

GEA Group Aktiengesellschaft



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Dissemination of a Voting Rights Announcement transmitted by DGAP - a service of EQS Group AG.

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### Notification of Major Holdings

#### 1. Details of issuer

GEA Group Aktiengesellschaft  
Peter-Müller-Straße 12  
40468 Düsseldorf  
Germany

#### 2. Reason for notification

X	Acquisition/disposal of shares with voting rights
	Acquisition/disposal of instruments
	Change of breakdown of voting rights
	Other reason:

#### 3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation

Name:	City and country of registered office:
The Desmarais Family Residuary Trust	Montreal Canada

#### 4. Names of shareholder(s)

holding directly 3% or more voting rights, if different from 3.

Oliver Capital S.à.r.l.

#### 5. Date on which threshold was crossed or reached:

23 March 2018

#### 6. Total positions

	% of voting rights attached to shares (total of 7.a.)	% of voting rights through instruments (total of 7.b.1 + 7.b.2)	total of both in % (7.a. + 7.b.)	total number of voting rights of issuer
Resulting situation	5.15 %	0 %	5.15 %	192,495,476
Previous notification	4.33 %	0 %	4.33 %	/

#### 7. Notified details of the resulting situation

##### a. Voting rights attached to shares (Sec.s 33, 34 WpHG)

ISIN	absolute		in %	
	direct (Sec. 33 WpHG)	indirect (Sec. 34 WpHG)	direct (Sec. 33 WpHG)	indirect (Sec. 34 WpHG)
DE0006602006	0	9,911,957	0.00 %	5.15 %
<b>Total</b>	9,911,957		5.15 %	

**b.1. Instruments according to Sec. 38 para. 1 No. 1 WpHG**

Type of instrument	Expiration or maturity date	Exercise or conversion period	Voting rights absolute	Voting rights in %
		<b>Total</b>		

**b.2. Instruments according to Sec. 38 para. 1 No. 2 WpHG**

Type of instrument	Expiration or maturity date	Exercise or conversion period	Cash or physical settlement	Voting rights absolute	Voting rights in %
			<b>Total</b>		

**8. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation**

Person subject to the notification obligation is not controlled and does itself not control any other undertaking(s) holding directly or indirectly an interest in the (underlying) issuer (1.).
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full chain of controlled undertakings starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity:

Name	% of voting rights (if at least held 3% or more)	% of voting rights through instruments (if at least held 5% or more)	Total of both (if at least held 5% or more)
The Desmarais Family Residuary Trust	%	%	%
Pansolo Holding Inc	%	%	%
Power Corporation of Canada	%	%	%
171263 Canada Inc.	%	%	%
Power Financial Corporation	%	%	%
Power Financial Europe BV	%	%	%
Parjointco NV	%	%	%
Pargesa Holding SA	%	%	%
Pargesa Netherlands BV	%	%	%
Groupe Bruxelles Lambert	%	%	%
GBL Verwaltung SA	%	%	%
Oliver Capital S.à.r.l.	5.13 %	%	5.13 %
The Desmarais Family Residuary Trust	%	%	%
Pansolo Holding Inc.	%	%	%
Power Corporation of Canada	%	%	%
171263 Canada Inc	%	%	%
Power Financial Corporation	%	%	%
IGM Financial Inc.	%	%	%
Investors Group Inc.	%	%	%
I.G. Investments Management, Ltd.	%	%	%
The Desmarais Family Residuary Trust	%	%	%
Pansolo Holding Inc.	%	%	%
Power Corporation of Canada	%	%	%
171263 Canada Inc.	%	%	%
Power Financial Corporation	%	%	%
Great-West Lifeco Inc.	%	%	%
	%	%	%

The Great-West Life Assurance Company			
Canada Life Financial Corporation	%	%	%
The Canada Life Assurance Company	%	%	%
Canada Life Capital Corporation Inc.	%	%	%
Canada Life International Holdings Limited	%	%	%
The Canada Life Group (U.K.) Limited	%	%	%
Canada Life Limited	%	%	%
Irish Life Group Limited	%	%	%
Irish Life Assurance plc	%	%	%

**9. In case of proxy voting according to Sec. 34 para. 3 WpHG**

Date of general meeting:	
Holding position after general meeting:	% (equals voting rights)

**10. Other explanatory remarks:**

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