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DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL **TRUST** COMPANY, ETC., res, v. RICARDO M. LOAYZA, ET AL., app, ET AL., def — (Index No. 15356/13)

R. David Marguez, P.C., Mineola, NY, for appellants.

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Greenberg Traurig, LLP, New York, NY (Marissa Banez of counsel), for respondent.

In an action to foreclose a mortgage, the defendants Ricardo M. Loayza and Aby Montanez appeal from (1) a decision of the Supreme Court, Nassau County (Thomas A. Adams, J.), entered December 20, 2018, and (2) an order of the same court entered December 20, 2018. The order, insofar as appealed from, upon the decision, granted those branches of the plaintiff's motion which were for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against those defendants, to strike their answer and affirmative defenses, and for an order of reference, and denied those defendants' cross motion for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against them.

ORDERED that the appeal from the decision is dismissed, as no appeal lies from a decision (see Schicchi v. Green Constr. Corp., 100 AD2d 509); and it is further,

ORDERED that the order is reversed insofar as appealed from, on the law, those branches of the plaintiff's motion which were for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendants Ricardo M. Loayza and Aby Montanez, to strike those defendants' answer and affirmative defenses, and for an order of reference are denied, and the cross motion of the defendants Ricardo M. Loayza and Aby Montanez for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against them is granted; and it is further,

ORDERED that one bill of costs is awarded to the defendants Ricardo M. Loayza and Aby Montanez.

In December 2013, the plaintiff commenced this action against the defendants Ricardo M. Loayza and Aby Montanez (hereinafter together the defendants), among others, to foreclose a mortgage on residential property in Baldwin. The defendants interposed an answer asserting, inter alia, an affirmative defense that the plaintiff failed to comply with the notice requirements of RPAPL 1304.

In June 2018, the plaintiff moved, inter alia, for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendants, to strike their answer and affirmative defenses, and for an order of reference. The defendants opposed the motion and cross-moved for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against them on the ground that the plaintiff failed to comply with the notice

requirements of RPAPL 1304. In an order entered December 20, 2018, the Supreme Court granted the plaintiff's motion and denied the defendants' cross motion. The defendants appeal. We reverse.

RPAPL 1304 requires that, at least 90 days before a lender, an assignee, or a mortgage loan servicer commences an action to foreclose the mortgage on a home loan as defined in the statute, such lender, assignee, or mortgage loan servicer give notice to the borrower. The statute provides the required content for the notice and provides that the notice must be sent by registered or certified mail and also by first-class mail to the last known address of the borrower (see id. §1304[2]). "Strict compliance with RPAPL 1304 notice to the borrower or borrowers is a condition precedent to the commencement of a foreclosure action" (Citibank, N.A. v. Conti-Scheurer, 172 AD3d 17, 20; see Bank of N.Y. Mellon v. Porfert, 187 AD3d 1110, 1112; Citimortgage, Inc. v. Banks, 155 AD3d 936, 936-937), "and the plaintiff has the burden of establishing satisfaction of this condition" (Aurora Loan Servs., LLC v. Weisblum, 85 AD3d 95, 106).

Here, the plaintiff failed to establish its strict compliance with RPAPL 1304. Although the plaintiff demonstrated that it mailed the RPAPL 1304 notice to the defendants by both certified and first-class mail (see Ocwen Loan Servicing LLC v. Siame, 185 AD3d 408, 409), and that the contents of the notice complied with RPAPL 1304(1), the plaintiff failed to establish that it sent a 90-day notice individually addressed to each defendant in separate envelopes, as required by the statute (see Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. v. Yapkowitz, 199 AD3d 126). Instead, as the plaintiff concedes, the notice was mailed in a single envelope jointly to both defendants.

Accordingly, the Supreme Court should have denied those branches of the plaintiff's motion which were for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendants, to strike their answer and affirmative defenses, and for an order of reference, and granted the defendants' cross motion for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against them.

DUFFY, J.P., IANNACCI and FORD, JJ., concur.

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* Shares in Deutsche Bank AG and Commerzbank AG tumbled at least 8% yesterday following the sale by a single investor of stakes of around 5% each in the German lenders for combined proceeds of up to €1.75 billion, news outlets including The Wall Street Journal and Bloomberg News reported. The investor was U.S. **investment** firm Capital Group Cos. Inc., sources told the Journal. The disposal came roughly three months after Cerberus Capital Management LP trimmed its stakes in Deutsche and Commerzbank. Both banks are sticking with their new strategies, their respective spokespersons told Bloomberg.

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- * Banco BPM SpA will fully acquire Italian insurance company Bipiemme Vita SpA by purchasing the 81% stake held by Covéa Coopération SA for approximately €310 million. The lender, which already holds 19% in Bipiemme Vita, is expected to receive an extraordinary dividend of €120 million at closing. The acquisition is part of Banco BPM's agreement with the Covéa Group and the lender's 2021-2024 strategy, which sees the inclusion of the insurance business by 2023-end.
- ➤ Hong Kong bankers high in demand as city fights to keep finance hub status

Banks in Hong Kong face an acute talent shortage as the city continues to impose some of the strictest travel restrictions in the world currently to control the COVID-19 pandemic.

➤ US banks post solid loan growth in Q1'22 as uncertainties build

Investors will be watching earnings reports closely for signals about whether macroeconomic concerns and shocks like the war in Ukraine are impacting loan demand.

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BANKING

- * Members of Russia's State Duma submitted a bill under which Russia's development bank, State Development Corp. VEB.RF, or other entities appointed by authorities or courts could act as external administrators of Russian businesses owned by foreign companies that leave Russia due to its conflict with Ukraine, Reuters reported. The external administration could be introduced at companies having a key role for Russia's infrastructure and supply chains, and the exiting owners would have the option to resume their operations in Russia or sell their business within three months, the news wire said, citing the bill.
- * Ukraine's president, Volodymyr Zelenskyy, called on the EU to introduce an embargo on Russian oil, set deadlines for ending imports of Russian gas and sanction all Russian banks, Reuters reported. The EU earlier imposed sanctions against several large Russian banks amid Russia's ongoing invasion of Ukraine, cutting them off from the Swift financial messaging system and introducing a full ban on transactions with those lenders.
- * Banks in the eurozone intend to impose in the second quarter stricter guidelines and criteria for approving corporate loans amid the uncertainty surrounding the impact of the Russia-Ukraine war,

according to the ECB's latest bank lending survey released yesterday. A slight tightening of credit standards for housing loans and consumer credit is also expected.

- * Proxy advisers Glass Lewis and ISS urged shareholders of Credit Suisse Group AG to vote against absolving the Switzerland-based bank's board and executives of legal liability for the events in 2020 that led up to the collapse of U.S. family office Archegos Capital, Bloomberg reported. Meanwhile, Glass Lewis and ISS recommended that investors reject a proposal by another proxy adviser, Ethos, for a special audit into Credit Suisse's dealings with collapsed U.K. specialty lender Greensill Capital (UK) Ltd.
- * Credit Suisse Group has created a new committee to look into the Switzerland-based bank's participation in mergers of U.S. special purpose acquisition companies in light of proposed tighter regulations for the sector there, a source told Bloomberg. Any SPAC transaction should reportedly be approved by both the new "tactical deSPAC committee" and the investment banking committee. A Credit Suisse spokesman declined to comment to Bloomberg.
- * U.S.-based Goldman Sachs has become the largest significant shareholder in Spain's Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria SA with a 5.95% stake in the entity's share capital, Expansión wrote. It is ahead of other significant shareholders such as BlackRock, which has a 5.917% stake, and the CQG Partners fund, with a 3.09% stake.
- * Commerzbank Polish unit mBank SA said the costs of legal risk related to its Swiss Franc mortgage loan portfolio reached 192.7 million zlotys in the first quarter, but it still expects to report a consolidated net profit for the period.

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- * German fund management company Universal-Investment-Gesellschaft mbH is acquiring investment fund specialist European Fund Administration SA in Luxembourg, increasing its total AUM by €167 billion to more than €900 billion.
- * Swiss real estate financial services firm Avobis Invest AG is taking over mortgage management company Kreditfabrik AG, increasing its mortgage management volume to over CHF12 billion.
- * Italian asset manager Azimut Holding SpA agreed to purchase a minority stake in U.S. private equity group Broadlight Holdings, MF said.
- * Czech investment company Wood & Co postponed the launch of its first SPAC by approximately one month due to uncertainty caused by Russia's invasion of Ukraine, Hospodarske Noviny reported.

POLICY AND REGULATION

* Poland's government, Financial Supervision Authority and the central bank are working on various solutions to help retail borrowers amid growing interest rates, including a simplified access to the country's Borrowers Support Fund that offers financial assistance to vulnerable mortgage holders, news agency PAP said, citing Prime Minister Mateusz Morawiecki.

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symbol LU0130393993 fund manager(s) Management Team

Philipp Schweneke

fundprofile The fund is actively managed with reference to the benchmark STOXX Europe 600 (TR). The fund invests primarily in equities of German, European and international companies whose corporate culture is geared towards reconciling the greatest possible return with ecological and social criteria. The fund may also acquire index certificates and participation certificates and use derivatives to hedge the fund assets. The selection of individual investments is at the discretion of the fund management, although the majority of securities are likely to be part of the benchmark.

investment style Equity Fund International 25.641.000,00 EUR (31.01.2022)

number of securities 93

top holdings (as of 31.01.2022)

position name portfolio percentage

BPER Banca 2,63

Volvo Car 2,22

JD Sports Fashion 1,80

E. ON Reg. 1,77

Telefonaktiebolaget L. M. Ericsson B (Free) 1,70

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fund manager(s) Paul Buchwitz
fundbrofile The fund inve

fundprofile The fund invests predominantly in securities of domestic and foreign issuers that pay particular attention to environmental and social issues as well as corporate governance or are active in an industrial sector that contributes directly or indirectly to one of the Sustainable Development Goals of the 2030 Agenda. At least 80% of the fund's assets will be invested in equities that meet the above criteria. The fund is actively managed without reference to a benchmark.

investment style Equity Fund International AUM 14.000,00 EUR (31.01.2022)

number of securities 79

top holdings (as of 31.01.2022)

position name portfolio percentage

Microsoft Corp. 4,82

Veolia Environnement 4,55

Waste Management (Del.) 3,66

UnitedHealth Group 3,36

Canadian National Railway Co. 3,30

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symbol DE0005318406 fund manager(s) Ralf Schreyer

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fundprofile The fund invests in equities, interest-bearing securities, convertible bonds, bonds with warrants, warrants, participation

certificates and index certificates of domestic and foreign issuers. At least 51% of the fund shall consist of Pfandbriefe, municipal bonds or bearer bonds

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European Union or another state party to the Agreement on the European Economic Area. Environmental and social aspects and the principles of good corporate governance are also taken into account when selecting investments. The selection of individual investments is at the discretion of the fund management. The fund is actively managed without reference to a benchmark.

investment style Balanced Fund Europa

AUM 1.759.000,00 EUR (31.01.2022)

number of securities 278

top holdings (as of 31.01.2022)

position name portfolio percentage

Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau 20/30.09.30 1,40

SSB Treasury 20/14.12.28 MTN 1,33

Amundi Physical Metals/Gold Und. ETC 1,27

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DWS Water Sustainability Fund

Nektarios Kessidis

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technology and water resource management. Within this framework, the selection of individual investments is the responsibility of the fund $\frac{1}{2}$

management.

investment style Balanced Fund International AUM 175.401.000,00 EUR (31.01.2022)

number of securities 46

top holdings (as of 31.01.2022)

position name portfolio percentage

Veolia Environnement 6,22 Xylem 5,64 Danaher Corp. 5,53 Halma 4,82 Geberit Reg. Disp. 4,68

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BY By Barros, J.P., Connolly, Christopher, Genovesi, JJ.

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DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL **TRUST** COMPANY, ETC., res, v. BIBI GOPAUL, app, ET AL., def — Appeal from an order and judgment (one paper) of the Supreme Court, Queens County, entered February 11, 2020. Motion by the respondent to dismiss the appeal on the ground that it was untimely taken, and for an award of attorney's fees.

