## TR-1: Standard form for notification of major holdings

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR HOLDINGS (to be sent to the relevant issuer <u>and</u> to the FCA in Microsoft Word format if possible)<sup>i</sup>

1a. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached":			Avation plc			
<b>1b. Please indicate if the issuer is a non-UK issuer</b> (please mark with an "X" if appropriate)				priate)		
Non-UK issuer						
2. Reason for the no	otification (please ma	ark the appro	opriate box o	or boxes with an "X")		
An acquisition or dispo	osal of voting rights					
An acquisition or dispo	osal of financial instrum	nents				
An event changing the	e breakdown of voting r	rights				
	<sup>™</sup> : This notification is &G plc, resulting in a				er of	Х
3. Details of person	subject to the notifi	cation oblic	gation <sup>™</sup>			
Name			M&G Plc			
City and country of reg	gistered office (if applic	able)	London, United Kingdom			
4. Full name of shar	reholder(s) (if differen	nt from 3.)				
Name						
City and country of reg	gistered office (if applic	able)				
5. Date on which the reached*:	e threshold was cros	ssed or	21/10/2019			
6. Date on which iss	suer notified (DD/MM	I/YYYY):	22/10/2019			
7. Total positions of	f person(s) subject to	o the notific	cation oblig	ation		
	% of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8. A)	nares		Total of both in % (8.A + 8.B)	Total number voting rights of issuer vii	
Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed or reached	8.71%	0.00%		8.71%	63,129,4	42
Position of previous notification (if applicable)	N/A	N.	/A	N/A		

8. Notified details of the resulting situation on the date on which the threshold was crossed or reached					
A: Voting rights attached to shares					
Class/type of shares	Number of voting rights <sup>ix</sup>		% of voting rights		
ISIN code (if possible)	Direct (Art 9 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1)	Indirect (Art 10 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.2.1)	Direct (Art 9 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1)	Indirect (Art 10 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.2.1)	
ORD GBP0.01 GB00B196F554		5,500,549		8.71%	
SUBTOTAL 8. A		5,500,549		8.71%	

B 1: Financial Instruments according to Art. 13(1)(a) of Directive 2004/109/EC (DTR5.3.1.1 (a))				
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date <sup>x</sup>	Exercise/ Conversion Period <sup>®</sup>	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted.	% of voting rights
	- 1	SUBTOTAL 8. B 1		

B 2: Financial In 2004/109/EC (DT		th similar econon	nic effect accordi	ng to Art. 13(1)(b)	) of Directive
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date <sup>x</sup>	Exercise/ Conversion Period <sup>xi</sup>	Physical or cash settlement <sup>xii</sup>	Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
	1		SUBTOTAL 8.B.2		

## **9. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation** (please mark the applicable box with an "X")

Person subject to the notification obligation is not controlled by any natural person or legal entity and does not control any other undertaking(s) holding directly or indirectly an interest in the (underlying) issuer xiii

<u>Full</u> chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity<sup>xiv</sup> (please add additional rows as necessary)

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Name <sup>x</sup>	% of voting rights if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold	% of voting rights through financial instruments if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold	Total of both if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold
M&G Plc (Parent Company)	8.71%	0.00%	8.71%
M&G Group Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of M&G Plc)	8.71%	0.00%	8.71%
M&G FA Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of M&G Group Limited)	8.71%	0.00%	8.71%
M&G Investment Management Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of M&G FA Limited)	8.71%	0.00%	8.71%

10. In case of proxy voting, please identify:		
Name of the proxy holder	N/A	
The number and % of voting rights held	N/A	
The date until which the voting rights will be held	N/A	

11. Additional information <sup>xvi</sup>		

Place of completion	London, United Kingdom
Date of completion	22 October 2019

Annex: Notification of major holdings (to be filed with the FCA only)

A: Identity of the person subject to the notification obligation			
Full name (including legal form for legal entities)	M&G Plc		
Contact address (registered office for legal entities)	10 Fenchurch Avenue, London EC3M 5AG		
E-Mail	M&GRegional.ShareholderDisclosures@mandg.co.uk		
Phone number / Fax number	0203 977 3812		
Other useful information (at least legal representative for legal persons)			

B: Identity of the notifier, if applicable	
Full name	M&G Investment Management Limited
Contact address	10 Fenchurch Avenue, London EC3M 5AG
E-Mail	M&GRegional.ShareholderDisclosures@mandg.co.uk
Phone number / Fax number	0203 977 3812
Other useful information (e.g. functional relationship with the person or legal entity subject to the notification obligation)	

C: Additional information		