

THIRD AMENDMENT TO THE 2019 UNIVERSAL REGISTRATION DOCUMENT,

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The English version of the 2019 Universal Registration Document and its amendments are binding. All possible care has been taken to ensure that this version is an accurate representation of the French version of the 2019 Universal Registration Document and its amendments. In all matters of interpretation, views or opinion expressed, the French version of the document shall take precedence.

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The third amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document has been filed with the AMF on 25 June 2020 as competent authority under Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 without prior approval pursuant to Article 9 of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129;

The universal registration document may be used for the purposes of an offer to the public of securities or admission of securities to trading on a regulated market if approved by the AMF together with any amendments, if applicable, and a securities note and summary approved in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2017/1129.

This Universal Registration Document may form part of a prospectus of the Issuer consisting of separate documents within the meaning of the Prospectus Regulation.

1. APPROVAL BY THE AMF OF THE 2019 UNIVERSAL REGISTRATION DOCUMENT, 1^{ST} AMENDMENT, 2^{ND} AMENDMENT and 3^{RD} AMENDMENT TO THE 2019 UNIVERSAL REGISTRATION DOCUMENT, FRENCH AND ENGLISH VERSION



1.1 Approval of the 2019 Universal Registration Document:

The 2019 Universal Registration Document was approved on 25 June 2020 by the AMF as competent authority under Regulation (EU) 2017/1129.

The AMF approves this document after verifying that the information contained in it is complete, consistent and comprehensible. The 2019 Universal Registration Document has the following approval number: R. 20-012.

Such approval should not be considered as a favourable opinion on the issuer covered by the Universal Registration Document.

The 2019 Universal Registration Document may be used for the purpose of offering to the public of securities or for the admission of financial securities to trading on a regulated market if it is supplemented by a securities note and, where appropriate, a summary and its supplement(s). The package thus formed is approved by the AMF in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2017/1129. This URD may form part of a prospectus prospectus of the Issuer consisting of separate documents within the meaning of the Prospectus Regulation.

It is valid until 25 June 2021 and, during that period and at the latest at the same time as the securities note and under the conditions of Articles 10 and 23 of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129, must be completed by an amendment to the Universal Registration Document in the event of significant new developments or material errors or inaccuracies.

1.2 Approval of the 1st Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document:

The 1st Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document was approved on 25 June 2020 by the AMF as competent authority under Regulation (EU) 2017/1129.

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accordance with Regulation (EU) 2017/1129. This 1st Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document may form part of a prospectus of the Issuer consisting of separate documents within the meaning of the Prospectus Regulation.

It is valid until 25 June 2021 and, during that period and at the latest at the same time as the securities note and under the conditions of Articles 10 and 23 of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129, must be completed by an amendment to the Universal Registration Document in the event of significant new developments or material errors or inaccuracies.

1.3 Approval of the 2nd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document

The 2nd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document was approved on 25 June 2020 by the AMF as competent authority under Regulation (EU) 2017/1129.

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The 2nd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document may be used for the purpose of offering to the public of securities or for the admission of financial securities to trading on a regulated market if it is supplemented by a securities note and, where appropriate, a summary and its supplement(s). The package thus formed is approved by the AMF in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2017/1129. This 2nd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document may form part of a prospectus of the Issuer consisting of separate documents within the meaning of the Prospectus Regulation.

It is valid until 25 June 2021 and, during that period and at the latest at the same time as the securities note and under the conditions of Articles 10 and 23 of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129, must be completed by an amendment to the Universal Registration Document in the event of significant new developments or material errors or inaccuracies.

1.4 Approval of the $3^{\rm rd}$ Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document

The 3rd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document was approved on 25 June 2020 by the AMF as competent authority under Regulation (EU) 2017/1129.

The AMF approves this document after verifying that the information contained in it is complete, consistent and comprehensible. The 3rd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document has the following approval number: R. 20-012.

Such approval should not be considered as a favourable opinion on the issuer covered by the Universal Registration Document.

The 3rd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document may be used for the purpose of offering to the public of securities or for the admission of financial securities to trading on a regulated market if it is supplemented by a securities note and, where appropriate, a summary and its supplement(s). The package thus formed is approved by the AMF in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2017/1129. This 3rd Amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document may form part of a prospectus of the Issuer consisting of separate documents within the meaning of the Prospectus Regulation.

It is valid until 25 June 2021 and, during that period and at the latest at the same time as the securities note and under the conditions of Articles 10 and 23 of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129, must be completed by an amendment to the Universal Registration Document in the event of significant new developments or material errors or inaccuracies.

2. GENERAL INFORMATION

2.1 Documents on display

This document is available on the BNP Paribas website, www.invest.bnpparibas.com, and the Autorité des Marchés Financiers (AMF) website, www.amf-france.org.