Upon the papers filed in support of the motion and the papers filed in opposition thereto, it is

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ORDERED that the motion is denied.

BARROS, J.P., CONNOLLY, CHRISTOPHER and GENOVESI, JJ., concur.

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HD U.S. Investor Sells Stakes In Deutsche, Commerzbank

BY By Patricia Kowsmann and Ben Dummett

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U.S. **investment** firm Capital Group Cos. simultaneously sold major stakes in Deutsche Bank AG and Commerzbank AG, Germany's biggest lenders, causing shares in both to tumble.

Capital Group unloaded roughly 5% stakes in both banks, according to people familiar with the sale, generating proceeds of around 1.75 billion euros, equivalent to \$1.9 billion. Morgan Stanley arranged the sales. The shares were offered at around 7% discounts to their previous trading levels.

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In Germany, shares of Deutsche Bank fell 9.4% and Commerzbank dropped 8.5%.

Capital Group added to stakes in both banks in 2020, when the global economy was hit and then rebounded from Covid-19 lockdowns. It eventually accumulated more than 5%, according to FactSet. No other investor held 5% or more in either stock, according to the data provider.

A Capital Group spokeswoman declined to comment.

The war in Ukraine has clouded Germany's economic outlook, raising the possibility of a major slowdown in growth coupled with high energy prices and inflation, prospects that could damage bank profitability.

Both banks have disclosed limited exposure to Russia, but Germany's reliance on Russian oil and gas has raised questions about the strength of the country's economy. The European Union has held discussions over putting an embargo on oil sales from Russia.

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Germany's biggest banks have struggled in recent years under the weight of negative interest rates. The country's banking sector is also highly competitive, with state-owned savings banks that don't give priority to making a profit beating out giants like Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank for deposits and loans.

There have also been repeated self-inflicted wounds, including major regulatory fines and penalties. German banks trade at a fraction of their book value per share, a common metric investors use to evaluate lenders. U.S. banks by contrast trade above book value.

Contrarian investors have loaded up on German bank shares, betting that the landscape would change. Over the past couple of years, share prices of both banks had risen but are still far below where they were in the middle of the last decade. Over the same period, shares in American banks, such as JPMorgan Chase & Co., have doubled.

The sales in Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank are the second by a major investor in the banks in recent months. Cerberus Capital Management in January sold a chunk of its stake in both banks. When it bought the stakes in 2017, Cerberus hoped a pickup in the German economy would help the lenders, which could eventually merge and become a powerhouse.

But a merger attempt in 2019 failed, and both banks had to set their own strategy paths. Both have shown signs of recovery under their respective plans.

In March, Deutsche Bank said despite the uncertainty over the war in Ukraine, it had a promising start to the year, and its objectives remain unchanged.

When Capital Group first disclosed a 3.1% investment in Deutsche Bank in February 2020, its shares were trading at around 9.33 euros. The seller in this week's sale offered 116 million shares, representing about a 5.3% stake, in Deutsche Bank for 10.98 euros a share, and 72.5 million shares, or about a 5.7% stake, in Commerzbank for 6.55 euros a share.

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April 13 (SeeNews) - The undisclosed major investor who sold shares worth EUR 1.75 billion (USD 1.9bn) in Deutsche Bank AG (ETR:DBK) and Commerzbank AG (ETR:CBK) is US Capital Group, business daily Handelsblatt reports, citing financial sources.

Reuters reported on Monday evening that **investment** banks on behalf of undisclosed institutional investors are offering 116 million Deutsche Bank shares and 72.5 million Commerzbank shares. These packages correspond to 5.6% of Deutsche Bank and 5.8% of Commerzbank.

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The news caused a slide in the shares of the two banks. Deutsche closed 9.36% lower at EUR 10.80 on Tuesday in Frankfurt while Commerzbank ended the session at EUR 6.41, down 8.47%.

According to experts cited by Handelsblatt, Capital Group decided to exit Germany's two top banks due to the deteriorated environment in the European banking sector. The expected recovery as a result of the turnaround in the interest rate policy of the European Central Bank was overshadowed by the war in Ukraine and its implications for the economy.

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HD Deutsche Bank, Commerzbank shares plunge after large investor offloads stakes; The shares were offered at around 7% discounts to their previous trading levels; shares of Deutsche Bank fell 10%, while Commerzbank fell more than 8%

BY By Patricia Kowsmann and Ben Dummett

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A large investor simultaneously sold major stakes in Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank, Germany's biggest lenders, causing shares in both to tumble.

The undisclosed shareholder unloaded roughly 5% stakes in both banks, generating proceeds of around €1.75bn, equivalent to \$1.9bn, based on the sale prices of the offerings, which were arranged by Morgan Stanley. The shares were offered at around 7% discounts to their previous trading levels.

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Shares of Deutsche Bank fell 10%, while Commerzbank fell over 8% on the morning of 12 April.

A large shareholder in both banks is Capital Group. The US investor added to stakes in both banks in 2020 when the global economy was hit and then rebounded from Covid-19 lockdowns. It eventually accumulated more than 5%, according to FactSet. No other investor held 5% or more in either stock, according to the data provider.

READ Cerberus trims stakes in Deutsche Bank, Commerzbank

A Capital Group spokeswoman declined to comment.

The war in Ukraine has clouded Germany's economic outlook, raising the possibility of a major slowdown in growth coupled with high energy prices and inflation, prospects that could damage bank profitability.

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There have also been repeated self-inflicted wounds, including major regulatory fines and penalties. German banks trade at a fraction of their book value per share, a common metric investors use to evaluate lenders. US banks by contrast trade for above book value.

Contrarian investors have loaded up on German bank shares, betting that the landscape would change. Over the past couple of years, share prices of both banks had risen but are still far below where they were in the middle of the last decade. Over the same period, shares in American banks, such as JPMorgan, have doubled.

The sales in Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank are the second by a major investor in the banks in recent months. Cerberus Capital Management in January sold a chunk of its stake in both banks. When it bought the stakes in 2017, Cerberus hoped a pickup in the German economy would help the lenders, which could eventually merge and become a powerhouse.

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HD Sharp falls for Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank on the sale of a major investor

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Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank shares have registered heavy losses of 9.14% and 8.47%, respectively, after a large investor sold a significant stake in the market.

As reported by 'CNBC', this 'strong hand' may be the **investment** fund Capital Group, which controls a 5% stake in both entities.

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Market sources have confirmed the sale of large blocks of Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank shares. Specifically, a large investor has sold 116 million shares of the former and 72 million shares of the latter, which represents around 5% of the capital of both entities.

Capital Group reached 5% of Deutsche Bank in November 2021 and increased its stake in Commerzbank to more than 5% in October 2020. For the time being, the investment fund has not commented on this possible sale.

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Contrarian investors had loaded up on German banks betting that the country's lending

landscape would change

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Capital Group added to <u>stakes in both banks in 2020</u>, when the global economy was hit and then rebounded from Covid-19 lockdowns. It eventually accumulated more than 5%, according to FactSet. No other investor held 5% or more in either stock, according to the data provider.

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Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank shares fell after an investor sold stakes worth a total of €1.75 billion (\$1.90 billion) in Germany's two biggest lenders.

The U.S. **investment** firm Capital Group was identified as the seller of the stakes, according to The Wall Street Journal.

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Capital Group sold stakes of more than 5% in both banks, the Journal report said, citing people familiar with the trades. Capital Group declined to comment.

Shares in Deutsche Bank (ticker: DB) were down more than 8% in late afternoon trading in Frankfurt on Tuesday, while smaller peer Commerzbank (CBKG.DE) fell 1.2%.

Monday's share sale comes after U.S. private-equity group Cerberus in January cut its stake in Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank by more than a third.

"We remain confident in our strategy," Deutsche Bank said in an emailed statement to Barron's. "Our focused business model and risk management capabilities have proven their resilience in challenging times."

"The sale of a share portfolio does not change our strategy," Commerzbank said in an emailed statement, adding that the bank's business model and its risk management have "proven their worth in challenging times".

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(Bloomberg) US **investment** firm Capital Group sold its stakes in two of Germany's largest banks, depriving the industry of a shareholder who has been considered a stabilizing force.

Capital Group will divest itself of Deutsche Bank AG and Commerzbank AG just weeks after selling 900 million pounds (US\$1.2 billion) in Barclays Plc shares, according to people familiar with the matter. The **investment** firm was previously among the largest shareholders of each of the three companies, according to data from Bloomberg.

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Capital Group's move comes at a time when the European banking sector is facing the double challenge of rapid inflation and a possible recession following the sanctions imposed on Russia by the war in Ukraine. Late Monday's announcement that an undisclosed investor was selling shares of Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank affected both securities, which fell by 10.8% and 9.6% respectively.

A representative of Capital Group declined to comment. Representatives of Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank said that any sale of shares by investors does not affect their respective strategies.

Capital Group acquired a large stake in Deutsche Bank in early 2020, sending a signal of confidence in the CEO, Christian Sewing, and driving the action higher. Just a month later, Capital Group also increased its stake in Commerzbank.

Los Angeles-based Capital Group is one of the largest asset managers in the world, with more than \$2 trillion in assets. The firm has stakes in numerous financial companies, including PayPal Holdings Inc. and Wells Fargo & Co., according to regulatory records.

The 1.27 billion euro (US\$1.4 billion) stake in Deutsche Bank was sold at a 7.9% discount from Monday's closing price, according to the terms to which Bloomberg had access. A simultaneous sale of a stake in Commerzbank raised 475 million euros with a 6.6% discount. Morgan Stanley arranged both transactions.

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U.S. **investment** firm Capital Group Cos. simultaneously sold major stakes in Deutsche Bank AG and Commerzbank AG, Germany's biggest lenders, causing shares in both to tumble.

Capital Group unloaded roughly 5% stakes in both banks, according to people familiar with the sale, generating proceeds of around EUR1.75 billion, equivalent to \$1.9 billion. Morgan Stanley arranged the sales. The shares were offered at around 7% discounts to their previous trading levels.

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Shares of Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank were down around 8% after falling more sharply earlier Tuesday.

Capital Group added to stakes in both banks in 2020, when the global economy was hit and then rebounded from Covid-19 lockdowns. It eventually accumulated more than 5%, according to FactSet. No other investor held 5% or more in either stock, according to the data provider.

A Capital Group spokeswoman declined to comment.

The war in Ukraine has clouded Germany's economic outlook, raising the possibility of a major slowdown in growth coupled with high energy prices and inflation, prospects that could damage bank profitability.

Both banks have disclosed limited exposure to Russia, but Germany's reliance on Russian oil and gas has raised questions about the strength of the country's economy. The European Union has held discussions over putting an embargo on oil sales from Russia.

"Our focused business model and risk management capabilities have proven their resilience in challenging times," a Deutsche Bank spokesman said Tuesday.

Germany's biggest banks have struggled in recent years under the weight of negative interest rates. The country's banking sector is also highly competitive, with state-owned savings banks that don't give priority to making a profit beating out giants like Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank for deposits and loans.

There have also been repeated self-inflicted wounds, including major regulatory fines and penalties. German banks trade at a fraction of their book value per share, a common metric investors use to evaluate lenders. U.S. banks by contrast trade for above book value.

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Germany-based Deutsche Bank (NYSE: DB) has said that its Corporate Venture Capital (CVC) group has invested in SkyHive, a Canada-headquartered, **cloud**-based workforce management and reskilling software provider.

A top Deutsche Bank official said that the move would help it with better resource management, workforce up-skilling, and employee retention.

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daniel roland/Agence France-Presse/Getty ImagesIt appears that Los Angeles-based Capital Group has thrown in the towel on its **investment** in Deutsche Bank, as well as rival Commerzbank.

Bloomberg News reported that <u>an offering of 116 million shares</u> in Deutsche Bank XE:DBK and 72.5 million shares in Commerzbank XE:CBK was priced.

