

Coloplast establishes sponsored Level 1 ADR Programme in US

Coloplast A/S (OMX C25: COLO-B) today announces the establishment of a sponsored Level 1 American Depositary Receipt (ADR) programme in the US, with BNY Mellon acting as the depositary bank. The ADR trades under the symbol CLPBY.

Purpose of establishing a sponsored ADR programme

The American Depositary Receipt programme offers a convenient way for residents of the United States (and other USD investors) to invest in Coloplast A/S. An ADR is a negotiable US certificate representing ownership of shares in a non-US corporation. Coloplast ADRs are quoted and traded in US dollars in the Over-the-Counter (OTC) US securities market. Dividends are paid to investors in US dollars.

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Details of Coloplast's sponsored ADR Programme	
Symbol	CLPBY
Structure	Level 1 ADR
Exchange	OTC
CUSIP	19624Y101
DR ISIN	US19624Y1010
Ratio	10 ADRs : 1 ordinary share
Country	Denmark
Underlying SEDOL	B8FMRX8
Underlying ISIN	DK0060448595
Depository Bank	BNY Mellon

"The US is a key strategic market for Coloplast, both operationally as well as in terms of our investor base. With the conversion to a sponsored Level I ADR programme, we aim to facilitate further access to the Coloplast stock for global investors and further broaden our shareholder base in the long term", said Ellen Bjurgert, Vice President, Investor Relations.

"The Healthcare sector continues to be an important market for US investors," said Christopher M. Kearns, CEO of BNY Mellon's Depositary Receipts business. "We look forward to working closely with Coloplast and providing the resources and market expertise to help the company take its new sponsored ADR to the next level and further expand its US investor ownership."

Coloplast has appointed BNY Mellon as depositary bank for the company's ADRs. The Coloplast ADR profile can be searched on www.adrbnymellon.com and more information can be found on www.coloplast.com/investor-relations/share-information/adr-programme.

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About American Depositary Receipts

ADRs (American Depositary Receipts) are receipts which are issued by a depositary bank in the US and represent ownership interests in the underlying securities of a non-US company. An ADR may be traded, settled and held in the same manner as shares of US companies. Sponsored ADRs are issued by a specified depositary bank under a depositary agreement entered into between the issuer of the underlying shares and depositary bank. The agreement defines the rights and obligations of the issuer, ADR holders and the depositary bank.

Sponsored ADR programmes are classified into three types; Level I, Level II, and Level III, depending on whether the programme is listed and whether a public offering of shares is conducted. With the Level I programme announced today, there is no public offering of new shares.

Coloplast's ADRs have been traded in the US securities markets as unsponsored ADRs without the involvement of the company. All of such unsponsored ADRs will be replaced with the newly-established sponsored ADR program.

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