Any person wishing to receive additional information about the BNP Paribas Group can request documents, without commitment, as follows:

- by writing to:
 BNP Paribas Group Finance
 Investor Relations and Financial Information
 3, rue d'Antin CAA01B1
 75002 Paris
- by calling: +33 (0)1 40 14 63 58

 BNP Paribas' regulatory information (in French) can be viewed at: https://invest.bnpparibas.com/information-reglementee.

2.2 Significant change

Save as disclosed in this third Amendment to the 2019 Universal registration document, there have been no significant changes in the Group's financial situation since 31 March 2020, no material adverse change in the prospects of the Issuer and no significant changes in the Group's financial situation or financial performance since the end of the last financial year for which audited financial statements were published, and in particular since the signature of the Statutory Auditors' report on the consolidated financial statements on 3 March 2020.

3. STATUTORY AUDITORS

PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit

Mazars

Deloitte & Associés

6, place de la Pyramide 63, rue de Villiers 92908 Paris-La Défense Cedex 92208 Neuilly-sur-Seine Cedex 6. place de la Pyramide

63. rue de Villiers

61, rue Henri Regnault 92400 Courbevoie

Deloitte & Associés was re-appointed as Statutory Auditor at the Annual General Meeting of 24 May 2018 for a six-year period expiring at the close of the Annual General Meeting called in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the year ending 31 December 2023. The firm was first appointed at the Annual General Meeting of 23 May 2006. Deloitte & Associés is represented by Laurence Dubois

Deputy:

Société BEAS, 6, place de la Pyramide, 92908 Paris-La Défense (92), France, SIREN No. 315 172 445, Nanterre trade and companies register.

PricewaterhouseCoopers audit was re-appointed as Statutory Auditor at the Annual General Meeting of 24 May 2018 for a six-year period expiring at the close of the Annual General Meeting called in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the year ending 31 December 2023. The firm was first appointed at the Annual General Meeting of 26 May 1994. PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit is represented by Patrice Morot.

Deputy:

Jean-Baptiste Deschryver, 63, rue de Villiers, Neuilly-sur-Seine (92).

Mazars was re-appointed as Statutory Auditor at the Annual General Meeting of 24 May 2018 for a six-year period expiring at the close of the Annual General Meeting called in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the year ending 31 December 2023. The firm was first appointed at the Annual General Meeting of 23 May 2000. Mazars is represented by Virginie Chauvin.

Deputy:

Charles de Boisriou, 28 rue Fernand Forest, 92150 Suresnes (92).

Deloitte & Associés, PricewaterhouseCoopers and Mazars are registered as Statutory Auditors with the Versailles Regional Association of Statutory Auditors, under the authority of the French National Accounting Oversight Board (Haut Conseil du Commissariat aux Comptes).

4. PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE UNIVERSAL REGISTRATION DOCUMENT

PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE UNIVERSAL REGISTRATION DOCUMENT AND ITS AMENDMENTS

Jean-Laurent Bonnafé, Chief Executive Officer of BNP Paribas

STATEMENT BY THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE UNIVERSAL REGISTRATION DOCUMENT AND ITS AMENDMENTS

I hereby declare to the best of my knowledge, and after having taken all reasonable precautions, that the information contained in the French and English versions of 2019 Universal Registration Document filed with the AMF on 3rd March 2020, in the 1st amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document filed with the AMF on 30th March 2020, in the 2nd amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document filed with the AMF on 5th May 2020 and in the present 3rd amendment to the 2019 Universal Registration Document with the AMF on 25th June 2020 is in accordance with the facts and contains no omission likely to affect its import.

I further declare that to the best of my knowledge, the financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position, and profit or loss of the Company and all the entities included in the consolidation, and that the information provided in the management report (whose contents are listed in the Table of Concordance on page 8) includes a fair review of the development and performance of the business, profit or loss and financial position of the Company and all the entities included in the consolidation, and that it describes the principal risks and uncertainties that they face.

Paris, 24 June 2020,

Chief Executive Officer

Jean-Laurent BONNAFÉ

5. TABLES OF CONCORDANCE

5.1 Sections of Annex I of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129

In order to assist readers of the Universal Registration Document, the following concordance cross-references the main headings required by Annex 1 of European Regulation 2017/1129 (Annex I), taken in application of the Directive known as "Prospectus 3" and refers to the pages of the 2019 universal registration document and its amendments where information relating to each of the headings is mentioned.