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While it's not clear who made that sale, Capital Group is the only actively managed institutional shareholder, according to FactSet data, that had enough stock in both to make such a sale.

A Capital Group spokeswoman said company policy is not to comment on holdings.

Both stocks were hammered in early trade, with Deutsche Bank down 10% and Commerzbank down 9%.

Capital Group in 2020 had increased its stake in Deutsche Bank.

Sentiment in the German economy has soured as the country deals with an inflation crisis exacerbated by Russia's invasion of Ukraine. That conflict is particularly an issue for the German economy due to its reliance on Russian natural gas.

The Ifo business climate index for Germany suffered a record collapse in March, mostly due to deteriorating expectations.

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An undisclosed investor is selling shares in Deutsche Bank and Commerzbank, aas it was informed by the foreign media April 11. The sale concerns the stakes that amount to more than 5% in Germany's top two lenders, in particular, 116 million shares of Deutsche Bank and for 72.5 million shares of Commerzbank. One investor who holds such sizeable stakes in both banks is Capital Group of Los Angeles. A spokesperson for the investor declined to comment. Capital Group had increased its stake to more than 5% in Deutsche Bank in November 2021. It increased its stake in Commerzbank to more than 5% in October 2020. In recent months, U.S. investor Cerberus began to shed its large stakes in both banks. Deutsche Bank AG is a German multinational **investment** bank and financial services company headquartered in Frankfurt, Germany. Commerzbank is a major German bank operating as a universal bank, headquartered in Frankfurt am Main.

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In the 2019 financial year, the bank was the second largest in Germany by the total value of its balance sheet.

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Deutsche Bank has made a significant equity **investment** in SkyHive, a workforce technology provider delivering insights for improved human capital managment.

The **investment** comes from Deutsche Bank's strategic corporate venture capital unit. The deal will support SkyHive's growing global operations with a focus on the firm's expansion into the European market. SkyHive works to combine real-time, global market data with transparent Al to provide its clients with actionable insights into skills, skill gaps, industry benchmarks, and reskilling options.

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"Using data intelligently and with purpose will take human capital management to the next level," added Michael Ilgner, global head of HR & real estate at Deutsche Bank. "SkyHive is addressing a key talent shortage issue observed across all industries and particularly prevalent in financial services. Its value proposition of providing employers with a better understanding of the skills of their workforce and in the market paves the way for improved resource management, workforce upskilling, and employee retention."

Human capital is by far the most untapped potential in today's modern age," said SkyHive founder and CEO Sean Hinton. "Enterprises and communities that are alert to the advancements in strategic workforce solutions can radically transform top and bottom-line growth trajectories by unleashing their workforce's full capacity. Who you hire, where you hire, what you pay, who you deploy and how you compete are just a few examples of key business decisions that hinge on a deep, continuous and accurate understanding of your constituents' skills. Our technology uniquely enables this mission-critical capability, and therefore was a strong rationale for Deutsche Bank's investment."

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April 11 -- Deutsche Bank AG issued the following news release:

- The latest addition to the bank's CVC portfolio, SkyHive helps companies to better understand their workforce and identify areas for upskilling

The bank's Corporate Venture Capital (CVC) group has invested in SkyHive, a cloud-based workforce management and reskilling software provider. The start-up's labour analysis platform helps enterprises to better understand their workforce, skillsets, and talent needs for employee upskilling.

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Gil Perez, Chief Innovation Officer at Deutsche Bank and Head of Deutsche Bank Corporate Venture Capital, said: "We are delighted to invest, partner and collaborate with SkyHive. Deutsche Bank's digital transformation has accelerated the pace and scale we need to upskill our workforce, attract, and recruit the best talent in the market. Our ability to effectively and continually invest in our current and future employees is an integral part of our digital transformation."

SkyHive is the latest addition to the bank's CVC portfolio, following the recent investment into Taina and SeaLights. The CVC programme is a core element of the bank's innovation agenda. The CVC team focuses on investing in selected fintech and start-up technology solutions that will enable Deutsche Bank to either improve the client experience, create innovative banking and financial services, or increase productivity by helping the bank to digitalise more of its front-to-back processes.

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Workforce intelligence innovator SkyHive accelerates global expansion

PALO ALTO, Calif.–(BUSINESS WIRE)–SkyHive, a workforce technology innovator that delivers powerful insights for improved human capital management (HCM), today announced that Deutsche Bank, Germany's leading bank, has made a sizable equity **investment** in the company via its strategic Corporate Venture Capital unit. The **funding** coincides with SkyHive's European incorporation and increasing demand from multinational customers.

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In addition to the investment, SkyHive has invited Karen Meyer, Chief Operating Officer for Deutsche Bank's HR organization, to participate in SkyHive's Board of Directors meetings in a non-voting observer capacity.

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|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Highest price per unit | Lowest price per unit | |
| security | | securities |
| paid/received | paid/received | |

(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

| Class of relevant | Product description | Nature of dealing |
|------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Number of reference | Price per unit | |
| security securities | e.g. CFD | e.g. opening/closing a |
| | | <pre>long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position</pre> |

- (c) Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)
- (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

| Class of | Product | Writing, | Number of | Exercise |
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| American, | | received per | | |
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(ii) Exercise

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(<u>Kitco News</u>) - Commodities prices have the potential for substantial further gains from here, according to J.P Morgan strategists. In a recent comment, the U.S. <u>investment</u> bank said "In the current juncture where the need for inflation hedges is more elevated, it is conceivable to see longer-term commodity allocations eventually rising above 1% of total financial assets globally, surpassing the previous highs seen during 2008 or 2011," the strategists wrote in a commentary. And what does that mean for commodity prices? Such a development "would imply another 30% to 40% upside for commodities from here," the strategists said.

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Deutsche Bank also concurs, The German bank is factoring rising commodity prices figure into Deutsche Bank's forecast for recession. It said "Two shocks in recent months, the war in Ukraine and the build-up of momentum in elevated U.S. and European inflation, have caused us to revise down our forecast for global growth significantly," Deutsche Bank economists wrote in a commentary. "We are now projecting a recession in the U.S. and a growth recession in the euro area within the next two years."

The Russia-Ukraine conflict plays a major role in the equation, they said. "The war, which has transitioned into a stalemate that is unlikely to be resolved any time soon, has disrupted activity on a number of fronts," the economists note.

"These include upheavals in markets for energy, food grains, and key materials that have in turn further disrupted global supply chains.". Further, "inflation psychology has shifted significantly," the economists said. "And while longer-term inflation expectations have not yet become unanchored, they are increasingly at risk of doing so.".

Gold is often used as an inflation hedge but during a recession, the yellow metal has the ability to perform as well. After the great financial crash in 2008 gold prices soared but the circumstances could have been different due to the introduction of QE to infinity. This time around central banks around the world are starting to taper but could a recession be the perfect excuse to kick start the money printing again.

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HD Two DWS closed-end funds announce distributions for April 2022

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The DWS closed-end funds, DWS Municipal Income **Trust** (NYSE:KTF) and DWS Strategic Municipal Income **Trust** (NYSE:KSM) reported on Thursday their regular monthly distributions for April 2022.

Accordingly, KTF will pay a distribution of USD0.0350 per share and KSM will pay USD0.0400 per share, both decreased from that paid out previously.

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With an ex-distribution date of 14 April 2022, all shareholders of record date on 19 April 2022 will receive the distribution payment on 29 April 2022.

Both are closed-ended fixed income mutual funds launched and managed by Deutsche Investment Management Americas Inc. They invest in the fixed income markets of the US. KTF benchmarks the performance of its portfolio against the Barclays Municipal Bond Index, while KSM benchmarks the performance of its portfolio against the Barclays Municipal Bond Index.

Both funds are domiciled in the US and KTF was formerly known as DWS Municipal Income Trust, while KSM was known as DWS Strategic Municipal Income Trust.

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HD Deutsche Bank appoints top execs at its consumer, retail and services unit

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April 7 (Reuters) - Deutsche Bank said on Thursday it had appointed Keith Pelt and Joe Dimondi to lead its Consumer, Retail and Services Group (CRS) in the Americas region.

The German investment bank in an internal memo seen by Reuters said Pelt will head the coverage unit, and Dimondi the advisory division of the CRS business.

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Both Pelt and Dimondi have been with the company for over 17 years, the memo said.

A spokesperson for the bank confirmed the contents of the memo. (Reporting by Manya Saini in Bengaluru; Editing by Shinjini Ganguli)

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SE National

HD Deutsche Bank warns of looming recession in 2023; Says Federal Reserve's interest rate hikes are to blame

BY Haris Alic. THE WASHINGTON TIMES

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One of the world's largest investment banks is warning that the Federal Reserve System's efforts to lower inflation will likely trigger a recession throughout the U.S. in 2023.

Deutsche Bank released a report Wednesday forecasting that the Federal Reserve's decision to hike interest rates will push the economy into a tailspin.

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"We anticipate that a more aggressive tightening of monetary policy will push the economy into a recession," wrote Deutsche economist Matthew Luzzett.

The bank is predicting a "mild recession" starting next year that will increase the unemployment rate to 5%, up from 3.6% as of last month. That assessment is subject to change depending on domestic and global circumstances, according to Deutsche economists.

Deutsche is the first major international organization to warn of an impending recession. It comes as the Federal Reserve raised a key interest rate last month and signaled that six more hikes are planned for this year.

"We are attentive to the risks of further upward pressure on inflation and inflation expectations," said Federal Reserve Chairman Jerome Powell. "The [Federal Reserve] is determined to take the measures necessary to restore price stability.

The interest rate hikes are the first since 2018. They will result in consumers paying more in interest on credit cards, as well home equity and auto loans.

The rate increases come in response to inflation soaring by 7.9% over the last year. Overall, prices have skyrocketed at the fastest rate in more than 40 years.

Gasoline prices jumped by 6.6% since last year. Food costs rose 1% last month — the largest monthly increase since April 2020. The hike in food prices was double the 0.5% increase reported in December.

Republicans and some economists contend that President Biden's policies are to blame for rising inflation. They note that the White House's \$1.9 trillion coronavirus relief package, signed into law in 2021, flooded the economy with excess money at a time when the nation was facing a supply chain crisis.

"Even liberal economists like the Obama White House's Larry Summers warned that Biden's big spending spree would set off inflation," said Sen. Mike Braun, Indiana Republican.

Democrats disagree that Mr. Biden's massive coronavirus relief bill is the culprit. They say the supply chain crisis started long before Mr. Biden entered the White House and other factors, like corporate greed, are at play.

"There is more to these price spikes — some businesses are simply price gouging consumers," said House Energy and Commerce Committee Chairman Frank Pallone of New Jersey. "These outrageous actions have been constant throughout the pandemic, evolving with each phase and disproportionately harming the most vulnerable when they can least afford it."

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SE **Investment** Banking

HD Deutsche Bank corporate broking vice chair Collingridge departs; Deutsche Bank has shaken up the senior ranks of its UK investment bank in recent months

BY By Paul Clarke

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A senior corporate broking veteran at Deutsche Bank, who co-led the unit temporarily after its former head departed, has left the German lender.

Neil Collingridge, who joined Deutsche as vice chair of UK corporate broking in 2015, is departing as part of the latest senior level changes at the unit, according to people familiar with the move.

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Collingridge co-headed Deutsche's UK corporate broking business on a temporary basis alongside Charles Wilkinson after the departure of Matt Hall, who left for Credit Suisse as vice chair in April last year. He joined from Jefferies in 2015 where he was a managing director and has also worked for Royal Bank of Scotland.

A Deutsche Bank spokesperson declined to comment.

READ Citigroup hires Bank of America's Richard Abel for corporate broking in UK push

Deutsche Bank hired Lewis Burnett from BNP Paribas to head up its corporate broking team in September as part of a broader push in the UK under Daniel Ross, who leads its origination and advisory business in the country.

Burnett joined BNP Paribas from Credit Suisse in 2018 to kick-start a corporate broking business at the French bank alongside Andrew Forrester, who was also hired from the Swiss bank. Burnett's hire by Deutsche was reported by FN in September.

