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Pursuant to the VakıfBank Law numbered 6219 (as amended by Statutory Decree numbered 696 published in the Official Gazette on December 24th, 2017) (the "Vakifbank Law"), the shares of the bank currently held by the General Directorate of Foundations (the "GDF") were anticipated to be transferred to the Turkish Ministry of Treasury and Finance (the "Ministry"). Pursuant thereto, a Presidential Decree dated December 3, 2019 has initiated the process of the transfer of such shares (Group (A) shares representing 43.00% of the bank's total shares and Group (B) representing 15.51% of the banks total shares) and the process of registering this share transfer in the Bank's stock register has begun. It is expected that this process will be completed within the coming week.

As per the VakıfBank Law, the general principles of Turkish law requiring an obligatory call tender for the bank's other shares will not be applied and there thus will be no change in the bank's other shares, including the 25.22% listed Group (D) shares

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