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Company Announcement no. 15

**The Danish Financial Supervisory Authority grants its approval of Spar Nord Bank A/S' takeover of activities from FIH Erhvervsbank A/S**

With reference to Company Announcement no. 12 of 21 May 2014 regarding Spar Nord's takeover of a customer portfolio from FIH Erhvervsbank A/S, we hereby announce that the Danish Financial Supervisory Authority has approved the planned transaction.

Following this approval the final completion of the transaction is still expected to take place on 1 July 2014.

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