NUMIS CORPORATION PLC ("NUMIS")

28 AUGUST 2019

TR-1: Standard form for notification of major holdings

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR HOLDINGS (to be sent to the relevant issuer <u>and</u> to the FCA in Microsoft Word format if possible)ⁱ

| 1a. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: Numis Corporation Plc | | | | | | |
|--|---|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|
| 1b. Please indicate | if the issuer is a non | -UK issuer | (please ma | rk with an "X" if appro | priate) | |
| Non-UK issuer | | | | | | |
| 2. Reason for the no | otification (please ma | ark the appro | opriate box o | or boxes with an "X") | | |
| An acquisition or disp | osal of voting rights | | | | | Χ |
| An acquisition or disp | osal of financial instrun | nents | | | | |
| An event changing the | e breakdown of voting | rights | | | | |
| Other (please specify) ⁱⁱⁱ : | | | | | | |
| 3. Details of person | subject to the notifi | cation obli | gation ⁱ | | | |
| Name Kayne Anderson Rudnick Investment Ment, LLC | | | | ment Manage | - | |
| City and country of re | gistered office (if applic | able) | Los Angeles, USA | | | |
| 4. Full name of sha | reholder(s) (if differer | nt from 3.) | | | | |
| Name | | | | | | |
| City and country of re | | | | | | |
| 5. Date on which the threshold was crossed or reached": | | | 22/08/2019 |) | | |
| 6. Date on which issuer notified (DD/MM/YYYY): | | | 23/08/2019 | | | |
| 7. Total positions o | f person(s) subject t | o the notific | cation oblig | ation | | |
| | % of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8. A) | through fi strun | ing rights nancial in- nents 3 1 + 8 B 2) | Total of both in % (8.A + 8.B) | Total number voting rights of issuervii | |

| Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed or reached | 5.09% | NA | 5.09% | 105,277,448 |
|--|-------|-----|-------|-------------|
| Position of previous notification (if applicable) | 4.14% | N/A | 4.14% | 106,502,448 |

| 8. Notified details of reached | f the resulting situat | ion on the date on | which the threshold wa | s crossed or |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| A: Voting rights atta | ached to shares | | | |
| Class/type of | Number of voting rig | yhts ^{ix} | % of voting rights | |
| shares ISIN code (if possible) | Direct (Art 9 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1) | Indirect (Art 10 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.2.1) | Direct (Art 9 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.1) | Indirect (Art 10 of Directive 2004/109/EC) (DTR5.2.1) |
| ISIN GB00B05M6465 | 5,361,456 | NA | 5.09% | NA |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL 8. A | 5,361,456 | | 5.09 | % |

| 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 ^x | Exercise/ Conversion Period ^{xi} | Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted. | % of voting rights | | |
| N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | | |
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| | - | SUBTOTAL 8. B 1 | | | | |

| B 2: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect according to Art. 13(1)(b) of Directive 2004/109/EC (DTR5.3.1.1 (b)) | | | | | | |
|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
| Type of financial instrument Expiration date ^x Exercise/ Conversion Period xi Physical or cash settlement ^{xii} Number of voting rights % of voting rights | | | | | | |
| N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | |
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| | SUBTOTAL 8.B.2 | N/A | N/A |
|--|-------------------|-----|-----|

| 9. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation (please mark the applicable box with an "X") | |
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| 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) issuer xiii | |
| Full 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 viv (please add additional rows as necessary) | X |

| 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 |
|---|--|--|---|
| Virtus Investment Partners, Inc. | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| Kayne Anderson Rud- nick Investment Man- agement, LLC | 5.09% | 0% | 5.09% |
| | | | |

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

| 11. Additional information ^{xvi} | | | |
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| Place of completion | Los Angeles, CA USA |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| Date of completion | 23/08/2019 |

The total number of Numis shares held in Treasury is **13,161,088 (12.50%)** and the total number of voting rights in the company is **105,277,448** which is the number which may be used by the shareholders as the denominator for calculations by which they will determine if they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interests in, the Company under the FCA's Disclosure and Transparency Rules.

These details have been provided in accordance with Article 5(1)(b) of the Market Abuse Regulation (EU) No 596/2014.

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