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DISCLOSURE NOTICE

Investor AB has acquired 55.613.530 A shares in ABB AB effective January 30, 1998. Investor AB´s ownership afterwards amounts to 59.613.530 A shares which represent 8.6 percent of the voting rights in the company and 6.4 percent of the share capital.

Investor AB´s previous direct ownership corresponded to 0.6 percent of the voting rights and 0.4% of the share capital.

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