

## **Term Sheet**

Indicative Terms and Conditions (our ref. CE0873BRD) as of April 06th, 2022

# 5Y Split Deposit linked to BNP Paribas World Climate Care RC8 **AR Index in ZAR Quanto**

Issuer BNP Paribas Issuance B.V. (S&P's A+)
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Guarantor BNP Paribas (S&P's A+ / Moody's Aa3 / Fitch AA-)

**Issue Type Custom Index Certificate** 

**Issue Amount** ZAR 15,000,000

**Number of Certificates** 150,000

**Notional Amount per** Certificate (N)

1 Certificate = ZAR 100

**Total Notional Amount** 

**Traded** 

**ZAR TBC** 

**Minimum Subscription** 

Amount

ZAR 100, i.e. 1 Denomination for EEA investors

**ZAR Quanto** Currency

Issue Price per Certificate

**ZAR 100** 

JSE Limited (Main Market) Listing

**Trade Date** May 31st, 2022 **Subscription Period** May 24th, 2022

**End Date** Strike Date June 01st, 2022 June 17th, 2022 **Issue Date** 

**Redemption Valuation** 

**Date** 

June 01st, 2027

June 17th, 2027 **Redemption Date** 

**Custom Index** BNP Paribas World Climate Care RC8 AR Index (Bloomberg: BNPIEWC8 Index)

**Fixed Payment**  $N \times 25\% \times (100\% + XX_n\%)$ 

Paid on the Fixed Payment Daten

**Fixed Payment Dates** n Fixed Payment Daten  $\boldsymbol{X}\boldsymbol{X}_n$ 

> 1 June 19th, 2023 13.50% 2 30.00% June 17th, 2025

 $XX_n$  are the indicative levels.

The minimum coupons equal to  $XX_1 = 12.00\%$  and  $XX_2 = 27.00\%$ If these levels cannot be achieved the product will not be traded.

**Final Redemption** On the Redemption Date, the Issuer shall redeem each Certificate at the following Cash

Settlement Amount:

1) If IndexFinal is greater than or equal to IndexInitial:

$$N \times \left[50\% + G \times \frac{Index_{Final} - Index_{Initial}}{Index_{Initial}}\right]$$

2) If IndexFinal is less than IndexInitial:

N x 50%

Where

Index<sub>Initial</sub> is the official closing level of the Underlying Index on the Strike Date, i.e. (TBC) Index<sub>Final</sub> is the official closing level of the Underlying Index on the Redemption Valuation Date. G means 75%.

**Specified Maximum Days of Disruption** 

3 Scheduled Trading Days

**Business Day** Convention

Following Business Day

**Additional Disruption** 

**Events** 

Change in Law **Hedging Disruption** 

**Optional Additional Disruption Events** 

Increased Cost of Hedging

### **OTHER TERMS**

**Scheduled Trading Day** All Index Basis as set out in the Base Prospectus

**Exchange Business** Day

All Index Basis as set out in the Base Prospectus

**Business Days for** payments

TARGET 2, London, Johannesburg

**Calculation Agent** 

BNP Paribas Arbitrage S.N.C.

**Governing Law** 

**English** 

**Documentation** 

The securities will be issued under the Issuer's Note, Warrant and Certificate Programme (the "Programme") by way of Pricing Supplement. Copies of the Programme's base prospectus (the "Base Prospectus") dated 1 June 2021 (which sets out the terms and conditions to be completed by the Pricing Supplement) and any supplements thereto are available from BNP Paribas Arbitrage SNC on request.

The JSE Placement Document dated 01 September 2016 as well as the Pricing Supplement will be made available on the JSE website.

In the event of any inconsistency between this Term Sheet and the Pricing Supplement relating to the Certificates, the Pricing Supplement will prevail.

**Form** 

Uncertificated Securities in the form set out in the South African Agency Agreement for the Programme.

Codes ISIN: TBC

Instrument Number: TBC

**JSE Attribute** Information

Issuer Name: BNP Paribas Issuance B.V.

Instrument Name: TBC

Equity Derivatives Solutions / Structured Products - South Africa



Instrument Short Name: TBC Alpha (Common) code: TBC

Instrument Description: Custom Index Underlying Description: BNPIEWC8 Index

**Reuters Ric for** Structure

TBC=BNPP

**Minimum Subscription** Size

Minimum Subscription ZAR 100, i.e. 1 Denomination for EEA investors

**Minimum Trading Size** 

1 Certificate (and multiples of 1 Certificate thereafter)

#### **Secondary Trading**

Daily price indications including accrued interest will be published on Reuters.

No representation is made as to the existence of a market for the Certificates. BNP Paribas Arbitrage S.N.C. will endeavour to make a secondary market in the Certificates, subject to it being satisfied that normal market conditions prevail. Any prices indicated will be dependent upon factors affecting or likely to affect the value of the Certificates such as, but not limited to, the remaining time to the Redemption Date, the outstanding principal amount, the Issuer's or, if applicable, the Guarantor's credit risk, the performance and volatility of the underlying asset, interest rates, exchange rates, credit spreads, and any incidental costs. To the extent BNP Paribas Arbitrage S.N.C. holds Certificates that it can offer and subject to it being satisfied that normal market conditions prevail, such prices will have a bid-offer spread no greater than 1%.

Holders should be aware that the secondary market price for any Certificate guoted on or after the fourth (4th) Clearing System business day preceding any date on which the Issuer is due to make a payment thereon, shall exclude the amount so payable per Certificate. The Holder of the Certificates on the record date, as determined by the rules of the relevant Clearing System, shall be entitled to receive or retain any such amount on the due date for payment thereof.

**Clearing System** 

Strate Limited (the "CSD")

**CSD Participant** 

First National Bank, Johannesburg

Initial Settlement

Delivery versus payment.

BNPParibas Arbitrage S.N.C. as agent for the Issuer will settle through the CSD Participant.

Settlement must be made in Units.

**Selling Restrictions** 

As set out in the Base Prospectus

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For the avoidance of doubt, the Issuer and/or its affiliates may not be able to trade on and hedge its obligations in respect of the Index under the Certificates notwithstanding the calculation of the level of the Index. In the event that the Strike Date or a Valuation Date or any other reference date is a Disrupted Day for the Index, the Strike Date or Valuation Date or any other reference date shall be the first succeeding day on which the Issuer or relevant affiliate is able to trade on and hedge it obligations in respect of the Index, subject to a specified maximum days of disruption, as more fully set out in the Terms and Conditions of the Certificates.