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Announcement via the Internet: LA FRANÇAISE GLOBAL COCO sub-fund of the La Française SICAV

In order to comply with Regulation (EU) 2020/852 referred to as "Taxonomy", we hereby inform you that the management company has decided to amend the prospectus of the LA FRANÇAISE GLOBAL COCO sub-fund of the La Française SICAV by adding the following statement:

"The objective of the European Union Taxonomy is to identify economic activities considered to be sustainable from an environmental perspective. The taxonomy identifies these activities according to their contribution to six major environmental objectives:

- Climate change mitigation;
- Climate change adaptation;
- The sustainable use and protection of water and marine resources;
- Transition to a circular economy (waste, prevention and recycling);
- Pollution prevention and control;
- The protection and restoration of biodiversity and ecosystems.

At present, technical screening criteria have been developed for certain economic activities capable of contributing substantially to the following two objectives: climate change mitigation and climate change adaptation. These criteria are currently awaiting publication in the Official Journal of the European Union. The data presented below therefore only reflects the alignment with these two objectives, based on the criteria that has not been definitely adopted, as submitted to the EU co-legislators. We will update this information in the event of any changes to these criteria, the development of new review criteria relating to these two objectives, and when the criteria relating to the other four environmental objectives comes into force: the sustainable use and protection of water and marine resources; the transition to a circular economy; pollution prevention and control; protection and restoration of biodiversity and ecosystems.

In order to be considered sustainable, an economic activity must demonstrate that it contributes substantially to the achievement of one of the six objectives, while not harming any of the other five (a principle known as DNSH, "Do No Significant Harm").

For an activity to be considered aligned with the European Taxonomy, it must also respect human and social rights guaranteed by international law.

The Fund does not currently make any commitment with regard to aligning its activity with the European Taxonomy.



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The Fund's management company has selected an ESG data provider in order to be able to calculate the Fund's taxonomy exposure in the near future. Once this calculation has been carried out, the Fund will be in a position to make a commitment in terms of aligning its activity with the European Taxonomy. This commitment will be stated in the Fund's prospectus via a minimum percentage to be observed. As this is a commitment, this new ratio will be closely monitored by the management company.

The principle of "not causing significant harm" applies only to investments underlying the financial product which take into account the European Union's criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the European Union's criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities".

This change will come into force on 31 December 2021.

The other features of the sub-fund remain unchanged.

We would like to draw your attention to the need and importance of reading the Key Investor Information Document of the LA FRANÇAISE GLOBAL COCO sub-fund of the La Française SICAV available at <u>www.la-francaise.com</u>

Potential investors should read all key investor information documents before making any decision to invest.