

(Incorporated with limited liability in Belgium)

#### EUR 750,000,000

# Tier 2 Subordinated Callable Fixed Rate Reset Notes with a First Reset Date on 3 December 2024 (BE0002664457) (THE "NOTES")

#### REDEMPTION NOTICE TO THE HOLDERS OF THE NOTES

From: KBC GROUP NV

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(hereinafter referred to as "KBC Group" or a "Issuer")

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Brussels, on 11 October 2024

Dear Madam, dear Sir,

Reference is made to the Series Number G00014 of EUR 750,000,000 Tier 2 Subordinated Callable Fixed Rate Reset Notes, issued by KBC Group NV with a first reset date on 3 December 2024 (hereinafter referred to as the "Notes"), pursuant to a base prospectus approved by the Belgian Financial Services and Markets Authority on 4

June 2019 (hereinafter referred to as the "Prospectus") and final terms executed by the Issuer on 30 August 2019 (hereinafter referred to as the "Final Terms").

Terms used herein, but not defined in this redemption notice (hereinafter referred to as the "Redemption Notice"), will have the same meaning as ascribed thereto in the Prospectus.

#### IT HAS BEEN AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. In compliance with the provisions of the Final Terms and the Prospectus, and more specifically in compliance with Condition 4 (*Redemption, Purchase and Options*) paragraph (d) (*Redemption at the Option of the Issuer*) of the Prospectus, the Issuer shall call and redeem the Notes on 3 December 2024 (hereinafter referred to as the "Optional Redemption Date").
- 1. Pursuant to the Final Terms, Condition 4 (*Redemption, Purchase and Options*) paragraph (d) (*Redemption at the Option of the Issuer*) and paragraph (j) (*Conditions to Redemption and Purchase of Subordinated Tier 2 Notes*) and Condition 12 (*Notices*) of the Prospectus, this Redemption Notice to the Noteholders is delivered to the NBB (in its capacity as operator of the Securities Settlement System), not less than 30 nor more than 60 days before the Optional Redemption Date, for onward communication by the NBB to the participants of the Securities Settlement System and shall be deemed given on the date and at the time it is delivered to the Securities Settlement System.
- 2. All of the Notes shall be redeemed on the Optional Redemption Date at their Early Redemption Amount, for a total amount of EUR 753,750,000 (i.e. in principal of EUR 750,000,000 and interest of EUR 3,750,000).
- 3. We confirm that:
  - In compliance with Article 6.1 (*Notice to Agent*) of the agency agreement entered into between KBC Group NV as Issuer and KBC Bank NV as Domiciliary Agent, Paying Agent, Listing Agent and Calculation Agent on 4 June 2019 (hereinafter referred to as the "Agency Agreement"), notice of the redemption of the Notes has been given by the Issuer to the Agent at least 14 days before the latest date for the publication of the notice to Noteholders (a copy of this notice is attached hereto *Annexe*);
  - Pursuant to Condition 4 (*Redemption, Purchase and Options*) paragraph (j) (*Conditions to Redemption and Purchase of Subordinated Tier 2 Notes*) of the Prospectus:
    - (i) all conditions prescribed under Applicable Banking Regulations are complied with; and
    - (ii) any alternative or additional pre-conditions to redemption or purchase, as applicable, set out in the Applicable Banking Regulations for the time being or required by the Relevant Regulator are complied with;
  - This Redemption Notice is irrevocable.
- 4. To the extent that the Notes are admitted to listing and trading on the Euronext Brussels, this Redemption Notice will also have to be published in accordance with the rules and regulations of such market and, in addition to the foregoing, will be deemed validly given on the date of such publication.

In witness whereof the Issuer has caused this Redemption Notice to be executed by its respective officers duly authorised thereto as of the date first above written.

This Redemption Notice shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Kingdom of Belgium and will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Brussels.

This Redemption Notice is dated on the date first above written.

## KBC GROUP NV

As Issuer

By: Bartel Puelinckx

Title: Executive Director

By: Johan Thijs

Title: Executive Director