He told FN in February that there was a "huge opportunity" in UK investment banking for Deutsche and that corporate broking was a key part of that. Deutsche Bank also hired Paul Frankfurt and Chris Byrne from BNP Paribas as managing directors in November to further bolster its UK corporate broking business.

Corporate broking is a uniquely British phenomenon where dealmakers offer advice to the C-suite of UK plc often for a nominal fee. But it is key to securing more lucrative investment banking mandates down the line in the country and an area many banks have made key hires in recent months.

In March, Citigroup hired Richard Abel from Bank of America as a managing director in its corporate broking team, part of a broader ambition to take market share in the UK.

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Deutsche Bank corporate broking vice chair Collingridge departs

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BY Daniel Gil

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A Switzerland-based private banker from Deutsche Bank has left the German group to join Santander as an **investment** advisor, Citywire has learned.

Francisco Lopez Cereceda made his move to Santander earlier this year in January after having previously worked for the group in Switzerland as a private banking senior management assistant between 2011 and 2015.

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He exited the Spanish group for Deutsche Bank's Geneva-based private banking unit in 2017, serving as an advisor before leaving the firm in December last year, according to his LinkedIn profile.

A spokesperson for Santander did not return a request for comment before publication, while Lopez Cereceda did not immediately respond to messages through social media.

Lopez Cereceda entered the financial services industry in 2006 with Société Générale working on its investment banking sales desk for seven months before joining BBVA in Madrid, Spain.

While there, he served in the group's middle office as an analyst for four years before being hired by Santander, per his LinkedIn profile.

Santander's private banking business in Geneva is part of the group's Banco Santander International division which offers wealth management, private banking and financial services solutions.

It also operates units in Houston, Texas, Miami, Nassau, New York, San Diego, California and Zurich.

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HD 'I still wouldn't give up on growth stocks': Deutsche Bank global CIO

BY Sunil Singh

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The global stock market rotation from growth to value stocks, triggered last year by the prospects of tighter monetary policy, will continue to play in the future – but it doesn't mean it's all over for growth stocks, according to Deutsche Bank's global **investment** chief.

'I think we will still see yields moving up further and the rotation will continue. In terms of the cycle, I think we are done with two-thirds of this rotation and one-third is still to come. Despite that, I still wouldn't give up on growth though,' Christian Nolting told Citywire Middle East, as part of an exclusive interview during his recent visit to Dubai.

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'The best strategy in this circumstance is the barbell strategy – a balance of technology and value stocks. We adopted this strategy last summer and it has delivered for us.'

Nolting believes inflation and the direction of the central banks around the world are the biggest worries for markets right now.

'However, I'm not in the camp of hyperinflation, as I don't think that's happening. But what we see is that inflation will stay at an elevated level for a longer duration. We believe inflation is not a transitory phenomenon and it will continue as long as the supply chain disruptions persist.'

Global recession?

Despite the Ukraine war and its fallout, Nolting believes global markets look set to weather the storms reasonably well, avoiding a global recession.

'According to our base-case scenario, we believe that the war in Ukraine will not be solved in a few weeks but will continue for a longer time. This will also have implications for commodity prices, which we believe will continue for quite some time. However, in our base-case scenario, we don't see a global recession happening.

'Regionally, ie in Europe, we may perhaps see a negative second quarter, while Asia and the US are likely to avoid it.'

He said that in the base-case scenario with no recession, there is still some upside for equities in the high single digits. On the other side of the scale, in a recession scenario, it would be a downside for Europe.

'I don't want to be too negative because the global growth is quite strong,' he said.

As for Middle East equity markets, Nolting said they have done comparatively well because of the commodity exposure. 'The outlook for the entire GCC region is quite positive and it is one of the most attractive regions globally,' he said.

'We were neutral on equities because we were going for high inflation and hikes by central banks. Given the war, we are going underweight equities and now we are closing this gap because there is still a lot of uncertainty in the market. However, that doesn't mean we are negative equities.'

The three hottest themes

In the current environment, Nolting likes three themes: cybersecurity, healthcare and ESG.

'Many say ESG is an overdiscussed topic and doesn't make sense,' he said. 'But we believe ESG still makes a lot of sense because in many countries energy independence is still under the radar. A lot of

countries in Europe, for instance, are dependent on external energy supplies, which means they certainly need to change the energy mix.

'One way to change that is by ideally becoming independent in energy, but many countries won't be able to get there quickly. Therefore, I believe, energy independence is a major emerging topic that every country is thinking of.'

Alts are better than equities

Nolting believes the traditional correlation between fixed income and equities is changing.

'If you look at high yield, government bonds don't protect you as much. So now what we are seeing, and surprisingly, in the market is that yields are going up while equities are coming down. This means you are going to lose both on the fixed income as well as equity side.

'So the traditional equity-bond portfolio doesn't protect you anymore. You can either cover this with hedge funds or with alternatives.'

He said there is still great demand for alternatives, especially private equity and venture capital, and this trend will continue.

'I think there's been a lot of money going in that direction, more than equities and fixed income. If you think of the cycle we are in, the terminal rate of the Fed, no matter how it hikes, is much lower than the old traditional cycles. There's a lot of liquidity in the market, which means it has to have some demand to be invested. That's why it's good for the equity market.'

Nolting added: 'I would say alternative assets have a far better prospect than traditional equities and fixed income. And we see a lot of interest from our clients for alternatives, whether they are from the US, Asia or the Middle East. European clients have been lagging a little bit.'

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HD Diageo launches and prices Euro and Sterling bonds – April 2022

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April 6 -- Diageo issued the following news release:

Diageo, a global leader in beverage alcohol, yesterday launched and priced in aggregate €1,650 million of fixed rate euro-denominated bonds and in aggregate £900 million of fixed rate sterling-denominated bonds under its European Debt Issuance Programme. The issuer of the euro-denominated bonds will be Diageo Capital B.V. and the issuer of the sterling-denominated bonds will be Diageo Finance plc, and in each case the payment of principal and interest will be fully guaranteed by Diageo plc.

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The drawdowns will consist of the issue of €750 million bonds due June 2029 with a coupon of 1.500% per annum, €900 million bonds due June 2034 with a coupon of 1.875% per annum, £300 million bonds due June 2028 with a coupon of 2.375% per annum and £600 million bonds due June 2038 with a coupon of 2.750% per annum. Proceeds from each issuance will be used for general corporate purposes. In relation to the euro-denominated bonds, Barclays Bank PLC, BofA Securities Europe SA, Deutsche Bank Aktiengesellschaft, Goldman Sachs Bank Europe SE have been appointed as joint active bookrunners and Credit Suisse Bank (Europe) S.A., RBC Europe Limited and Standard Chartered Bank have been appointed as joint passive bookrunners. In relation to the sterling-denominated bonds, Barclays Bank PLC, Deutsche Bank AG, London Branch, Goldman Sachs Bank Europe SE, Merrill Lynch International have been appointed as joint active bookrunners and Credit Suisse International, RBC Europe Limited and Standard Chartered Bank have been appointed as joint passive bookrunners.

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Germany's DWS is on its way to becoming a residential rental giant in Spain. That is the objective pursued by the company, which is working to position itself as one of the largest managers of profitable apartments in our country, as part of a European-wide strategy.

To date, the company, which is majority owned by the German bank Deutsche Bank, has purchase commitments for more than 1,500 homes, which will represent an **investment** by the company of more than 450 million euros, as Manuel Ibáñez, head of DWS Real Estate in Spain and Portugal, explained to elFconomista.

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"All these homes will be delivered to us between now and 2024," says the executive, who points out that they have already received the first phase of the turnkey project they bought from Culmia, which consists of a total of 210 apartments. The development is located in La Marina del Prat Vermell, an area of urban reconversion in Barcelona with great potential.

This and the rest of DWS's residential projects will be managed by its partner Urban Input through Bialto, while Savills will act as Property Manager.

Investment strategy DWS's residential investment strategy is based on three lines of action. "On the one hand, we look for assets in the first and second perimeter of cities such as Madrid and Barcelona," explains Ibáñez, who points out that they have opened their investment radar even to cities outside the capital and Barcelona, since "in these areas we find higher volume product and more attractive gross yields, which move in the range of 5% and 6%".

On the other hand, the fund manager is analyzing opportunities in other large cities such as Valencia and Malaga, "where we hope to close a transaction during the course of this year". "Valencia is very interesting for us for different reasons, one of them being the prices per square meter, which are very attractive compared to other cities, and on the other hand, the effort rates, both for buying and renting, are quite low. In addition, it has very little capacity to increase its housing stock," Ibáñez explains.

In addition to Valencia and Malaga, DWS has other cities on its radar, such as Zaragoza, Pamplona and Vitoria, "All of them could make sense for us due to the fundamentals of the sector, but we have not yet been able to analyze them in depth," explains the executive.

The firm's third line of action will focus on social housing, a product that is having a great success thanks to public-private collaboration.

In its growth plan, DWS is focusing on turnkey projects through agreements with firms such as Gestilar, Morgan Stanley, Culmia and Pryconsa, but Ibáñez acknowledges that they would be "delighted to buy product that is already operational and generating income. However, at the moment there is very little and it is very expensive," he acknowledges.

In the residential area, DWS also wants to cover more alternative products such as Senior Living assets: "We expect a strong growth in the population between 70 and 84 years of age and this, added to the fact that a large number of foreigners are coming to Spain to retire, encourages us to invest in this segment". In this case, the firm would focus on urban areas in large cities such as Madrid and Barcelona, "and perhaps in a second step we can open up more to coastal areas such as Alicante or Malaga". The ideal for the company would be "to start by buying operational product, but we do not close the door to

developing these assets, as we are aware that there is still very little product of this type in Spain. We are not looking for residences for the elderly; it is more of a residential rental product focused on elderly people with low dependency", concludes Ibáñez.

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GERMANY is risking "structural damage" to its status as a global industrial powerhouse if it presses ahead with gas rationing in light of the war in Ukraine, one of its leading banks has warned.

A move to "stage three" of the country's emergency gas plan would lead to an accelerated decline in **investment** and the degradation of industrial facilities, Deutsche Bank analyst Eric Heymann said.

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Economic minister Robert Habeck triggered the first stage of Germany's emergency gas plan last Wednesday.

It came after Russia threatened to cut gas supplies to Germany following Berlin's rejection of Vladimir Putin's demands that "unfriendly" countries made payments in roubles.

Europe's biggest economy has already called for citizens to voluntarily cut their energy use. If plans are escalated to the third stage following a "significant disruption" to supplies, the state will intervene, effectively rationing remaining gas supplies. The Bundesnetzagentur,

Germany's network regulator, would take charge. It would broadly prioritise household and critical institutions such as hospitals, meaning industrial supply could be curbed. In that situation, investment would "slump sharply", warned Mr Heymann.

"Particularly in energy-intensive industries, the long-term propensity to invest would likely decline even more, because until now security of supply has been an asset in Germany," he said.

"Should this no longer be guaran teed, there is a risk of structural damage to Germany as an industrial location." That would speed up the decline in capital stock, such as factories, he added.

National debt would also rise under such circumstances, Mr Heymann said, and the nationwide savings ratio would likely increase as cautious Germans choose to save rather than spend.

Economists have cut their forecasts for German growth this year as the country faces the brunt of the inflationary spillover from Western sanctions against Russia. Inflation in the country reached an annual rate of 7.6pc during

March, the highest since reunification.

Carsten Brzeski, at ING, said the war in Ukraine is "much more of a structural game-changer" for Germany than the pandemic. "Government support schemes will dampen the adverse impact of the war but will not be able to avoid stagflation," he said.

"The only silver lining for the Ger man economy in our base case scenario is that the squeeze on the economy will accelerate the green transition."" Moscow rowed back on Mr Putin's rouble threat on Friday, saying the decree would not come into effect until new payments became due in the second

half of April. States across the bloc have been working on a coordinated response to Moscow's demands.

