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## To the National Securities Market Commission

## **<u>Re:</u>** Sale of the shareholding of Iberdrola Generación, S.A. Unipersonal in the company Bahía Bizkaia Electricidad, S.L.

Dear Sirs,

Pursuant to article 82 of Law 24/1988 of 28 July on the Securities Market (*Ley 24/1988*, *de 28 de julio, del Mercado de Valores*) and related provisions, we hereby notify you that today Iberdrola Generación, S.A. Unipersonal (the "**Company**")<sup>1</sup> has reached an agreement with BP Global Investments Ltd. by virtue of which the former will transfer to the latter its shareholding in the company Bahía Bizkaia Electricidad, S.L. ("**BBE**")<sup>2</sup> representing 25 % of its share capital (the "**Transaction**").

The consummation of the Transaction is subject to obtaining the relevant third parties' consents and authorisations, as well as the fulfillment of other conditions customary in transaction of this type.

The sale price amounts to EUR 111 million, being subject to adjustments customary in transactions of this nature. The impact of the Transaction on the consolidated profit and loss account of Iberdrola, S.A. will be determined once the above described conditions have been met. Such circumstance will be communicated to the market in due course.

At the time of the consummation of the Transaction the market will be duly informed.

This information is provided to you for the appropriate purposes.

Yours faithfully,

General Secretary and Secretary to the Board of Directors

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Iberdrola Generación, S.A. Unipersonal is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Iberdrola, S.A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> BBE is the exploiting company of the 776 MW combined cycle power plant of the Bahía de Bizkaia Gas regasification terminal in the Bilbao Harbour. BP Global Investments Ltd. holds 50% of the share capital of BBE.

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