

## PRESS RELEASE

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### **Disclosure of new regulatory capital requirements as from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2017**

The European Central Bank confirmed the **level of additional requirement in respect of Pillar 2** (P2R or “Pillar 2 Requirement”) for Societe Generale, which will come into force as from 1st January 2017. This level has been set at 1.50%.

Taking into account the combined regulatory buffers (excluding the counter-cyclical buffer), the phased-in CET1 ratio level that would trigger the Maximum Distributable Amount mechanism in 2017 would be 7.75%, down -200bp vs. 2016, and subsequently gradually increase, all other things being equal, to 9.50% as from 1st January 2019.

The regulatory CET1 phased-in ratio, amounting to 11.6% at end-September 2016, gives the Group comfortable room for manoeuvre to meet these new requirements.

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- **Retail banking in France** with the Societe Generale branch network, Credit du Nord and Boursorama, offering a comprehensive range of omnichannel financial services on the leading edge of digital innovation;
- **International retail banking, insurance and financial services to corporates** with a presence in developing economies and leading specialised businesses;
- **Corporate and investment banking, private banking, asset management and securities services**, with recognised expertise, top international rankings and integrated solutions.

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