

## Additional information on agenda item 9: Election of the auditor and Group auditor for financial year 2026 as well as the auditor for the review of the condensed financial statements and the interim management report for the first half of financial year 2026; election of the auditor for the sustainability reporting for the financial year 2026

The Supervisory Board proposes based on a recommendation of its Audit Committee to elect PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft, Frankfurt/Main as the auditor and group auditor for financial year 2026 as well as the auditor for the review of the condensed financial statements and the interim management report for the first half of financial year 2026, if they are subject to an auditor's review.

PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft, Frankfurt/Main, has been the auditor for Deutsche Börse Aktiengesellschaft and Deutsche Börse Group since the 2021 financial year.

Mr Clemens Koch and Mr Pascal Vollmann, who succeeds Dr Michael Rönning in this position, are designated as the responsible auditors. Pascal Vollmann will be responsible for the audit for the first time for the 2026 fiscal year. Clemens Koch was responsible for the audit for the first time for the 2025 fiscal year.

As auditor and Group auditor for the sustainability reporting for the financial year 2026, the Supervisory Board based on a recommendation of its Audit Committee also proposes to elect PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft, Frankfurt/Main.

PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft, Frankfurt am Main, has already conducted a voluntary limited audit of the Group Sustainability Report for the 2025 financial year. The partners responsible for the audit were Dr Michael Rönning and Nicolle Pietsch for the 2025 financial year, and Pascal Vollmann and Nicolle Pietsch are scheduled to conduct the audit for the 2026 financial year.