (a "distributor") should take into consideration the manufacturers' target market assessment. However, a distributor subject to MiFID II is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturers' target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels.

PROHIBITION OF SALES TO EEA RETAIL INVESTORS – The Notes are not intended to be offered, sold or otherwise made available to, and should not be offered, sold or otherwise made available to, any retail investor in the European Economic Area (the "EEA"). For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is one (or more) of: (i) a retail client as defined in point (11) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II or (ii) a customer within the meaning of Directive (EU) 2016/97 (as amended), where that customer would not qualify as a professional client as defined in point (10) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II. Consequently, the Issuer has not prepared a key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 (as amended, the "PRIIPs Regulation") for offering or selling the Notes or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the EEA and therefore offering or selling the Notes or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the EEA may be unlawful under the PRIIPs Regulation.

PROHIBITION OF SALES TO UK RETAIL INVESTORS – The Notes are not intended to be offered, sold or otherwise made available to, and should not be offered, sold or otherwise made available to, any retail investor in the United Kingdom ("UK"). For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is one (or more) of: (i) a retail client, as defined in point (8) of Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 2017/565 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (the "EUWA"); (ii) a customer within the meaning of the provisions of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (as amended, the "FSMA") and any rules or regulations made under the FSMA to implement Directive (EU) 2016/97, where that customer would not qualify as a professional client, as defined in point (8) of Article 2(1) of Regulation (EU) No 600/2014 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the EUWA. Consequently no key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the EUWA (the "UK PRIIPs Regulation") for offering or selling the Notes or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the UK has been prepared and therefore offering or selling the Notes or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the UK may be unlawful under the UK PRIIPs Regulation.

PROHIBITION OF SALES TO CONSUMERS – The Notes are not intended to be offered, sold or otherwise made available, and will not be offered, sold or otherwise made available, by any Dealer to any "consumer" (consument/consommateur) within the meaning of the Belgian Code of Economic Law (Wetboek van economisch recht/Code de droit économique), as amended.

Final Terms dated 17 April 2023

**KBC Group NV** 

(LEI: 213800X3Q9LSAKRUWY91)

# Issue of EUR 1,000,000,000 4.375% Fixed-to-Floating Rate Senior Notes due April 2030 under the EUR 20,000,000,000

#### **Euro Medium Term Note Programme**

#### PART A — CONTRACTUAL TERMS

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the Conditions set forth in the base prospectus dated 24 May 2022 as supplemented by virtue of the supplements dated 16 August 2022, 4 October 2022, 15 November 2022, 14 February 2023 and 11 April 2023 (the "Base Prospectus") for the purposes of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 (the "Prospectus Regulation"). This document constitutes the Final Terms of the Notes described herein for the purposes of Article 8 of the Prospectus Regulation and must be read in conjunction with the Base Prospectus (including any supplement thereto). Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of these Final Terms and the Base Prospectus (including any supplement thereto). The Base Prospectus and any supplement thereto has been or will be published on the Issuer's website (<a href="https://www.kbc.com/en/investor-relations/debt-issuance/kbc-group.html">www.kbc.com/en/investor-relations/debt-issuance/kbc-group.html</a>).

1 (i) Series Number: G00034

(ii) Tranche Number: 1

(iii) Date on which Notes will be Not Applicable consolidated and form a single

Series:

2 Specified Currency: Euro ("EUR")

3 Aggregate Nominal Amount: EUR 1,000,000,000

(i) Series: EUR 1,000,000,000

(ii) Tranche: EUR 1,000,000,000

4 Issue Price: 99.974% of the Aggregate Nominal Amount

5 (i) Specified Denominations: EUR 100,000 and integral multiples of

EUR 100,000 in excess thereof

(ii) Calculation Amount: EUR 100,000

6 (i) Issue Date: 19 April 2023

(ii) Interest Commencement Date: Issue Date

7 Maturity Date: 19 April 2030, subject to adjustment in accordance

with the Following Business Day Convention.

8 Interest Basis: Fixed Rate in respect of the period from (and

including) the Interest Commencement Date to (but

excluding) the Optional Redemption Date.

Floating Rate in respect of the period from (and including) the Optional Redemption Date to (but

excluding) the Maturity Date.

9 Redemption Basis: Subject to any purchase and cancellation or early

redemption, the Notes will be redeemed on the Maturity Date at 100% of their nominal amount.

