

Transparency notification by APG Asset Management: Acquisition of voting securities

In accordance with article 14, § 1 of the law of 2 May 2007 on disclosure of major holdings APG Asset Management has notified the FSMA and Umicore on 24 October 2016 that on 21 October 2016 it has crossed the statutory threshold of 3%, holding 3.00% of Umicore's shares and voting rights.

name	date	threshold	# voting rights	denominator	% voting rights
Stichting Pensioenfonds ABP	21/10/2016		0	224,000,000	0.00%
APG Asset Management NV	21/10/2016		6,728,778	224,000,000	3.00%
TOTAL	21/10/2016	> 3.00%	6,728,778	224,000,000	3.00%

This press release is available on [Umicore's website](#). The notification can be found [here](#).

The chain of control has been described as follow:

Stichting Pensioenfonds ABP is the majority shareholder of APG Groep N.V. and APG Groep N.V. is the 100% shareholder of APG Asset Management N.V. Stichting Pensioenfonds ABP is duly represented by APG Asset Management N.V.

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