

**Announcement No. 4/2010**  
**13 April 2010****Major shareholder announcement**

Pursuant to announcements Nos. 14/2008 of 14 August 2008 and 21/2009 of 4 December 2009 major shareholder Niels Peter Louis-Hansen hereby announces his policy regarding his shareholding in Coloplast A/S:

If necessary, Niels Peter Louis-Hansen will participate in Coloplast A/S' share buy-back programmes or convert A shares into B shares to ensure that his share of votes will not exceed 45%.

Niels Peter Louis-Hansen today holds 40.38% of the votes through his holding of nom. DKK 12,285,000 A shares and nom. DKK 19,676,250 B shares in Coloplast A/S.

The announced policy will be revised and communicated, if the present legal regime should be changed, if owners of A-shares should transfer shares amongst themselves, or if Niels Peter Louis-Hansen should receive a significant portion of shares by gift or inheritance. Niels Peter Louis-Hansen will in any event in 2016 decide whether this policy should be revised.

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Signed Niels Peter Louis-Hansen

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