

## **Extraordinary announcement**

Erste Investment Ltd. (H-1138 Budapest, Népfürdő u. 24-26., licence number: III/75.005-19/2002, member of BSE and Deutsche Börse AG) gives the following extraordinary announcement.

On behalf of Erste Group Bank AG (as Issuer), Erste Investment Ltd. announces to the participants of the capital market that the Issuer cannot quote on Erste certificates due to external technical problems. As soon as the problem is solved, quoting continues.

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