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- The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018 and the Statutory Auditors' report on the consolidated financial statements at 31 December 2018, presented respectively on pages 149-269 and 270-276 of Registration Document no. D.19-0114 filed with the AMF on 5 March 2019; The information is available via the following link: https://invest.bnpparibas.com/sites/default/files/documents/ddr 2018 bnp paribas gb.pdf
- The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017 and the Statutory Auditors' report on the consolidated financial statements at 31 December 2017, presented respectively on pages 137-236 and 237-242 of Registration Document no. D.18-0101 filed with the AMF on 6 March 2018; The information is available via the following link: https://invest.bnpparibas.com/sites/default/files/documents/ddr2017 bnp paribas gb.pdf
- The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016 and the Statutory Auditors' report on the consolidated financial statements at 31 December 2016, presented respectively on pages 131-231 and 232-233 of Registration Document no. D.17-0132 filed with the AMF on 7 March 2017; The information is available via the following link: https://invest.bnpparibas.com/sites/default/files/documents/ddr2016gb.pdf

5.2 Annual Financial Report

In order to assist readers of the annual financial report, the following table cross-references the information required by article L.451-1-2 of the French Monetary and Financial Code.

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Management report

The concordance table below makes it possible to identify in the Universal Registration Document filed with the Autorité des Marchés Financiers on 3 March 2020 and approved by the AMF on 25 June 2020 the information that constitutes the Management report of the Company (including the Report on corporate governance) and the Consolidated Management report, as required by legal and regulatory provisions.

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5.3 Appendice – Key information regarding the issuer, pursuant to Article 26.4 of European Regulation No 2017/1129

1) Who is the issuer of securities?

i. General information:

<u>Head office</u>: 16 boulevard des Italiens, 75009 Paris, France <u>Legal form</u>: BNP PARIBAS is a limited company authorised as a bank under the provisions of the French Monetary and Financial Code (Book V, Title 1) on banking institutions.

Legal identity identifier: R0MUWSFPU8MPRO8K5P83

<u>Law governing its activities</u>: BNP Paribas is a company incorporated under French law and operates in many countries, both in Europe and outside Europe. Many foreign regulations can therefore govern its activities.

Country of origin: France

ii. Main activities:

BNP Paribas, Europe's leading provider of banking and financial services, has four domestic Retail Banking markets in Europe, namely in France, Belgium, Italy and Luxembourg.

It operates in 71 countries and has nearly 199,000 employees, including over 151,000 in Europe. BNP Paribas holds key positions in its two main businesses:

- Retail Banking and Services, which includes:
 - Domestic Markets, comprising:
 - French Retail Banking (FRB),
 - BNL banca commerciale (BNL bc), Italian retail banking,
 - Belgian Retail Banking (BRB),
 - Other Domestic Markets activities including Arval, BNP Paribas Leasing Solutions, Personal Investors, Nickel and Luxembourg Retail Banking (LRB);
 - International Financial Services, comprising:
 - Europe-Mediterranean,
 - BancWest.
 - Personal Finance,
 - Insurance,
 - Wealth and Asset Management;
- Corporate and Institutional Banking (CIB):
 - Corporate Banking,
 - Global Markets,
 - Securities Services.

BNP Paribas SA is the parent company of the BNP Paribas Group.

iii. Main shareholders as at 31 December 2019 :

• SFPI¹: 7.7% of share capital

BlackRock Inc.: 5.0% of share capital

Grand-Duché du Luxembourg : 1.0% of share capital

iv. Identity of key executives:

Jean LEMIERRE: Chairman of the Board of directors of BNP Paribas Jean-Laurent BONNAFÉ: Director and Chief Executive of BNP Paribas Philippe BORDENAVE: Chief Operating Officer of BNP Paribas

v. Identity of statutory auditors:

■ Deloitte & Associés was re-appointed as Statutory Auditor at the Annual General Meeting of 24 May 2018 for a six-year period expiring at the close of the Annual General Meeting called in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the year ending 31 December 2023. The firm was first appointed at the Annual General Meeting of 23 May 2006.

Deloitte & Associés is represented by Laurence Dubois

Deputy:

Société BEAS, 6, place de la Pyramide, Paris-La Défense Cedex (92), France, SIREN No. 315 172 445, Nanterre trade and companies register.

■ PricewaterhouseCoopers audit was re-appointed as Statutory Auditor at the Annual General Meeting of 24 May 2018 for a six-year period expiring at the close of the Annual General Meeting called in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the year ending 31 December 2023. The firm was first appointed at the Annual General Meeting of 26 May 1994.

PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit is represented by Patrice Morot.

Deputy:

Jean-Baptiste Deschryver, 63, rue de Villiers, Neuilly-sur-Seine (92).

■ Mazars was re-appointed as Statutory Auditor at the Annual General Meeting of 24 May 2018 for a six-year period expiring at the close of the Annual General Meeting called in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the year ending 31 December 2023. The firm was first appointed at the Annual General Meeting of 23 May 2000.

