## TR-1: Standard form for notification of major holdings

| 1a. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: |   |                    | IDE Group Holdings PLC  |                                |  |
|---|---|--------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| 1b. Please indicate   | if the issuer is a non                                | -UK issuer         | (please ma  | ark with an "X" if appro       | priate)  |
| Non-UK issuer   |   |                    |   |                                |  |
| 2. Reason for the n   | otification (please ma                                | ark the appro      | opriate box   | or boxes with an "X")          |  |
| An acquisition or disp  | osal of voting rights                                 |                    |   |                                |  |
| An acquisition or disp  | osal of financial instrum                             | nents              |   |                                |  |
| An event changing the   | e breakdown of voting ı                               | rights             |   |                                | X  |
| Other (please specify   | ) <sup>iii</sup> :                                    |                    |   |                                |  |
| 3. Details of person  | subject to the notifi                                 | cation obli        | gation⊮   |                                |  |
| Name  |   |                    | Kestrel Partners LLP  |                                |  |
| City and country of registered office (if applicable)   |   |                    | LONDON, UK  |                                |  |
| 4. Full name of sha   | reholder(s) (if differer                              | nt from 3.)        |   |                                |  |
| Name  |   |                    | Kestrel Opportunities, a cell of Guernsey Portfolios PCC Ltd (through BNY Mellon Nominees Limited) and various other clients of Kestrel Partners LLP (through JIM Nominees Ltd and Bank of New York Nominees Ltd) |                                |  |
| City and country of registered office (if applicable)   |   |                    |   |                                |  |
| 5. Date on which th reached   | e threshold was cros                                  | ssed or            | 01 August 2   | 2018                           |  |
| 6. Date on which issuer notified:   |   |                    | 02 August 2018  |                                |  |
| 7. Total positions o  | f person(s) subject t                                 | o the notific      | cation oblig  | jation                         |  |
|   | % of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8. A) | through fina<br>me | ing rights<br>ancial instru-<br>ents<br>3 1 + 8.B 2)  | Total of both in % (8.A + 8.B) | Total number of voting rights of issuer <sup>vii</sup> |
| Resulting situation<br>on the date on which<br>threshold was<br>crossed or reached                          | 16.36%  |                    |   | 16.36%                         | 220,729,121  |
| Position of previous notification (if applicable)   | 17.99%  |                    |   |                                |  |

## 8. Notified details of the resulting situation on the date on which the threshold was crossed or reached A: Voting rights attached to shares Class/type of Number of voting rights<sup>ix</sup> % of voting rights shares Direct Direct Indirect Indirect ISIN code (if possible) (Art 9 of Directive (Art 10 of Directive (Art 9 of Directive (Art 10 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1) 2004/109/EC) 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1) 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.2.1) (DTR5.2.1) Ordinary Shares of N/A 36,104,771 N/A 16.36% 2.5p each ISIN GB00B4NJ4984 **SUBTOTAL 8. A** 36,104,771 16.36%

| B 1: Financial Instruments according to Art. 13(1)(a) of Directive 2004/109/EC (DTR5.3.1.1 (a)) |                              |  |  |                    |
|---|------------------------------|--|--|--------------------|
| Type of financial instrument  | Expiration date <sup>x</sup> | Exercise/<br>Conversion Period <sup>si</sup> | Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted. | % of voting rights |
|   |                              |  |  |                    |
|   |                              |  |  |                    |
|   |                              |  |  |                    |
|   | •                            | SUBTOTAL 8. B 1                              |  |                    |

| Type of financial instrument | Expiration date <sup>x</sup> | Exercise/<br>Conversion Pe-<br>riod *i | Physical or cash settlement <sup>xii</sup> | Number of voting rights | % of voting rights |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--------------------|
|                              |                              |  |  |                         |                    |
|                              |                              |  |  |                         |                    |
|                              |                              |  |  |                         |                    |
|                              |                              |  | SUBTOTAL<br>8.B.2                          |                         |                    |

## 9. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation (please mark the applicable box with an "X") Person subject to the notification obligation is not controlled by any natural person or legal entity and does not control any other undertaking(s) holding directly or indirectly an interest in the (underlying) issuerxiii

<u>Full</u> chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity<sup>xiv</sup> (please add additional rows as necessary)

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| Name∞                          | % of voting rights if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | % of voting rights through financial instruments if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold | Total of both if it equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold |
|--------------------------------|--|--|---|
| BNY Mellon Nominees<br>Limited | 12.78%   |  | 12.78%  |
| JIM Nominees Limited           | 1.66%  |  | 1.66%   |
| Bank of New York Nominees Ltd  | 1.92%  |  | 1.92%   |
|                                |  |  |   |
|                                |  |  |   |

| 10. In case of proxy voting, please identify:       |     |  |
|---|-----|--|
| Name of the proxy holder                            | N/A |  |
| The number and % of voting rights held              | N/A |  |
| The date until which the voting rights will be held | N/A |  |

## 11. Additional information\*\*\*

The indirect voting rights held under (9) relate to shares held in client portfolios managed by Kestrel Partners LLP under discretionary investment management agreements

| Place of completion | London   |
|---------------------|----------|
| Date of completion  | 02/08/18 |