10 Applicable Change of Interest Basis:

11 Issuer Call Option: Applicable

(further particulars specified below)

12 Status of the Notes: Senior Notes

(ii) Waiver of set-off in respect of

Senior Notes:

Condition 2(a)(ii): Applicable

(iii) Event of Default or Enforcement Condition 10(a): Not Applicable in respect of Senior Notes:

Condition 10(b): Applicable

## PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

13 **Fixed Rate Note Provisions** Applicable

> Rate(s) of Interest: 4.375% per annum payable in arrear on each Interest

> > Payment Date

(ii) Interest Payment Date(s): 19 April in each year from and including 19 April

2024 until and including the Optional Redemption

Date.

(iii) Fixed Coupon Amount: EUR 4,375 per Calculation Amount

(iv) Broken Amount(s): Not Applicable

(v) Day Count Fraction: Actual/Actual ICMA

(vi) Determination Dates: 19 April in each year

14 **Fixed Rate Reset Note Provisions** Not Applicable

15 **Floating Rate Note Provisions** Applicable

> Interest Period(s): Quarterly, with the first Interest Period commencing

> > on (and including) 19 April 2029, in each case subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention set out in (v) below.

(ii) Specified Interest Payment

Dates:

19 January, 19 April, 19 July and 19 October, from and including 19 July 2029 until and including the

Maturity Date, in each case subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention set

out in (v) below.

Not Applicable (iii) Interest Period End Date:

19 July 2029, subject to adjustment in accordance (iv) First Interest Payment Date:

with the Business Day Convention set out in (v)

below

(v) Business Day Convention:

Interest Period(s) and Specified

**Interest Payment Dates:** 

Following Business Day Convention

Interest Period End Date: Not Applicable (vi) Additional Business Centre(s): Not Applicable

(vii) Manner in which the Rate(s) of

Interest is/are to be determined:

Screen Rate Determination

(viii) Party responsible for calculating

the Rate(s) of Interest and Interest Amount(s) (if not the

Agent):

Not Applicable

(ix) Screen Rate Determination: Applicable

Reference Rate:3-Month EURIBOR

Interest Determination

Date(s):

The second day on which the TARGET2 System is open prior to the start of the relevant Interest Accrual

Period

Relevant Screen Page: Reuters page EURIBOR01 (or any successor or

replacement page)

- Relevant Time: 11:00 am (Brussels time)

(x) ISDA Determination: Not Applicable

(xi) Margin(s): +1.38% per annum

(xii) Minimum Rate of Interest: Not Applicable

(xiii) Maximum Rate of Interest: Not Applicable

(xiv) Day Count Fraction: Actual/360

#### PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

16 Tax Call Option Applicable

Notice periods for Condition 4(b): Minimum period: 15 days

Maximum period: 45 days

17 Capital Disqualification Event Not Applicable

18 Capital Disqualification Event

Variation

Not Applicable

19 Loss Absorption Disqualification

**Event Variation or Substitution** 

Applicable

20 Issuer Call Option Applicable

i) Optional Redemption Date(s): 19 April 2029

(ii) Optional Redemption Early Redemption Amount

Amount(s):

(iii) If redeemable in part: Not Applicable

(a) Minimum Callable Amount: Not Applicable

(b) Maximum Callable Amount: Not Applicable

(iv) Notice period: Minimum period: 15 days

Maximum period: 45 days

21 Loss absorption Disqualification Event in respect of Senior Notes Condition 4(e): Applicable from the Issue Date

Notice periods for Condition 4(e):

Minimum period: 15 days Maximum period: 45 days

22 Final Redemption Amount

EUR 100,000 per Calculation Amount

23 Early Redemption Amount

Early Redemption Amount(s)
payable on redemption following a
Tax Event, following a Capital
Disqualification Event (in the case of
Subordinated Tier 2 Notes),
following a Loss Absorption
Disqualification Event (in the case of
Senior Notes) or on event of default
or other early redemption:

EUR 100,000 per Calculation Amount

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES

Form of Notes

Dematerialised form

#### THIRD PARTY INFORMATION

The Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in these Final Terms. The brief explanations on the meanings of the ratings in paragraph 2 of Part B of these Final Terms have been extracted from www.standardandpoors.com, www.moodys.com and www.fitchratings.com (the "Relevant Websites"). The Issuer confirms that such information has been accurately reproduced and that, so far as it is aware, and is able to ascertain from information published on each of the Relevant Websites, no facts have been omitted which would render the reproduced information inaccurate or misleading.

Signed on behalf of the Issuer:

INNOCENZO SOI (Apr 14, 2023 16:52 GMT+2)

By: Innocenzo Soi

Duly authorised

**Jian Wang**yan Wang (Apr 14, 2023 16:47 GMT+2)

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Duly authorised

#### PART B – OTHER INFORMATION

# 1 LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING

(i) Admission to trading:

Application has been made by the Issuer (or on its behalf) for the Notes to be admitted to trading on Euronext Brussels with effect from the Issue Date.

