

## Transparency notification received from The Capital Group

**Mechelen, Belgium; 4 May 2021; 22.01 CET; regulated information – Galapagos NV (Euronext & NASDAQ: GLPG) received a new transparency notification from The Capital Group Companies, Inc.**

Pursuant to Belgian transparency legislation<sup>1</sup>, Galapagos received a transparency notification on 30 April 2021 from The Capital Group Companies, Inc., who notified that it holds 4.65% of the current 65,511,581 outstanding Galapagos shares. The Capital Group Companies, Inc. thus crossed below the 5% threshold of Galapagos' voting rights by disposing of voting securities on 29 April 2021. The full transparency notice is available on the Galapagos website.

### About Capital Group

Capital Group controls Capital Bank & Trust Company and Capital Research & Management Company through its direct subsidiary Capital Group International, Inc. ("CGII"), controls four CGII investment management companies (Capital International, Inc.; Capital International Limited, Capital International Sàrl; and Capital International K.K.), which all together hold 3,049,333 of Galapagos' voting rights, consisting of ordinary shares, which represents 4.65%.

### About Galapagos

Galapagos NV discovers and develops small molecule medicines with novel modes of action, several of which show promising patient results and are currently in late-stage development in multiple diseases. Our pipeline comprises Phase 3 through to discovery programs in inflammation, fibrosis, and other indications. Our ambition is to become a leading global biopharmaceutical company focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of innovative medicines. More information at [www.glpq.com](http://www.glpq.com).

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<sup>1</sup> Belgian Act of 2 May 2007 on the disclosure of major shareholdings in issuers whose shares are admitted to trading on a regulated market