7.6pc Inflation rate in Germany last month, a post-reunification high. It is expected to rise further because of sanctions on Russia

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Deutsche Bank has appointed Sebastiaan van Loon to a top real estate position. Van Loon will take up the post of a managing director and head of EMEA real estate, **gaming**, lodging and leisure in **investment** banking coverage.

He has 22 years' experience in investment banking and joins from UBS where he spent 18 years.

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He will be based in London and will report to Henrik Johnsson, co-head of investment banking for EMEA. Johnsson said: "Sebastiaan brings extensive advisory experience and client relationships to Deutsche Bank.

His hire follows the recent appointment of James Liddy to our REGLL franchise and reiterates our commitment to investing in our coverage teams across the region." Deutsche Bank ranked 4th in EMEA REGLL, with 5% market share in 2021, according to Dealogic.

The bank recently advised on Vonovia's acquisition of Deutsche Wohnen, Caesars Entertainment on its sale of William Hill, and Entain on its takeover approach from MGM.It has also led multiple capital markets issues for clients including Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield, Foncia Groupe, Adler Group, Heimstaden Bostad, LEG Immobilien, Aroundtown Property and Neinor Homes.To send feedback, e-mail piers.wehner@eg.co.uk or tweet @PiersWehner or @EGPropertyNews

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SE Trading

HD XTX Markets' Zar Amrolia steps down as co-CEO, JPMorgan's Buehler named deputy chief; Amrolia is a key figure in City trading, and has co-headed XTX alongside Alex Gerko since the firm started in late 2015

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Zar Amrolia, who co-headed Deutsche Bank's fixed income unit and led its hulking FX trading division, will leave XTX Markets next year.

Amrolia is a key figure in City trading circles, and has co-headed XTX alongside Alex Gerko since the firm started in late 2015. XTX was a small upstart, then a big challenger for large **investment** banks in the foreign exchanging trading world.

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Hans Buehler, global head of equities data analytics, automation and optimisation at JPMorgan will join XTX in July as deputy chief executive, XTX Markets said.

Amrolia steered the company as it ranked higher and higher in league tables. XTX came in fourth globally in the 2021 Euromoney FX league tables with 6.69% of the overall market. This put it behind only JPMorgan, UBS and Deutsche Bank, but ahead of many bulge bracket investment banks including Citigroup, Goldman Sachs and HSBC.

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Before joining Deutsche Bank, Amrolia was co-head of foreign exchange at Goldman Sachs. Buehler worked at JPMorgan for nearly 14 years, but before joining the US investment bank was head of equity derivatives quantitative research at Deutsche Bank.

XTX Markets posted profit of £149.9m in 2020, according to the latest available annual accounts on Companies House. The firm does not employ human traders, instead relying on cutting edge technology for electronic trading. A separate entity, XTX Markets Technology, made £320m in profits over the same period.

It had just 42 employees in 2020 within its UK entity, spending over £14.6m on salaries and benefits, or an average payment of £348,595. XTX has offices in Kings Cross, reportedly inspired by the steampunk sci-fi series Firefly. It has around 160 employees globally.

In a statement, Amrolia said that Buehler was a "strong cultural fit and will bring a wealth of experience to the firm". Gerko added that he would work closely with Buehler "as XTX enters its next phase of growth".

Correction: An earlier version of this article incorrectly stated Buehler's job title as co-CEO. He is deputy CEO

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HD Deutsche Bank set to face investor lawsuits over allegations it enabled US Ponzi scheme; Federal judges said on 30 March the lawsuits had put forth plausible claims against the investment bank and could proceed, potentially allowing for discovery into its dealings with the alleged fraud

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Judges in New York and Miami ruled that investor lawsuits could advance against Germany's Deutsche Bank for allegedly ignoring warnings that it was helping finance a real-estate-linked Ponzi scheme.

Cayman Islands liquidators won rulings on 29 March and 30 March in separate lawsuits in Florida and New York alleging that Deutsche Bank helped facilitate a wide-ranging fraud by Biscayne Capital International, an **investment** advisory firm.

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Miami-based Biscayne told investors it was raising capital through offshore vehicles for real-estate developments in South Florida. In reality, Biscayne's principals used the funding they raised to pay off earlier investors and enrich themselves, according to federal prosecutors. In 2018, the firm collapsed into liquidation, according to Justice Department charges in September against three men associated with the alleged scheme.

Deutsche Bank was sued for \$200m by offshore liquidators for several Biscayne entities and for Madison Asset, a related broker and investment adviser that is in liquidation in the Caymans for the benefit of its investors.

Federal judges said on 30 March the lawsuits had put forth plausible claims against the investment bank and could proceed, potentially allowing for discovery into its dealings with the alleged fraud.

"We will continue to vigorously defend ourselves against these claims," a Deutsche Bank spokesman said on 31 March.

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The liquidators alleged that Deutsche Bank structured accounts for Biscayne to circumvent the bank's due diligence and know-your-customer requirements and facilitated multiple fraudulent swap transactions that helped delay defaults.

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Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC, White Plains, NY (Kenneth Flickinger of counsel), for respondent.

In an action to foreclose a mortgage, the defendant Angelo Bancic appeals from (1) an order of the Supreme Court, Nassau County (Thomas A. Adams, J.), entered April 3, 2018, and (2) a judgment of foreclosure and sale of the same court, also entered April 3, 2018. The order, insofar as appealed from, granted the plaintiff's motion, in effect, to confirm a referee's report and for a judgment of foreclosure and sale, and, in effect, denied the cross motion of the defendant Angelo Bancic for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against him for failure to comply with RPAPL 1304(2). The judgment of foreclosure and sale, upon an order of the same court dated May 3, 2016, granting the plaintiff's motion, inter alia, for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant Angelo Bancic, to strike his affirmative defenses and counterclaims, and for an order of reference, upon an order of the same court dated August 5, 2016, granting that same relief to the plaintiff and appointing a referee to ascertain and compute the amount due to the plaintiff, and upon the order entered April 3, 2018, among other things, confirmed the referee's report and directed the sale of the subject property.

ORDERED that the appeal from the order entered April 3, 2018, is dismissed; and it is further,

ORDERED that the judgment of foreclosure and sale is reversed, on the law, those branches of the plaintiff's motion which were for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant Angelo Bancic, to strike his affirmative defenses and counterclaims, and for an order of reference are denied, the plaintiff's motion, in effect, to confirm the referee's report and for a judgment of foreclosure and sale is denied, the cross motion of the defendant Angelo Bancic for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against him for failure to comply with RPAPL 1304(2) is granted, and the orders dated May 3, 2016, and August 5, 2016, and the order entered April 3, 2018, are modified accordingly; and it is further,

ORDERED that one bill of costs is awarded to the defendant Angelo Bancic.

The appeal from the order entered April 3, 2018, must be dismissed because the right of direct appeal therefrom terminated with the entry of the judgment of foreclosure and sale (see Matter of Aho, 39 NY2d 241, 248). The issues raised on the appeal from the order are brought up for review and have been considered on the appeal from the judgment of foreclosure and sale (see CPLR 5501[a][1]; Matter of Aho, 39 NY2d at 248).

In September 2006, the defendant Angelo Bancic (hereinafter the defendant) executed a note in the sum of \$499,344 in favor of First Financial Equities, Inc., A New York Corporation. The note was secured by a mortgage on residential property in Merrick. The mortgage was later assigned to the plaintiff.

On June 17, 2013, the plaintiff commenced this action against the defendant, among others, to foreclose the mortgage. The defendant interposed an answer with counterclaims, dated July 16, 2013, and the plaintiff served a reply to the counterclaims. In or about November 2015, the plaintiff moved, inter alia, for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant, to strike his affirmative defenses and counterclaims, and for an order of reference. In support of its motion, the plaintiff submitted, among other things, copies of the 90-day notices purportedly mailed to the defendant. The defendant opposed the motion, arguing, inter alia, that the plaintiff failed to prove that it mailed him 90-day notices prior to the commencement of the action, in accordance with RPAPL 1304. In an order dated May 3, 2016, the Supreme Court granted the plaintiff's motion. In an order dated August 5, 2016, the court granted that same relief to the plaintiff and referred the matter to a referee to ascertain and compute the amount due to the plaintiff.

In November 2017, the plaintiff moved, in effect, to confirm the referee's report and for a judgment of foreclosure and sale. The defendant cross-moved for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against him for failure to comply with RPAPL 1304(2). In a supporting affidavit, the defendant acknowledged that he received RPAPL 1304 notices from the plaintiff but averred that the notices did not comply with RPAPL 1304(2) because they contained additional language "concerning servicemembers notices and bankruptcy notices." The defendant submitted, among other things, copies of the RPAPL 1304 notices he received. In an order entered April 3, 2018, the Supreme Court granted the plaintiff's motion and, in effect, denied the defendant's cross motion. Also on April 3, 2018, the court entered a judgment of foreclosure and sale which, among other things, confirmed the referee's report and directed the sale of the subject property. The defendant appeals.

RPAPL 1304 requires that, at least 90 days before a lender, an assignee, or a mortgage loan servicer commences an action to foreclose the mortgage on a home loan as defined in the statute, such lender, assignee, or mortgage loan servicer give notice to the borrower. The statute provides the required content for the notice and provides that the notice must be sent by registered or certified mail and also by first-class mail to the last known address of the borrower (see id. §1304[2]). "Strict compliance with RPAPL 1304 notice to the borrower or borrowers is a condition precedent to the commencement of a foreclosure action" (Citibank, N.A. v. Conti-Scheurer, 172 AD3d 17, 20; see Bank of N.Y. Mellon v. Porfert, 187 AD3d 1110, 1112; Citimortgage, Inc. v. Banks, 155 AD3d 936, 936-937), "and the plaintiff has the burden of establishing satisfaction of this condition" (Aurora Loan Servs., LLC v. Weisblum, 85 AD3d 95, 106).

Contrary to the plaintiff's contention, this Court is not bound by the doctrine of law of the case by a prior determination of the Supreme Court, and thus the Supreme Court's rejection of the defendant's contention that the plaintiff failed to comply with RPAPL 1304, made in opposition to the plaintiff's motion, inter alia, for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant, does not preclude our review of that contention (see CitiMortgage, Inc. v. Goldstein, 187 AD3d 841, 843). Moreover, although the plaintiff correctly notes that, in opposition to its motion, inter alia, for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant, the defendant did not contend that the notices he received did not comply with RPAPL 1304(2), the defendant's contention that the notices did not comply with RPAPL 1304(2) "involves a question of law that appears on the face of the record, and if brought to the attention of the Supreme Court could not have been avoided," and thus may be reviewed here (Deutsche Bank Natl. Tr. Co. v. Rivera, 200 AD3d 1006, 1008; see Deutsche Bank Natl. Tr. Co. v. Smith,191 AD3d 950). Moreover, "[a] defense based on noncompliance with RPAPL 1304 may be raised at any time during the action" (HSBC Bank USA, N.AHSBC Bank USA, N.A. v. Cardona, 193 AD3d 696, 698, quoting Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. v. Morales, 178 AD3d 881, 882).

Here, to the extent that the plaintiff's inclusion of additional notices and verbiage referencing bankruptcy and the rights of military servicemembers did not strictly adhere to the notice requirements of RPAPL 1304(2), the plaintiff failed to establish its entitlement to judgment as a matter of law on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant and the defendant established his entitlement to judgment as a matter of law dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against him (see Bank of Am., N.A. v. Kessler, 202 AD3d 10, 19; Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. v. DeFeo, 200 AD3d 1105; Citimortgage, Inc. v. Dente, 200 AD3d 1025). Accordingly, those branches of the plaintiff's motion which were for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant, to strike his affirmative defenses and counterclaims, and for an order of reference must be denied, the plaintiff's motion, in effect, to confirm the referee's report and for a judgment of foreclosure and sale must be denied, and the defendant's cross motion for summary judgment dismissing the complaint insofar as asserted against him must be granted.

The parties' remaining contentions need not be reached in light of our determination.

BARROS, J.P., RIVERA, WOOTEN and FORD, JJ., concur.

