

INVESTMENT FIRMS' ACTION WITH REGARD TO ORDERS TO SELL BME SHARES DURING THE PERIOD FOR EXERCISING THE SELL-OUT RIGHT

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Yesterday, 16 June, SIX GROUP AG (SIX) communicated, pursuant to the provisions of Article 48(3) of Spanish Royal Decree 1066/2007, of 27 July, on the regime for takeover bids (RD on takeover bids) and section 3.6.2 of the prospectus of the takeover bid launched for the shares of Bolsas y Mercados Españoles, Sociedad Holding de Mercados y Sistemas Financieros, S.A. (BME), that the requirements laid down in Article 136 of the Recast Text of the Spanish Securities Market Act and in Article 47 of the RD on takeover bids have been fulfilled for SIX to exercise the squeeze-out right and for the remaining shareholders of BME to exercise the sell-out right.

Accordingly, the shareholders of BME have the right to demand SIX to purchase their shares in exercise of their right to sell out, and may request such exercise, in accordance with the aforementioned regulations, by contacting the financial institution or the investment firm where their shares are deposited.

In this regard, it should be noted that investment firms receiving orders to sell BME shares at a price below that established for exercising the sell-out right (in principle, €32.98 per share) have the duty of considering the best interest of their clients. During the period established for requesting the sell-out, the appropriate approach is to channel the sell order through the mechanism enabled for such purpose, unless the client instructs otherwise or the order can be executed on the market or in any other way obtaining a price that is equal to or higher than the exercise price of the sell-out right.