

**FORM TR-1 BE  
PART I**

1) Status of the notification

Final

2) Issuer

Name GALAPAGOS  
Identification number 0466-460-429

3) Reason for the notification

Downward crossing of the lowest threshold  
Acquisition or disposal of voting securities or voting rights

4) Notification by

A parent undertaking or a controlling person

5) Persons subject to the notification requirement

Name (& legal form for legal persons)	Address (for legal persons)
The Capital Group Companies, Inc. ("CGC")	333 South Hope Street, 55th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90071

6) Persons that dispose of, ... voting rights (Only to be filled in if art. 7 of the Law applies)

Name (& legal form for legal persons)	Address (for legal persons)

Please continue entering the information in part II concerning the persons referred to in points 5 and 6

Click

7) Date on which the threshold is crossed

19/05/2015 (DD/MM/YYYY)

8) Threshold that is crossed (in %)

5

If the holding has fallen below the lowest threshold, you have the option of not entering any numbers under point 10

9) Denominator

38,403,176

Please enter the denominator before filling in the data

10) Notified details

A) Voting rights	Previous notification	After the transaction			
	# of voting rights	# of voting rights		% of voting rights	
		Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities	Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities
CGC	0	0		0.00%	
Capital Research and Management Com	1,554,436	1,795,935		4.68%	
subtotal	1,554,436	1,795,935		4.68%	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,795,935</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4.68%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>

Start with "groups" of holders. Calculate subtotals and then finish with the persons who are "alone".  
The totals, subtotals and % will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

B) Equivalent financial instruments	After the transaction				
Holders of equivalent financial instruments	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise period or date	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised	% of voting rights
<b>TOTAL</b>		(In relation to all expiration dates)		0	0.00%

The totals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

TOTAL (Voting rights & Equivalent financial instruments)	# of voting rights	% of voting rights
	1,795,935	4.68%

11) Chain of controlled undertakings through which the holding is effectively held, if applicable

Please describe, or join a diagram in attachment

CGC is the holding company for several investment management subsidiaries including Capital Research and Management Company ("CRMC"), a 100% owned subsidiary of CGC. CRMC is a U.S.-based investment adviser that manages the American Funds family of mutual funds. All shares subject to this filing are owned by mutual funds managed by CRMC. Each fund has granted proxy voting authority to CRMC.

12) In case of proxy voting for only one GM

Holder

will cease to hold / will hold again

voting rights as of

13) Additional information

A) Convertible bonds and rights to subscribe to voting securities not yet issued					
Holder	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date (DD/MM/YYYY)	Exercise/Conversion period or date	Number	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted

B) Shares without voting rights	
Holder	Number

C) Remarks

CGC is the parent company of Capital Research and Management Company ("CRMC"). CRMC is a U.S.-based investment management company that manages the American Funds family of mutual funds. CRMC manages equity assets for various investment companies through three divisions, Capital Research Global Investors, Capital International Investors and Capital World Investors. CRMC in turn is the parent company of Capital Group International, Inc. ("CGII"), which in turn is the parent company of five investment management companies ("CGII management companies"): Capital Guardian Trust Company, Capital International, Inc., Capital International Limited, Capital International Sàrl and Capital International K.K. The CGII management companies primarily serve as investment managers to institutional clients.

Done at

On  (DD/MM/YYYY)

Name & capacity

Signature