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LONDON, April 1 (Reuters) - Rising prices for energy, labour shortages and supply chain disruptions exacerbated by sanctions on Russia have triggered an inflationary wave that may be difficult to stop, Deutsche Bank Wealth Management's chief **investment** officer said.

"Consumer price inflation in the U.S. breached the 7% threshold and the Eurozone has seen levels of 5%," Global CIO Christian Nolting said in a research note. "The rhino in the room has been unleashed and may now prove difficult to stop."

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"Sanctions as well as businesses halting their operations in Russia are exacerbating supply chain problems," he said. "Furthermore, shortages in platinum, palladium or even neon are hampering the manufacturing of intermediate products." (Reporting by Guy Faulconbridge)

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Al Arabiya said the banking consortium includes Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank, Deutsche Bank and HSBC among other Israeli, Chinese, Japanese and European lenders. (Reporting by Lina Najem Editing by David Goodman)

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New sector head reinforces team that Citi targeted last year

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Van Loon, who had been with UBS for 18 years, will be based in London and will report to Deutsche's co-head of EMEA investment banking Henrik Johnsson. Van Loon's recent clients at UBS have included Finland's Sponda and Jersey-headquartered Atrium European Real Estate, according to regulatory filings.

His predecessor, Ibbotson, resigned from Deutsche in June of last year to join Citi's UK team.

While the position overseeing REGLL in the region has remained vacant since then, Deutsche has been actively hiring for other senior positions in the franchise. In February, James Liddy started in his new job as EMEA head of gaming, lodging and leisure at the firm, having signed from Moelis & Co late last year.

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Deutsche Bank is the leading bank in Germany with strong European roots and a global network, providing retail and private banking, corporate and transaction banking, lending, asset and wealth management products. Deutsche Bank's record quarterly volume has accelerated the progress in sustainable finance. By the end of 2021, its cumulative environmental, social and governance (ESG)-related financing and **investment** volumes reached Euro 157 billion ex-DWS since the beginning of 2020. This significantly exceeds Deutsche Bank's target of at least Euro 100 billion by year-end 2021 and is on track to exceed the bank's target of at least Euro 200 billion by year-end 2023.ESG-related financing and **investment** volumes were a record Euro 32 billion ex-DWS in the fourth quarter, bringing the full year 2021 total to Euro 112 billion.

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In the fourth guarter, Deutsche Bank's businesses contributed as follows:* Corporate Bank: Euro 8 billion in sustainable financing in the quarter, raising the business' cumulative total since the beginning of 2020 to Euro 26 billion.* Investment Bank: Euro 14 billion in fourth-guarter sustainable financing and capital market issuance, for a cumulative total of Euro 87 billion. In 2021, Deutsche Bank ranked 5th globally in ESG-related debt and sustainability-linked bond issuance as measured by fees, up from 8th in the full year 2020 and 13th in 2019 (Source: Dealogic);* Private Bank: Euro 9 billion growth in ESG assets under management and a further Euro 1 billion in new client lending, raising the private bank's cumulative total to Euro 44 billion. During the 4th quarter, Deutsche Bank's progress in sustainable banking was recognized by ratings upgrades from several independent agencies. Deutsche Bank's Sustainalytics score improved, reducing the risk rating from 'high' to 'medium' CUSTOMER INTEREST GROWINGProducts in scope include capital market issuance (bookrunner share only), sustainable financing and period-end assets under management. Cumulative volumes and targets do not include ESG assets under management within DWS, which are reported separately by DWS. Christian Sewing, CEO, in a message sent to all Deutsche Bank employees about the bank's results in 2021 at annual results conference, said: "This is in line with the development in our other business areas, where customer interest in ESG products is also growing rapidly. At the end of the year, we had made Euro 157 billion in sustainable financing and investments possible. This means that we will probably be able to reach our target of at least Euro 200 billion as early as 2022 and not only at the end of 2023."Here it pays off that Deutsche Bank defined sustainability as a management priority in the summer of 2019. The bank has not only expanded its sustainability team, but also strengthened its personnel regionally and in the business areas. And that's just the beginning. However, Christian added: "Our great successes in the field of sustainability also show that our transformation is about more than numbers. It's about a profound change, it's about what our bank is supposed to be there for. We are the global house bank, and as such we want to be the best possible advisor, partner and risk manager for our clients." ESG DEBT MARKET SHARE UPDeutsche Bank finished 2021 as the 5th most prominent arranger of ESG debt. The bank achieved a 4.6% market share, up from 2.2% in 2019, during which time it has made a dedicated effort within origination & advisory to focus on advising clients on issuing ESG debt via its ESG advisory team.2022 OUTLOOK, WITH 3 TRENDSThe ESG Advisory team has published its 2022 outlook, with 3 trends identified for the year ahead:1. The net-zero transition: The energy transition to net-zero by 2050 has \$130 trillion of capital linked to it, impacting not just how energy is generated and distributed, but also on how energy is consumed. Corporates will face investor demands to communicate clear transition strategies, invest in smart infrastructure to prepare for energy as- a-service business models, and demonstrate emission reduction in the medium-long term.2. The impact of ESG regulations on investments and financing: Rapid growth in ESG investments is creating differing regulatory regimes, fragmenting ESG investor expectations for corporates with a cross-border investor base.3. The growth of ESG in private markets: As more investors turn to alternate strategies, ESG is becoming mainstream in private markets at all stages.

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HD Deutsche Bank hires UBS's van Loon to lead real estate in Europe; The German lender has hired a flurry of senior dealmakers in Europe over the past year

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Deutsche Bank has hired a senior UBS dealmaker to head up its coverage of real estate, gaming, lodging and leisure companies in Europe.

Sebastiaan van Loon has joined the German lender to head the unit in Europe, the Middle East and Africa, the bank said in a statement, the latest in a string of senior appointments for its advisory business in the region.

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Van Loon worked at UBS for 18 years and was a managing director. He will report to Henrik Johnsson, Deutsche Bank's co-head of investment banking for Emea.

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In November, Deutsche bank hired James Liddy from boutique Moelis & Co as head of gaming, lodging and leisure investment banking for Emea.

Derek Shakespeare, who was previously head of UK M&A at Barclays, joined Deutsche Bank as chairman of M&A for Europe, the Middle East and Africa in October. <u>Lewis Burnett</u>, co-head of corporate broking at BNP Paribas, was poached by the German lender to lead its UK corporate broking business a month earlier.

Deutsche also added <u>Abid Chaudhri</u>, a managing director at BNP Paribas, and Ed McBride, who was previously at Citigroup, as senior dealmakers within its UK investment bank.

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Judges in New York and Miami ruled that investor lawsuits could advance against Germany's Deutsche Bank AG for allegedly ignoring warnings that it was helping finance a real-estate-linked Ponzi scheme.

Cayman Islands liquidators won rulings Tuesday and Wednesday in separate lawsuits in Florida and New York alleging that Deutsche Bank helped facilitate a wide-ranging fraud by Biscayne Capital International LLC, an **investment** advisory firm.

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Miami-based Biscayne told investors it was raising capital through offshore vehicles for real-estate developments in South Florida. In reality, Biscayne's principals used the funding they raised to pay off earlier investors and enrich themselves, according to federal prosecutors. In 2018, the firm collapsed into liquidation, according to Justice Department charges in September against three men associated with the alleged scheme.

Deutsche Bank was sued for \$200 million by offshore liquidators for several Biscayne entities and for Madison Asset LLC, a related broker and investment adviser that is in liquidation in the Caymans for the benefit of its investors.

Federal judges said on Wednesday the lawsuits had put forth plausible claims against the investment bank and could proceed, potentially allowing for discovery into its dealings with the alleged fraud.

"We will continue to vigorously defend ourselves against these claims," a Deutsche Bank spokesman said Thursday.

The liquidators alleged that Deutsche Bank structured accounts for Biscayne to circumvent the bank's due diligence and know-your-customer requirements and facilitated multiple fraudulent swap transactions that helped delay defaults.

While Deutsche Bank characterized its actions as ministerial, Judge Beth Bloom of the U.S. District Court in Miami said the lawsuit adequately alleged the bank's employees "affirmatively assisted the Individual Wrongdoers by instructing them on how to circumvent the Know Your Customer monitoring systems."

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In 2016, Biscayne settled with the Securities and Exchange Commission, resolving allegations the company failed to disclose to its debt investors that it was funneling cash into insolvent real-estate projects that weren't generating enough cash to pay off the debts it had taken on.

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Federal prosecutors in September unsealed an indictment in federal court against Biscayne's two founders and their partner for conspiring to defraud investors and financial institutions as part of an international fraud scheme.

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American International Group, Inc. (NYSE: AIG) has commenced 23 separate offers to purchase certain outstanding notes for cash up to a maximum USD 6 billion aggregate amount of Total Consideration, excluding an Accrued Coupon **Payment**, the company said.

The Offers are being made pursuant to AIG's Offer to Purchase, dated March 31, 2022 (the "Offer to Purchase"), which sets forth a more comprehensive description of the terms and conditions of each Offer, and the accompanying notice of guaranteed delivery (the "Notice of Guaranteed Delivery" and, together with the Offer to Purchase, the "Tender Offer Documents").

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AIG has retained BNP Paribas Securities Corp., Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., Deutsche Bank AG, London Branch, Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC, US Bancorp Investments, Inc. and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC to serve as lead dealer managers for the Offers and has retained Ipreo LLC to serve as the tender and information agent for the Offers.

The Offers are subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions. AIG may terminate or alter any or all of the Offers and is not obligated to accept for payment, purchase or pay for, and may delay the acceptance for payment of, any tendered Notes, in each event subject to applicable laws. The Offers are not conditioned on the tender of a minimum principal amount of Notes.

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Details of any open stock-settled derivative positions (including traded options), or agreements to purchase or sell relevant securities, should be given on a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions).

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Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing

Number of reference Price per unit

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German bank offloaded 0.3% stake in the Italian payment services company

Deutsche Bank sold €38.3m of shares in Nexi, the Italian digital payment systems provider, in a block trade after market close on Tuesday. Deutsche was also the bookrunner.

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The shares were priced at €11, a discount of 2.4% to the closing price in Milan. They are a 0.3% stake in the company.

Deutsche received the shares when Nexi merged with its domestic competitor SIA in December. Deutsche owned 2.58% of SIA. Nexi has a freefloat of 36.4%.

On Wednesday morning at 11.30 London time, Nexi shares were traded at €11.11, above the offer price during the accelerated bookbuild.

Nexi's share price has fallen 22% since the beginning of the year, missing out on the finance sector rally in early 2022.

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March 30 -- Deutsche Bank issued the following news release:

Deutsche Bank was awarded **Sustainability** Bond Contributor by Thailand's Ministry of Finance (MoF), the first for a foreign **investment** bank at the ThaiBMA Best Bond Awards 2021, held on 30 March 2022.

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The MoF's Sustainability Bond Contributor accolade is granted to active bond players who have significantly contributed to primary and secondary market activities of MoF's inaugural sustainability bond issuance, the first of its kind in Southeast Asia [1]. The sustainability bond was first issued in August 2020 to fund the government's green infrastructure and social relief programmes related to Covid-19.

Additionally, the Sustainability Bond Contributor is recognised for its role in promoting activity in Thailand's government bond market through direct investor outreach and education, as well as active engagement with bond market stakeholders.

Deutsche Bank Head of Global Markets and Head of ICG, Thailand, Ms. Teerada Tuppun said, "Social and sustainability bonds have a key role to play in alleviating the unprecedented economic and social disruptions brought upon by the Covid-19 pandemic. We are honoured to have contributed in growing onshore and offshore liquidity for MoF's first-ever sustainability bond, and remain committed to working closely with the ministry to drive its efforts in achieving economic growth that is sustainable and inclusive.

"This award is not just testament to the strength of our local market expertise, but more importantly the role we can play in sustainable development."