Mazars is represented by Virginie Chauvin.

Deputy:

Charles de Boisriou, 28 rue Fernand Forest, Suresnes (92).

Deloitte & Associés, PricewaterhouseCoopers and Mazars are registered as Statutory Auditors with the Versailles Regional Association of Statutory Auditors, under the authority of the French National Accounting Oversight Board (Haut Conseil du Commissariat aux Comptes).

¹ Société Fédérale de Participations et d'Investissement : a public-interest limited company (*société anonyme*) acting on behalf of the Belgian State.

2) What are the key financial information about the issuer?

Income statement						
	Year	Year -1	Year-2	Interim	Comparative interim from same period in prior year	
In millions of euros	31/12/2019	31/12/2018	31/12/2017	31/03/20	31/03/19	
Net interest income	21,127	21,062	21,191	n.a	n.a	
Net fee and commission income	9,365	9,207	9,430	n.a	n.a	
Cost of Risk	-3,203	-2,764	-2,907	-1,426	-769	
Net gain on financial instruments	7,464	6,118	7,112	n.a	n.a	
Revenues	44,597	42,516	43,161	10,888	11,144	
Net income attributable to equity holders	8,173	7,526	7,759	1,282	1,918	
Earnings per share (in euros)	6.21	5.73	6.05	0.93	1.46	
Balance sheet						
	Year	Year -1	Year-2	Interim	Value as outcome from the most recent Supervisory Review and Evaluation Process ('SREP')	
In millions of euros	31/12/2019	31/12/2018	31/12/2017	31/03/2020	31/03/2019	
Total assets	2,164,713	2,040,836	1,952,166	2,673,276	2,164,713	
Debt securities	221,336	206,359	198,646	223,387	227,962	

Of which mid long term Senior Preferred	88,466*	88,381*	88,432	n.a	n.a
Subordinated debt	20,896	18,414	16,787	n.a	n.a
Loans and receivables from customers (net)	805,777	765,871	735,013	841,099	783,273
Deposits from customers	834,667	796,548	760,941	907,662	826,100
Shareholders' equity (Group share)	107,453	101,467	101,983	109,037	105,339
Doubtful loans/ gross outstandings	2.2%	2.6%	3.3%	2.1%	2.6%
Common Equity Tier 1 capital (CET1) ratio	12.1%	11.8%	11.9%	12.0%	11.7%
Total Capital Ratio	15.5%	15.0%	14.8%	15.5%	15.1%
Leverage Ratio	4.6%	4.5%	4.6%	3.9%	4.2%

^(*) Regulatory scope

A brief description of any qualifications in the audit report relating to the historical financial information: N/A

3) What are the specific risks of the issuer?

The presentation of the risk factors below consists of a non-exhaustive selection of the main risks specific to BNP Paribas, to be supplemented by an examination by the investor of all the risk factors contained in the prospectus.

- 1. A substantial increase in new provisions or a shortfall in the level of previously recorded provisions exposed to credit risk and counterparty risk could adversely affect the BNP Paribas Group's results of operations and financial condition
- 2. An interruption in or a breach of the BNP Paribas Group's information systems may cause substantial losses of client or customer information, damage to the BNP Paribas Group's reputation and result in financial losses

^(**) Impaired loans (stage 3) to customers and credit institutions, not netted of guarantees, including on-balance sheet and off-balance sheet and debt securities measured at amortized costs or at fair value through shareholders' equity reported on gross outstanding loans to customers and credit institutions, on-balance sheet and off-balance sheet and including debt securities measured at amortized costs or at fair value through shareholders' equity (excluding insurance).

- 3. The BNP Paribas Group may incur significant losses on its trading and investment activities due to market fluctuations and volatility
- 4. Adjustments to the carrying value of the BNP Paribas Group's securities and derivatives portfolios and the BNP Paribas Group's own debt could have an adverse effect on its net income and shareholders' equity
- 5. The BNP Paribas Group's access to and cost of funding could be adversely affected by a resurgence of financial crises, worsening economic conditions, rating downgrades, increases in sovereign credit spreads or other factors
- 6. Adverse economic and financial conditions have in the past had and may in the future have an impact on the BNP Paribas Group and the markets in which it operates
- 7. Laws and regulations adopted in recent years, particularly in response to the global financial crisis, as well as new legislative proposals, may materially impact the BNP Paribas Group and the financial and economic environment in which it operates
- 8. The BNP Paribas Group may incur substantial fines and other administrative and criminal penalties for non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and may also incur losses in related (or unrelated) litigation with private parties
- 9. Epidemics and pandemics, including the ongoing coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and their economic consequences may adversely affect the Group's business, operations and financial condition