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## Accsys Technologies PLC

("Accsys", the "Group" or the "Company")

## Notifiable Interest – De Engh B.V.

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

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR HOLDINGS				
1a. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached <sup>®</sup> :	Accsys Technologies plc			
<b>1b. Please indicate if the issuer is a non-UK issuer</b> (please mark with an "X" if appropriate)				
Non-UK issuer				
2. Reason for the notification (please mark the appropria	ite box or bo	oxes with an "X")		
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights		X		
An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments				
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights				
Other (please specify) <sup>iii</sup> :				
3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation	<b>)N</b> <sup>iv</sup>			
Name	"Hoogh Blarick" B.V.			
City and country of registered office (if applicable)	Naarden,	The Netherlands		
<b>4. Full name of shareholder(s)</b> (if different from 3.) <sup>v</sup>				
Name	De Engh B.V.			
City and country of registered office (if applicable)	Naarden, the Netherlands			

5. Date on which the threshold was crossed or reached <sup>vi</sup> :		21/11/2023			
6. Date on which issuer notified (DD/MM/YYYY):		23/11/2023			
7. Total positions of	person(s) subje	ct to the notificatio	on obligatior	1	
	% of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8. A)	% of voting rights through financial instruments (total of 8.B 1 + 8.B 2)		Total of both in % (8.A + 8.B)	Total number of voting rights of issuer <sup>vii</sup>
Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed or reached	14.35000%	0.00%		14.35000%	34,343,727
Position of previous notification (if applicable)	11.015000%			11.015000%	
8. Notified details of	the resulting sit	uation on the date	on which th	he threshold was cross	ed or reached <sup>∞iii</sup>
A: Voting rights attac	ched to shares				
	Number of voting rights∝		% of voting rights		
Class/type of shares ISIN code (if possible)	Direct (Art 9 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1)	Indirec (Art 10 of Directive 2 (DTR5.2.1	004/109/EC)	Direct (Art 9 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1)	Indirect (Art 10 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.2.1)
GB00BQQFX454	34,343,727			14.35000%	

SUBTOTAL 8. A	34,3		34,343,727	14.3500	
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>xi</sup>	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted		% of voting rights
<u></u>	I	SUBTOTAL 8. B 1			
B 2: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect according to Art. 13(1)(b) of Directive 2004/109/EC (DTR5.3.1.1 (b))					
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date <sup>x</sup>	Exercise/ Conversion Period ≭	Physical or settlement <sup>∞i</sup>	cash	Number of voting rights
L	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")				
-	ion obligation is not controlled ing(s) holding directly or indire	• •		x
	akings through which the votin tively held starting with the ulti s necessary)		rson or legal entity <sup>xiv</sup>	
Name×v	% 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 e or is higher than notifiable thresh	the
10. In case of proxy voting,	please identify:			
Name of the proxy holder				
The number and % of voting rights held				
The date until which the voting				
11. Additional information <sup>xvi</sup>		I		

Place of completion	Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Date of completion	23 November 2023

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#### Notes to editors:

**Accsys** (Accsys Technologies PLC) is a fast-growing business with a purpose: changing wood to change the world. The company combines chemistry, technology and ingenuity to make high performance wood products that are extremely durable and stable, opening new opportunities for the built environment and giving the world a choice to build sustainably.

Access transforms fast-growing, certified sustainable wood into building materials with characteristics that match or better those of man-made, intensely resource-depleting and heavily carbon-polluting alternatives.

The company's primary focus is on the production of Accoya wood and Tricoya wood elements, as well as technology licensing via its subsidiaries Titan Wood Limited and Tricoya Technologies Limited. Accsys has its head office in London, UK, production operations in Arnhem, the Netherlands, an American office in Dallas, Texas, and is constructing the world's first Tricoya plant in Hull, UK.

Accsys is committed to a more sustainable world and uses abundantly available wood sources that are certified as sustainable. With our business model already aligned with several UN Sustainable Development Goals, Accsys is currently working on identifying further strategic ESG priorities to have an even greater positive impact on the world.

Any references in this announcement to agreements with Accsys shall mean agreements with either Accsys or its subsidiary entities unless otherwise specified. Accsys Technologies PLC is listed on the London Stock Exchange AIM market and on Euronext Amsterdam, under the symbols 'AXS'.

More information about Accsys can be found at www.accsysplc.com

Accoya wood is a sustainable, durable and stable solid wood product with exceptional performance, finish and sustainability. Accsys' proprietary acetylation process makes the wood more dimensionally stable and, because it is no longer easily digestible, extremely durable. Produced from certified (e.g. FSC<sup>®</sup>) sustainable sources, Accoya wood has many environmental credentials and ecolabels, and is one of very few building materials to be Cradle to Cradle Certified<sup>™</sup> at the Gold level, with a Platinum rating for Material Health, confirming that no harmful or toxic additives or chemicals are present to leach out into the environment.

With an up to 50-year warranty and 70+ year service life, the combination of sustainability, dimensional stability, durability and retained strength means that Accoya wood offers a wealth of new opportunities to architects, designers, specifiers, manufacturers and homeowners. These benefits result in lower maintenance and total cost of ownership while also offering significant sustainability benefits. For more information about Accoya<sup>®</sup> wood, visit <u>www.accoya.com</u>.

**Tricoya** wood elements (<u>www.tricoya.com</u>) are produced using Accsys' proprietary technology for the acetylation of wood chips and particles for use in the fabrication of panel products such as medium density fibreboard (MDF) and particle-board.

Panel products made with Tricoya wood elements are truly durable and stable enough for use outdoors and in wet environments. Combining the sustainability, durability and stability from our acetylation process with the ease of use and quality finish of wood panel products, the enhanced durability and dimensional stability opens new opportunities for the use of these products, making them suitable in applications and environments that previously required solid wood, synthetic or unsustainable materials.

Tricoya wood elements have been lauded as the first major innovation in the wood composites industry in more than 30 years. For more information about Tricoya wood elements, visit <u>www.tricoya.com</u>.

**Wood acetylation** is a process which increases the naturally occurring acetyl content of wood, thereby changing its physical properties. When carried out to a sufficient degree throughout the wood, as with Accsys' proprietary process, it significantly reduces the ability of the wood to absorb water without adding any toxic or harmful compounds, elements or substances that were not already present in the wood. This makes it much more dimensionally stable and, because it is no longer easily digestible to most organisms, extremely durable.

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