The ThaiBMA Best Bond Awards seek to recognise exemplary organisations and individuals who have contributed to development of Thailand's bond market, in both the public and private sectors. It is organised by the Thailand Bond Market Association, a regulatory association under Thailand's Securities and Exchange Act. Award winners are determined based on nominations by a panel of jury as well as participants in the bond market.

Thailand's local currency bond market has developed rapidly over the past decade, as the government continued to support the country's economic development.

As of September 2021, the local currency bond market had a total notional outstanding of THB14.5 trillion (US\$430 billion), more than doubled from THB7.1 trillion (USD\$229 billion) in 2011. Government bonds contributed to a 73% share of total bonds in the September 2021 period[2].

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- (a) Interests and short positions in the relevant securities of the offeror or offeree to which the disclosure relates following the dealing (if any)

Class of relevant security: 25p Ordinary Interests Short positions _____ Number % Number (1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled: 9,276,474 1.22 _____ ___ (2) Cash-settled derivatives: ----- ---- ----(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell: ______ TOTAL: 9,276,474 1.22

All interests and all short positions should be disclosed.

Details of any open stock-settled derivative positions (including traded options), or agreements to purchase or sell relevant securities, should be given on a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions).

(b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including directors' and other employee options)
Class of relevant security in relation to which subscription right exists:
Details, including nature of the rights concerned and relevant percentages:

3. DEALINGS (IF ANY) BY THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE Where there have been dealings in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 3(a), (b), (c) or (d) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security dealt in.

The currency of all prices and other monetary amounts should be stated.

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Class of relevant security Purchase/sale Number of securities Price per unit

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(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing
Number of reference Price per unit
security e.g. CFD e.g. opening/closing a
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long/short position,
increasing/reducing a
long/short position

- (c) Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)
- (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

| Class of Type | Product Expiry date | Writing, Option money | Number of | Exercise |
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| etc. | | | | |

(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant Product description Exercising/ exercised

Number of securities Exercise price per
security e.g. call option against
unit

(d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

Class of relevant security Nature of dealing Details Price per unit (if applicable)

e.g. subscription, conversion

- 4. OTHER INFORMATION
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Stock down 2.03% (II Sole 24 Ore Radiocor Plus) - Milan, 30 Mar - Shares of Italian **payment** services provider Nexi were lower in Milan trade, after Deutsche Bank sold a 0.27% stake through an accelerated bookbuilding.

At 0820 GMT, Nexi shares were trading at 11.105 euros, down 2.03% and approaching the 11 euro per share price at which Deutsche Bank sold the stake.

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The 3.5 million Nexi shares placed on the market by Deutsche Bank were about half the total it received in exchange for its 2.6% stake in SIA, which merged with Nexi.

Analysts at the broker Equita note that other former minority shareholders in SIA include Banca Mediolanum, which received about 7.7 million Nexi shares, and Banco BPM, with about 14.5 million Nexi shares.

Former shareholders of Danish payment service provider Nets, which also merged with Nexi, received a total of 412 million shares representing about 31% of Nexi's capital. A third of these shares were under a lockup that expired on January 1. Lockups covering the remaining stake will expire on July 1, 2022 and July 2023, respectively.

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Plaintiff Edward Plutzer filed an appeal from a court ruling entered in the lawsuit styled EDWARD PLUTZER, on behalf of the Tharanco Group, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan, and on behalf of a class of all other persons similarly situated v. BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, a South Dakota Limited Liability Corporation, HARESH T. THARANI, MICHAEL J. SETOLA, SCOTT KANE, and MANU MIRCHANDANI, Case 1:21-cv-03632, in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (New York City).

As reported in the Class Action Reporter, the suit brought under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) for losses suffered by the Employee Stock Ownership Plan (Plan) and its participants caused by Bankers Trust Company (BTC) when it caused the Plan to buy shares of Tharanco for more than fair market value in 2015, and other relief.

The complaint alleges that the Plan has been injured and its participants have been deprived of hard-earned retirement benefits resulting from Defendants' violations of ERISA.

Tharanco was a privately-held company and was the Plan's sponsor and administrator. Tharanco adopted the Plan effective Oct. 21, 2014. On April 27, 2015, the Plan purchased from the Selling Shareholders 100% of the outstanding stock of Tharanco for \$133,430,000, which was financed by Tharanco in a fully leveraged transaction with a loan bearing interest at 2.47% that was to be payable over forty equal annual installments of principal and accrued interest on December 31 of each year, except for the first installment of \$200,000 of principal made in April 2015 and the second installment of \$2,811,571 of principal made in December 2015 (ESOP Transaction). At that time, Tharanco became an employee-owned company. BTC represented the Plan and its participants as Trustee in the ESOP Transaction. It had sole and exclusive authority to negotiate the terms of the ESOP Transaction on the Plan's behalf, the complaint relates.

The ESOP Transaction allowed the Selling Shareholders to unload their interests in Tharanco above fair market value and saddle the Plan with tens of millions of dollars of debt payable over a 40-year repayment period to finance the Transaction. BTC failed to fulfill its ERISA duties, as Trustee and fiduciary, to the Plan and its participants, including Plaintiff. The Selling Shareholders are parties in interest who sold shares in the ESOP Transaction. The Selling Shareholders are liable under ERISA for participating in prohibited transactions and BTC's breaches of fiduciary duty under ERISA, asserts the complaint.

On February 28, 2022, the Court entered an Order dismissing Plaintiff's complaint without prejudice. Judgment was also entered Page 143 of 200 © 2022 Factiva, Inc. All rights reserved.

on March 1, 2022 confirming case dismissal.

The Plaintiff now seeks a review of this decision.

The appellate case is captioned as Plutzer v. Bankers Trust Company of South, Case No. 22-561, in the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, filed on March 15, 2022.[BN]

Plaintiff-Appellant Edward Plutzer, on behalf of the Tharanco Group, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan, and on behalf of a class of all others similarly situated, is represented by:

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DEUTSCHE BANK **TRUST** COMPANY AMERICAS, ETC., res, v. DAVID J. SMITH, JR., app, ET AL., def — Appeal from an order of the Supreme Court, Suffolk County, dated September 2, 2020. Motion by the appellant, inter alia, to extend the time to perfect the appeal.

Upon the papers filed in support of the motion and the papers filed in opposition thereto, it is

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ORDERED that the branch of the motion which is to extend the time to perfect the appeal is granted, and on or before May 9, 2022, the appellant shall serve and file the record or appendix and the appellant's brief via NYSCEF, if applicable, or, if NYSCEF is not mandated, serve the record or appendix and the appellant's brief and upload digital copies of the record or appendix and the appellant's brief, with proof of service thereof, through the digital portal on this Court's website; and it is further,

ORDERED that motion is otherwise denied.

DILLON, J.P., DUFFY, WOOTEN and DOWLING, JJ., concur.

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percentages:

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Class of relevant security Purchase/sale Number of securities Price per unit GBP 25p ordinary Sales 17 7.9220 25p ordinary Purchase 3,000 7.9473 _____ 25p ordinary Purchase 40,000

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Purchase 25p ordinary 1,550

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Cash-settled derivative transactions (b)

Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing Number of reference Price per unit e.g. opening/closing a security e.g. CFD securities long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position

- (c) Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)
- (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

| Class of Type | Product Expiry date | Writing, Option money | Number of | Exercise |
|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------|-----------|
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| etc. | | | | |

(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant Product description
Number of securities Exercise price per Product description Exercising/ exercised e.g. call option against security unit

(d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

Class of relevant security Nature of dealing Details Price per unit (if applicable)

e.g. subscription, conversion

- 4. OTHER INFORMATION
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As part of his new responsibilities at Union Investment, Engels will be in charge of securities portfolio management and have strategic responsibility for investments totalling around €380bn.

He will succeed Jens Wilhelm, who has decided to leave the firm for personal reasons when his current contract expires at the end of the year.

During his tenure with Union Investment, Engels had been head of emerging markets debt, head of fixed income fund management and head of multi asset.

In 2017 he assumed responsibility for securities portfolio management and was also the chairman of the Union investment committee.

Following the change, the distribution of responsibilities across the members of the board of managing directors of Union Asset Management Holding will be reorganised in the coming weeks.

Commenting on Engels' appointment, Cornelius Riese, chairman of the supervisory board of Union Asset Management Holding, said: 'He is an extremely experienced and highly respected expert with a deep understanding of portfolio management and extensive capital market expertise.

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In the period from 21 March 2022 until and including 25 March 2022 a number of 4,660,158 shares were bought back within the share buyback program of Deutsche Bank AG; on 08 March 2022 Deutsche Bank AG disclosed the begin of the share buyback program on 14 March 2022 pursuant to Art. 5 para. 1 lit. a) of the Regulation (EU) no. 596/2014 and Art. 2 para. 1 of the Delegated Regulation (EU) no. 2016/1052.

Shares were bought back as follows:

Day of purchase Aggregated volume in shares Weighted average share price (Euro)

21/03/2022 962,162 11.1356

22/03/2022 930,934 11.5092

23/03/2022 918,189 11.6689

24/03/2022 926,904 11.5592

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Details of any open stock-settled derivative positions (including traded options), or agreements to purchase or sell relevant securities, should be given on a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions).

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Details, including nature of the rights concerned and relevant percentages:

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Class of relevant security Purchase/sale Number of securities Price per unit

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(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing Number of reference Price per unit security e.g. CFD e.g. opening/closing a securities long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position

(c) Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)

(i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

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| Type | Expiry date | Option money | | |
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(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant Product desci.
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(d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

Class of relevant security Nature of dealing Details Price per unit (if applicable)

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Issuance of these securities is covered by the authorization granted by the Annual General Meeting in 2018. The denominations of the securities will be EUR 200,000. Deutsche Bank AG will act as sole bookrunner for the placement.

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DWS Infrastructure, the German **investment** giant, has taken a big step forward in its quest to acquire Stagecoach by snapping up nearly £100 million of shares in the Scottish bus giant, writes Scott Wright.

The infrastructure specialist has acquired around 16.99 per cent of the issued ordinary share capital in Stagecoach, excluding treasury shares, from Threadneedle Asset Management for £98.4 million. This came with the purchase of 93,720,491 shares from Threadneedle at a price of 105 per share.

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Added to the irrevocable undertaking given by co-founder Dame AnnGloag to vote in favour of DWS's 105p per share offer for Stagecoach, it means the suitor effectively speaks for 27.45% of the company's issued ordinary share capital (excluding treasury shares).

DWS is in pole position to acquire Stagecoach after its offer, which values the business at around £565 million, was accepted earlier this month. This looks set to trump a proposed all-share merger with National Express, though the bus giant has not ruled itself out of the running.

A spokesperson for DWS said last night that its offer "provides a significant cash premium and certainty to Stagecoach investors as well as benefits to other stakeholders including greater certainty for employees".

and access to capital to invest in services and deliver on Stagecoach's existing strategy to transition to a net-zero future."

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Slyngstad was chief executive officer of Norges Bank Investment Management, which manages the world's largest sovereign wealth fund, a position he held for 13 years.

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He recently joined the Norwegian conglomerate Aker ASA to lead its asset management unit, focusing on renewable energy projects.

Deutsche has been positioning itself to finance the transition to a more sustainable future.

"We will benefit from ... his vast experience as one of the pioneers of sustainable investing, as well as his current focus on cutting edge matters related to climate change and energy transition," said Mayree Clark, who oversees the bank's nomination committee.

Slyngstad will replace Gerhard Eschelbeck, whose five year term is about to conclude.

Shareholders will be called to officially ratify the move at the bank's annual general meeting in May.

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Slyngstad was chief executive officer of Norges Bank **Investment** Management, which manages the world's largest sovereign wealth fund, a position he held for 13 years. (Reporting by Tom Sims and Frank Siebelt; additional reporting by Gwladys Fouche; editing by Maria Sheahan)

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DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL **TRUST** COMPANY, ETC., res, v. ISAAK MUSHEYEV, app, ET AL., def — (Index No. 8891/09)

Bruce Levinson, Katonah, NY, for appellant.

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McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC, New York, NY (Chong S. Lim of counsel), for respondent.

