

# **ING Groep N.V.**

(Incorporated in The Netherlands with its statutory seat in Amsterdam)

# Supplement to the Registration Document dated 30 March 2018

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### INTRODUCTION

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N.V./Senior-bonds.htm Supplement and the (for this Registration Document), https://www.ing.com/Investor-relations/Annual-Reports.htm (for the annual reports), https://www.ing.com/Investor-relations/Results-Interim-Accounts/Quarterly-Results.htm (for the Q1 Press Release (as defined herein)) and https://www.ing.com/About-us/Corporate-Governance/Legal-structure-and-Regulators/Articles-of-Association.htm (for the Articles of Association)).

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## RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND INFORMATION INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

On 9 May 2018, ING Group published a press release entitled "ING posts 1Q18 net result of €1,225 million" (the "Q1 Press Release"). The Q1 Press Release contains, among other things, the consolidated unaudited results of ING Groep N.V. as at, and for the three month period ended, 31 March 2018. A copy of the Q1 Press Release has been filed with the AFM and, by virtue of this Supplement, is incorporated by reference in, and forms part of, the Registration Document.

### MODIFICATIONS TO THE REGISTRATION DOCUMENT

1. The following new item (d) shall be inserted in the section entitled "Documents Incorporated by Reference" on page 5 of the Registration Document:

"(d) the press release entitled "ING posts 1Q18 net result of €1,225 million", as published by the Issuer on 9 May 2018 (the "Q1 Press Release"). The Q1 Press Release contains, among other things, the consolidated unaudited interim results of the Issuer as at, and for the three-month period ended, 31 March 2018.".

2. . The final paragraph of the section entitled "Documents Incorporated by Reference" on page 5 of the Registration Document shall be deleted and restated:

"The Issuer will provide, without charge, to each person to whom a copy of this Registration Document has been delivered in accordance with applicable law, upon the oral or written request of such person, a copy of any or all of the documents which are incorporated herein by reference. Requests for such documents should be directed to the Issuer, c/o ING Bank N.V. at Foppingadreef 7, 1102 BD Amsterdam, the Netherlands. In addition, this Registration Document and any document which is incorporated herein by reference will be made available on the website of ING (https://www.ing.com/Investor-relations/Fixed-income-information/Debt-securities-ING-Groep-N.V./Senior-bonds.htm (for this Registration Document), https://www.ing.com/Investorrelations/Annual-Reports.htm (for the annual reports). https://www.ing.com/Investorrelations/Results-Interim-Accounts/Quarterly-Results.htm (for the Q1 Press Release) and https://www.ing.com/About-us/Corporate-Governance/Legal-structure-and-Regulators/Articles-of-Association.htm (for the Articles of Association)).".

3. The section entitled "General Information – Significant or Material Adverse Change" on page 102 of the Registration Document shall be deleted and restated as follows:

#### "Significant or Material Adverse Change

At the date hereof, there has been no significant change in the financial or trading position of ING Groep N.V. and its consolidated subsidiaries since 31 March 2018.

At the date hereof, there has been no material adverse change in the prospects of ING Groep N.V. since 31 December 2017.

4. The paragraph entitled "Criminal investigations" of the section entitled "General Information – Litigation" beginning on page 102 of the Registration Document shall be deleted and restated as follows:

"Criminal investigations: ING Bank is the subject of criminal investigations by Dutch authorities regarding various requirements related to client on-boarding, money laundering and corrupt practices. ING Group has also received related information requests from U.S. authorities. ING Group and ING Bank are cooperating with such ongoing investigations and requests. Management has concluded under IFRS that it is more likely than not that a present obligation per 31 December 2017 exists and that an outflow of resources is probable, but was not able to estimate reliably the possible timing, scope or amounts of any fines, penalties and/or other outcome, which could be significant. ING still expects to receive more information from the Dutch authorities concerning the potential consequences of their investigation in the first half of 2018.".

5. The paragraph entitled "VEB Fortis claim" of the section entitled "General Information – Litigation" beginning on page 102 of the Registration Document shall be deleted and restated as follows:

"VEB Fortis claim: In January 2011, the Dutch Association of Stockholders (*Vereniging van Effectenbezitters*, 'VEB') issued a writ alleging that investors were misled by the prospectus that was issued with respect to the September 2007 rights issue of Fortis N.V. (now Ageas N.V.) against Ageas N.V., the underwriters of such rights issue, including ING Bank, and former directors of Fortis N.V. According to the VEB the prospectus shows substantive incorrect and misleading information. The VEB stated that the impact and the risks of the sub-prime crisis for Fortis and Fortis' liquidity position were reflected incorrectly in the prospectus. The VEB requested a declaratory decision stating that the summoned parties acted wrongfully and are therefore responsible for the damages suffered by the investors in Fortis. In March 2016, Ageas, VEB and certain other claimants announced that the claim in relation to Fortis has been settled. Ageas has agreed to pay EUR 1.2 billion to investors as compensation, provided that the Amsterdam Court of Appeal declares the settlement to be binding. According to the settlement agreement contains a third-party clause by which the

banks will also be released from the claims made by VEB and certain other claimants, if the settlement becomes unconditional. In June 2017, the Amsterdam Court of Appeal has given an interim ruling that the proposed settlement agreement between Ageas and the VEB cannot be declared binding upon all investors in its current form. The Court of Appeal requested in particular changes in relation to the level of compensation awarded to investors who are a member of the VEB and those who are not. In December 2017, Ageas and the VEB filed a revised settlement agreement with the Court of Appeal making amendments to the settlement agreement. In February 2018, the Court of Appeal requested further information on the level of compensation awarded to the VEB itself. A court hearing was held on 27 March 2018 to discuss the merits of the settlement agreement, in particular the level of compensation, in more detail. Following this court hearing the Court of Appeal requested the VEB and Ageas to make final amendments to the settlement agreement by 11 April 2018. It is expected that a final ruling will be given during the course of this year.".

6. The paragraph entitled "Mortgage expenses claims" of the section entitled "General Information – Litigation" beginning on page 102 of the Registration Document shall be deleted and restated as follows:

"Mortgage expenses claims: ING Spain has received claims and is involved in procedures with customers regarding reimbursement of expenses associated with the formalisation of mortgages. In all but two court proceeding in first instance the expense clause of the mortgage contract has been declared null and all or part of the expenses were ordered to be reimbursed by ING Spain. The courts in first instance have applied in their rulings different criteria regarding the reimbursement of expenses. ING Spain has filed an appeal against a number of these court decisions. ING Spain has also been included, together with other Spanish banks, in a class action filed by a customer association. The outcome of the pending litigation and similar cases that may be brought in the future is uncertain. A provision has been taken. However, the aggregate financial impact of the current and future litigation could change. In February 2018, the Spanish Supreme Court ruled that Stamp Duty (*Impuesto de Actos Jurídicos Documentados*) expenses are chargeable to the client. As for the remaining types of expenses, uncertainty remains.".

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