

Certificate of Approval of a Prospectus in accordance with Articles 5:10 and 5:11 of the Netherlands Act on Financial Supervision (transposing Articles 17 and 18 of Directive 2003/71/EC)

To:

FINANCIAL MARKET AUTHORITY (FMA) (AUSTRIA)

COMMISSION BANCAIRE, FINANCIERE ET DES ASSURANCES (CBFA) (BELGIUM)

AUTORITÉ DES MARCHÉS FINANCIERS (AMF) (FRANCE)

BUNDESANSTALT FÜR FINANZDIENSTLEISTUNGSAUFSICHT (BaFin) (GERMANY)

EPITROPH KEFALAIAGORAS (GREECE)

CENTRAL BANK OF IRELAND (IRELAND)

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COMISSÃO DO MERCADO DE VALORES MOBILIÁRIOS (CMVM) (PORTUGAL)

COMISIÓN NACIONAL DEL MERCADO DE VALORES (CNMV) (SPAIN)

FINANCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY (FSA) (UNITED KINGDOM)

From:

Netherlands Authority for the Financial Markets

We hereby certify that the Base Prospectus detailed below has been drawn up in accordance with national law transposing Directive 2003/71/EC and was approved by us on May 11, 2011

Name of Issuer:

Registered Office/Seat:

ING Groep N.V.

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

ING Bank N.V.

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Type of Securities (references to the annexes of Regulation EC 809/2004 according to which the prospectus was drawn up):

Annex IV, V, XI, XII

€45,000,000,000 Programme for the Issuance of Debt Instruments

Attachments:

- (1) Base Prospectus dated May 11, 2011
- (2) Translation of Summary

Date: May 11, 2011

Reference: TEOB-RKr-11050028

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