

Offenlegung von Beteiligungen gemäss Börsenverordnung-EBK

Wattwil, 13. Januar 2009. Gurit Holding AG (SIX: GUR) gibt bekannt, dass gemäss einer am 9. resp. 12. Januar 2009 von Merrill Lynch Capital Markets AG, (Kontakt: Björn Maag; +41 44 297 7594) Stockerstrasse 23, 8002 Zürich, unterzeichneten Mitteilung die Bank of America Corp, Charlotte, North Carolina 28255, als Muttergesellschaft der BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited, 33 King William Street, London EC4R 9AS, sowie der Merrill Lynch International, 2 King Edward Street, London EC1A 1HQ, UK, als Folge des Zusammenschlusses von Merrill Lynch & Co., Ltd. mit Bank of America seit dem 5. Januar 2009 mit 26'549 Inhaberaktien neu 4.023% der Stimmrechte in Gurit Holding hält. BlackRock Investment (UK) Limited hält ihre Positionen indirekt über Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc., Merrill Lynch Group, Inc., The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc., PNC Bancorp, Inc., BlackRock, Inc., BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc, BlackRock Financial Management, Inc., BlackRock Advisors Holdings, Inc., BlackRock International Holdings, Inc., sowie direkt über BlackRock Group Limited. Merrill Lynch International hält ihre Beteiligungen indirekt über Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc., Merrill Lynch International, Inc., Merrill Lynch Group Inc., Merrill Lynch Europe Limited, Merrill Lynch Intermediate Holdings, MLEIH Funding, Merrill Lynch Holdings Ltd, ML UK Capital Holdings, Smith Bros UK - Smith Bros Limited, Merrill Lynch Group Holdings I LLC, Merrill Lynch Group Holdings II LLC, Merrill Lynch Liquidity Portfolio LP, ML EMEA Holdings II LLC, ML EMEA Holdings LLC, sowie direkt über Merrill Lynch UK Holdings und SNC Securities Limited.

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Wattwil, January 13, 2009. Gurit Holding AG (SIX: GUR) announced today that according to a notification signed on January 9 and 12, 2009 by Merrill Lynch Capital Markets AG, (contact: Björn Maag; +41 44 297 7594) Stockerstrasse 23, 8002 Zürich, Bank of America Corp, Charlotte, North Carolina 28255, USA, as mother company of BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited, 33 King William Street, London EC4R 9AS, as well as of Merrill Lynch International, 2 King Edward Street, London EC1A 1HQ, UK, holds since January 5, 2009 26,549 bearer shares as a consequence of the merger of Merrill Lynch & Co., Ltd. with Bank of America. This equals 4.023% of the voting rights in Gurit Holding. BlackRock Investment (UK) Limited holds its positions indirectly over Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc., Merrill Lynch Group, Inc., The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc., PNC Bancorp, Inc., BlackRock, Inc., BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc, BlackRock Financial Management, Inc., BlackRock Advisors Holdings, Inc., BlackRock International Holdings, Inc., as well as directly over BlackRock Group Limited. Merrill Lynch International holds its positions indirectly over Merrill Lynch & Co, Inc., Merrill Lynch International, Inc, Merrill Lynch Group Inc., Merrill Lynch Europe Limited, Merrill Lynch Intermediate Holdings, MLEIH Funding, Merrill Lynch Holdings Ltd, ML UK Capital Holdings, Smith Bros UK - Smith Bros Limited, Merrill Lynch Group Holdings I LLC, Merrill Lynch Group Holdings II LLC, Merrill Lynch Liquidity Portfolio LP, ML EMEA Holdings II LLC, ML EMEA Holdings LLC, as well as directly over Merrill Lynch UK Holdings und SNC Securities Limited.

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