

Abbey plc ('the Company')

Transaction notification

1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated					
a)	Name	GALLAGHER HOLDINGS LIMITED				
2	Reason for the notification					
a)	Position/status	NOTIFICATION CONCERNS A PERSON(S) CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH A PDMR (CHARLES GALLAGHER – EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN AND DAVID GALLAGHER - DIRECTOR)				
b)	Initial Notification Amendment	INITIAL NOTIFICATION				
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor					
a)	Name	ABBEY PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY				
b)	LEI	N/A				
4	Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted					
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument Identification code	ORDINARY 32 CENT SHARES ISIN: IE 0000020408				
b)	Nature of the transaction	PURCHASE OF 60,000 ORDINARY 32 CENT SHARES IN ABBEY PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY				
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Price(s)</th> <th>Volume(s)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>€12.60 PER ORDINARY 32 CENT SHARE</td> <td>60,000 ORDINARY 32 CENT SHARES</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Price(s)	Volume(s)	€12.60 PER ORDINARY 32 CENT SHARE	60,000 ORDINARY 32 CENT SHARES
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d)	Aggregated information — Aggregated volume — Price	N/A – SINGLE TRANSACTION				
e)	Date of the transaction	2016-07-20				
f)	Place of the transaction	ENTERPRISE SECURITIES MARKET - DUBLIN				