(ii) Estimate of total expenses related to admission to trading

EUR 7,200

#### 2 RATINGS

The Notes to be issued are expected to be rated: S&P Global Ratings Europe Limited ("S&P"): A-

Moody's France S.A.S. ("Moody's"): Baa1 Fitch France S.A.S. ("Fitch"): A

S&P is established in the EU and registered under Regulation (EU) No 1060/2009 (as amended, the "CRA Regulation"). As defined by S&P, an 'A' rating means that the obligations of the Issuer are more susceptible to the adverse effects of changes in circumstances and economic conditions than obligations in higher-rated categories. However, the Issuer's capacity to meet its financial commitments on the obligation is still strong. The addition of a plus (+) or minus (-) sign shows the relative standing within the major rating categories.

Moody's is established in the EU and registered under the CRA Regulation. As defined by Moody's, a 'Baa' rating means that the obligations of the Issuer under the Notes are judged to be medium-grade and subject to moderate credit risk and as such may possess certain speculative characteristics. The modifier 1 indicates that the obligation ranks in the higher end of its generic rating category; the modifier 2 indicates a mid-range ranking; and the modifier 3 indicates a ranking in the lower end of that generic rating category.

Fitch is established in the EU and registered under the CRA Regulation. As defined by Fitch, an 'A' rating indicates that in respect of the obligations of the Issuer under the Notes expectations of credit risk are currently low. The

capacity for payment of financial commitments is considered strong. This capacity may, nevertheless, be more vulnerable to adverse business or economic conditions than is the case for higher ratings.

A security rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities and may be subject to suspension, reduction or withdrawal at any time by the assigning rating agency.

### 3 INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ISSUE

Save as discussed in "Subscription and Sale" and "General Information" of the Base Prospectus, so far as the Issuer is aware, no person involved in the issue of the Notes has an interest material to this issue.

#### 4 REASONS FOR THE OFFER AND ESTIMATED NET AMOUNT

Reasons for the offer: See "Use of Proceeds" in the Base Prospectus

Estimated net amount: EUR 999,740,000

5 YIELD

Indication of yield:

(i) Gross yield: 4.38 per cent. per annum

The yield is calculated on the basis of the Issue Price, the Rate of Interest applicable from and including the Interest Commencement Date until and excluding the Optional Redemption Date. It

is not an indication of future yield.

Not Applicable

(ii) Net yield: Not ApplicableMaximum yield: Not ApplicableMinimum yield: Not Applicable

#### 6 HISTORIC INTEREST RATES

Details of historic EURIBOR rates can be obtained from Reuters.

#### 7 OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

(i) ISIN: BE0002935162

(ii) Common Code: 261363089

(iii) Any clearing system(s) other than the Securities Settlement System, Euroclear Bank SA/NV and Clearstream Banking, S.A. and the relevant identification number(s):

(iv) Delivery: Delivery against payment

(v) Names and addresses of additional Not Applicable

Agent(s) (if any):

(vi) Name and address of the Calculation Agent when the Calculation Agent is not KBC Bank NV: Not Applicable

(vii) Intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility: No

(viii) Relevant Benchmark:

EURIBOR is provided by the European Money Markets Institute ("EMMI"). As at the date hereof, EMMI appears in the register of administrators and benchmarks established and maintained by ESMA pursuant to Article 36 (Register of administrators and benchmarks) of Regulation (EU) 2016/1011 (the "Benchmark Regulation").

#### 8 **DISTRIBUTION**

(i) Method of distribution:

Syndicated

- (ii) If syndicated:
  - (A) Names and addresses of the Joint Lead Managers:

#### **BNP Paribas**

16, boulevard des Italiens75009 ParisFrance

#### **BofA Securities Europe SA**

51, rue La Boétie 75008 Paris France

#### ING Bank N.V.

Foppingadreef 7 1102 BD Amsterdam The Netherlands

#### J.P. Morgan SE

Taunustor 1 (TaunusTurm) 60310 Frankfurt am Main Germany

#### **KBC Bank NV**

Havenlaan 2 B-1080 Brussels Belgium

# Landesbank Baden-Württemberg

Am Hauptbahnhof 2 70173 Stuttgart Germany

(B) Date of Subscription 17 April 2023 Agreement:

(C) Stabilising manager(s) (if Not Applicable any):

(iii) If non-syndicated, name and address Not Applicable of Dealers:

(iv) US Selling Restrictions Reg. S Category 2; TEFRA not applicable

(v) Prohibition of Sales to Consumers: Applicable(vi) Additional selling restrictions: Not Applicable