Disclosure of shareholdings



Norges Bank has exceeded the threshold of 3%

	1. Publication date	23 March 2011				
Zurich Financial Services Ltd Mythenquai 2 8022 Zurich Switzerland www.zurich.com SIX Swiss Exchange/	2. Issuer	Zurich Financial Services Ltd				
	3. Shareholders	Norges Bank (The Central Bank of Norway), Bankplassen 2, P.O. Box 1179, Sentrum, 0107 Oslo, Norway				
SWX Europe: ZURN Valor: 001107539	3.a. Identity of group members					
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	4. Shareholdings	Purchase position	Share type	Quantity	Percentage	
			Registered shares	4,542,887 (including 272,340 registered shares, i.e. 0.19% of voting rights held as collateral)	3.10%	
			Conversion rights, share purchase rights and granted (written) share sale rights	0	0%	



		Total	4,542,887	3.10%		
	Sale position	Share type	Quantity	Percentage		
		Share sale rights held and granted (written) conversion and share purchase rights		0%		
		Total	0	0%		
5. Contract date	17 March 2011					
6. Transfer date	17 March 2011					
7. Date of notification by shareholder	21 March 2011					
8. Triggering circumstances	Zurich Financial Services Ltd shares received as collateral (in connection with securities lending of other 3 rd party shares)					
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