In an action to foreclose a mortgage, the defendant Isaak Musheyev appeals from (1) an order of the Supreme Court, Queens County (Diccia T. Pineda-Kirwan, J.), dated September 8, 2017, and (2) an order and judgment of foreclosure and sale (one paper) of the same court (Robert I. Caloras, J.) entered November 12, 2019. The order denied that defendant's motion pursuant to 22 NYCRR 202.48(a) and (b) to strike the plaintiff's notice of settlement of a proposed judgment of foreclosure and sale dated July 31, 2017, to preclude the plaintiff from entering judgment based on an order of the same court dated March 16, 2016, and, in effect, to deem the plaintiff's motion, inter alia, for a judgment of foreclosure and sale abandoned. The order and judgment of foreclosure and sale, inter alia, directed the sale of the subject property.

By order to show cause dated June 12, 2021, the parties to the appeals were directed to show cause before this Court why an order should or should not be made and entered dismissing the appeal from the order on the ground that the right of direct appeal from the order terminated upon entry of the order and judgment of foreclosure and sale. By decision and order on motion dated September 20, 2021, this Court, inter alia, held the motion in abeyance and referred it to the panel of Justices hearing the appeals for determination upon the argument or submission thereof.

Upon the order to show cause and the papers filed in response thereto, and upon the argument of the appeals, it is

ORDERED that the motion to dismiss the appeal from the order is granted; and it is further,

ORDERED that the appeal from the order is dismissed; and it is further,

ORDERED that the order and judgment of foreclosure and sale is affirmed; and it is further,

ORDERED that one bill of costs is awarded to the plaintiff.

The appeal from the order must be dismissed because the right of direct appeal therefrom terminated with the entry of the order and judgment of foreclosure and sale in this action (see Matter of Aho, 39 NY2d 241, 248). The issues raised on the appeal from the order are brought up for review and have been considered on the appeal from the order and judgment of foreclosure and sale (see CPLR 5501[a][1]; Matter of Aho, 39 NY2d at 248).

In April 2009, the plaintiff commenced this action against the defendant Isaak Musheyev (hereinafter the defendant), among others, to foreclose a mortgage on certain residential property in Queens. The defendant interposed an answer. In August 2009, the plaintiff moved for summary judgment on the complaint insofar as asserted against the defendant, to strike his answer, and for an order of reference. By order dated April 15, 2010, the Supreme Court granted the motion.

In or around November 2015, the plaintiff moved, inter alia, to confirm the referee's report and for a judgment of foreclosure and sale. In an order dated March 16, 2016, denominated a "memorandum," the Supreme Court granted the motion and directed: "Motion support to review the proposed judgment. Submit judgment." In or around August 2017, the plaintiff served a notice of settlement of judgment of foreclosure and sale, dated July 31, 2017, and an accompanying affirmation of lateness. The defendant moved pursuant to 22 NYCRR 202.48(a) and (b) to strike the notice of settlement, to preclude the plaintiff from entering judgment based on the order dated March 16, 2016, and, in effect, to deem the plaintiff's motion, inter alia, for a judgment of foreclosure and sale abandoned. The plaintiff opposed the motion. In an order dated September 8, 2017, the court denied the motion. Thereafter, the court issued an order and judgment of foreclosure and sale, inter alia, directing the sale of the premises, which was entered on November 12, 2019. The defendant appeals.

As a preliminary matter, there is no merit to the plaintiff's contention, in Point I of its brief on appeal, that the defendant failed to provide a complete record on appeal, as required by CPLR 5526. "It is the obligation of the appellant to assemble a proper record on appeal" (Wen Zong Yu v. Hua Fan, 65 AD3d 1335, 1335; see Matter of Lynch, 152 AD3d 690, 690; LaSalle Bank N.A. v. Henderson, 69 AD3d 679, 680). An appellant's record must contain "all of the relevant papers submitted on the underlying motion" (Matter of Lynch, 152 AD3d at 690). Here, the plaintiff has not demonstrated that the record on appeal does not include all of the relevant papers submitted on the underlying motion.

"Proposed orders or judgments, with proof of service on all parties where the order is directed to be settled or submitted on notice, must be submitted for signature, unless otherwise directed by the court, within 60 days after the signing and filing of the decision directing that the order be settled or submitted" (22 NYCRR 202.48[a]). "Failure to submit the order or judgment timely shall be deemed an abandonment of the motion or action, unless for good cause shown" (id. §202.48[b]). However, 22 NYCRR 202.48 does not apply where the court merely directs a party to submit an order or judgment without expressly directing that the order or judgment be submitted on notice (see James B. Nutter & Co. v. McLaughlin, 189 AD3d 803, 804; Jie Wen Zhou v. Honghui Kuang, 183 AD3d 810; Pol v. Ashirov, 131 AD3d 523, 524; Shamshovich v. Shvartsman, 110 AD3d 975, 976-977; Matter of Matthew L., 85 AD3d 917, 918, citing Funk v. Barry, 89 NY2d 364, 365). Here, since the order dated March 16, 2016, which granted the plaintiff's motion, inter alia, for a judgment of foreclosure and sale, did not direct that a proposed judgment had to be settled or submitted on notice, the plaintiff was not required to comply with 22 NYCRR 202.48.

The defendant's remaining contentions are either without merit or improperly raised for the first time on appeal.

Accordingly, the Supreme Court properly denied the defendant's motion pursuant to 22 NYCRR 202.48(a) and (b) to strike the plaintiff's notice of settlement dated July 31, 2017, to preclude the plaintiff from entering judgment based on the order dated March 16, 2016, and, in effect, to deem the plaintiff's motion, inter alia, for a judgment of foreclosure and sale abandoned.

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Upon the papers filed in support of the motion and the papers filed in opposition thereto, and upon the argument of the appeals, it is

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Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing

Number of reference Price per unit

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long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position

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- (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

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Class of relevant Product description Exercising/ exercised

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Deal Type Acquisition

Sub-Category Minority Acquisition Deal Status Completed: 2022-03-22

Deal Participants

Target (Company)
Deutsche Bank AG

Acquirer (Company) Archegos Capital

Deal Rationale

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Gatekeepers at Goldman Sachs Asset Management have dropped DWS from the roster of subadvisors on the \$409m Goldman Sachs Multi-Manager Global Equity fund.

DWS Investment Management Americas has been removed from the fund in a change disclosed Monday in a filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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The fund is overseen by gatekeepers Betsy Gorton, Neill Nuttal, and Siwen Wu.

Gorton is managing director on the Alternative Investments & Manager Selection (Aims) team within Goldman Sachs Asset Management (GSAM), where she leads the public strategies research team, vetting portfolio managers across all public asset classes.

The Aims team comprises about 350 people, of which around 30 are focused on public strategies. That team allocates to about 300 traditional public equity and fixed income strategies across various discretionary portfolios and rates about 800 strategies used by the banks' various advice businesses, such as Goldman Sachs Private Bank and Goldman Sachs Personal Financial Management.

The Aims team oversee about \$320bn in total, of which \$230bn is in traditional equity and fixed income strategies. A portion of these assets sit in six multi-manager funds that the firm offers to institutional clients, which includes the Goldman Sachs Multi-Manager Global Equity fund.

The fund has returned 21% on an annualized basis over the past three years, according to a GSAM fact sheet from December, narrowly ahead of its benchmark, the MSCI ACWI IMI (net 50% hedged) index, which posted an annualized 20.4% over that same span.

The fund carries an expense ratio of 0.75% after waivers and discounts and has numerous remaining subadvisors. These are: Axiom Investors, Boston Partners, Causeway Capital Management, Diamond Hill Capital Management, GW&K Investment Management, MFS, Principal Global Investors, T. Rowe Price, Vaughan Nelson Investment Management, Vulcan Value Partners, WCM Investment Management, and Wellington Management.

Goldman Sachs did not immediately respond to a request for comment.

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- (f) In addition to the company in 1(c) above, is the discloser making disclosures in respect $$\rm N/A$$ of any other party to the offer? If it is a cash offer or possible cash offer, state "N/A"
- 2. POSITIONS OF THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE

 If there are positions or rights to subscribe to disclose in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 2(a) or (b) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security.
- (a) Interests and short positions in the relevant securities of the offeror or offeree to which the disclosure relates following the dealing (if any)

Class of relevant security: 25p Ordinary Interests Short positions _____ Number % Number (1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled: 9,208,621 1.22 _____ ____ (2) Cash-settled derivatives: ----- ---- ----(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell: ______ TOTAL: 9,208,621 1.22

All interests and all short positions should be disclosed.

Details of any open stock-settled derivative positions (including traded options), or agreements to purchase or sell relevant securities, should be given on a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions).

(b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including
directors' and other employee options)

Class of relevant security in relation to which subscription right
exists:
 Details, including nature of the rights concerned and relevant

3. DEALINGS (IF ANY) BY THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE Where there have been dealings in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 3(a), (b), (c) or (d) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security dealt in.

The currency of all prices and other monetary amounts should be stated.

percentages:

(a) Purchases and sales

Class of relevant security Purchase/sale Number of securities Price per unit

GBP

25p ordinary Sale 50,070 7.8968 25p ordinary Sale 12,059 7.8968 _____

Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing Number of reference Price per unit e.g. opening/closing a e.g. CFD security securities long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position

- Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options) (c)
- (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

| Class of | Product | Writing, | Number of | Exercise |
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| Type | Expiry date | Option money | | |
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| e.g. | | paid/ | | |
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| American, | | received per | | |
| | option | varying etc. | option | |
| European | | unit | | |
| | | | relates | |
| etc. | | | | |

(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant Product description Exercising/ exercised Number of securities Exercise price per e.g. call option against security unit.

Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities) (d)

Class of relevant security Nature of dealing Price per unit (if applicable)

e.g. subscription, conversion

- OTHER INFORMATION
- Indemnity and other dealing arrangements

Details of any indemnity or option arrangement, or any agreement or understanding, formal

or informal, relating to relevant securities which may be an inducement to deal or refrain

from dealing entered into by the person making the disclosure and any party to the offer or

any person acting in concert with a party to the offer:

Irrevocable commitments and letters of intent should not be included. If there are no such agreements, arrangements or understandings, state "none" none (b) Agreements, arrangements or understandings relating to options or derivatives Details of any agreement, arrangement or understanding, formal or informal, between the person making the disclosure and any other person relating to: (i) the voting rights of any relevant securities under any option; or (ii) the voting rights or future acquisition or disposal of any relevant securities to which anv derivative is referenced: If there are no such agreements, arrangements or understandings, state "none" none Attachments (c) Is a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions) attached? Date of disclosure: 22.03.2022 Contact name: Selim Miah Telephone number*: +44 121 407 9441 _____

Public disclosures under Rule 8 of the Code must be made to a Regulatory Information Service.

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Class of relevant security: 25p Ordinary Interests Short positions _____ Number % Number (1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled: 9,270,750 1.22 _____ ___ (2) Cash-settled derivatives: ----- ---- ----(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell: ______ TOTAL: 9,270,750 1.22

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(b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including directors' and other employee options)
Class of relevant security in relation to which subscription right exists:
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The currency of all prices and other monetary amounts should be stated.

(a) Purchases and sales

Class of relevant security Purchase/sale Number of securities Price per unit

GBP

25p ordinary Sale 53,445
7.8599

25p ordinary Sale 12,238
7.8599

(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant Product description Nature of dealing
Number of reference Price per unit
security e.g. CFD e.g. opening/closing a
securities
long/short position,
increasing/reducing a
long/short position

- (c) Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)
- (i) Writing, selling, purchasing or varying

| Class of Type | Product Expiry date | Writing, Option money | Number of | Exercise |
|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------|
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| American, | option | received per varying etc. | option | |
| European | - | unit | - | |
| etc. | | | relates | |

(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant Product description Exercising/ exercised Number of securities Exercise price per security e.g. call option against unit.

(d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

Class of relevant security Nature of dealing Details
Price per unit (if applicable)

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- 4. OTHER INFORMATION
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