

**Fax Cover Sheet**

To: Person-in-charge
Company: Australian Securities Exchange
Fax: 612 9778 0999
From: Business Risk Department
Date: October 12, 2012
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Form 603

Corporations Act 2001

Section 671B

Notice of initial substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme ARB Corporation Ltd

ACN/ARSN 006 708 756

1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name Aberdeen Asset Management Asia Limited, a company registered in Singapore (AAMAL) and its associates (listed in Annex A) (together the Aberdeen Group). Companies within the Aberdeen Group, including AAMAL, are basically international fund managers

ACN / ARSN (if applicable) N/A

The holder became a substantial holder on 11/10/12

2. Details of voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Persons' votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Fully paid ordinary shares	3,630,091	3,630,091	5.0083%

3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
Aberdeen Asset Management plc	Relevant interest under s608(3)(b) of the Act as ultimate holding company of the Aberdeen Group	3,630,091
See Annexure 'B'		

Please note that shares were purchased in the ordinary course of business on the ASX in accordance with the rules of the ASX and containing no special terms or conditions

4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
See Annexure 'C'			

5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9)		Class and number of securities
		Cash	Non-cash	
See Annexure 'D'				

6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

Name and CAN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
Aberdeen Group of companies	Companies within the Aberdeen Group are associates of AAMAL by virtue of AAMAL either controlling the relevant company or the relevant company controlling AAMAL

7. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
AAMAL	21 Church St #01-01 Capital Square Two, Singapore 049480

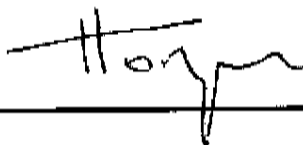
Signature

print name

Low Hon Yu

Capacity Director

sign here



date 12/10/12

DIRECTIONS

- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. A corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 7 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

ANNEXURE D TO FORM 603					
SIGNED					
POSITION DIRECTOR					
Holder of Relevant Interest					
Aberdeen Asset Management Asia - Segregated Funds	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen (Swiss) Funds Global Energy Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen (Swiss) Funds Global Gold Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen (Swiss) Funds Global High Tech Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen (Swiss) Funds Global Opportunities Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen (Swiss) Funds Global Pharma Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen (Swiss) Funds Tiger Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Actively Hedged International Equities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Asia ex Japan Equity Mother Fund - TCSZGM	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Asia Pacific and Japan Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Asia Pacific Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Asian Opportunities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Asia-Pacific (ex-Japan) Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Asia-Pacific Smaller Companies Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Australian Equities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Australian Small Companies Fund	10/07/2012 Sale	9.00	205,307.16		22,800
	19/07/2012 Sale	9.34	209,058.29		22,380
	20/07/2012 Sale	9.37	101,467.79		10,820
	09/08/2012 Sale	10.00	225,000.00		22,500
	24/08/2012 Sale	9.73	339,852.71		34,900
Aberdeen China Opportunities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				

Aberdeen Classic Series Australian Equities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Classic Series Australian Small Companies Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Emerging Markets Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Emerging Opportunities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Ethical World Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Financials Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Flexible Capital Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Fully Hedged International Equities Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Asia Pacific Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Asian Property Share Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Asian Smaller Companies Fund	08/08/2012 Purchase	9.95	497,935.00	50,000	
	09/08/2012 Purchase	9.99	499,985.00	50,000	
Aberdeen Global - Australasian Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Chinese Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Emerging Markets Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Emerging Markets Infrastructure Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Emerging Markets Smaller Companies Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Ethical World Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Frontier Markets Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Indian Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Japanese Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Japanese Smaller Companies Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - Responsible World Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				

Aberdeen Long Term Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Malaysian Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Multi-Asset Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Multi-Asset Income Fund	19/07/2012 Sale	9.34	3,960.71	424	
	09/08/2012 Sale	10.00	12,660.00	1,266	
Aberdeen Multi-Asset Real Return Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Nippon Growth Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Nippon Small Company Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Pacific Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Prestige International	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Siam Leaders Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Singapore Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Small Cap Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Smart Capital - Retirement Mutual Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Thai Equity Dividend Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Thailand Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Value Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen World Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen World Growth and Income Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Charity Select Global ex UK Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
FS International Equity Mother Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
FS Japan Equity Mother Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
MU Aberdeen Fund - GEM2 Portfolio	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				

Aberdeen Global - Technology Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - World Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - World Equity Income Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - World Resources Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global - World Smaller Companies Fund	03/10/2012 Purchase	9.78	8,318.52	850	
	05/10/2012 Purchase	9.99	8,377.65	838	
	08/10/2012 Purchase	10.09	25,823.65	2,557	
	09/10/2012 Purchase	10.03	13,243.69	1,320	
Aberdeen Global Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global Equity including Japan Pension Fund ppit	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global II - Asia Pacific Multi Asset Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global Natural Resources Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Global Small Cap Fund	03/10/2012 Purchase	9.78	64,297.30	6,570	
	04/10/2012 Purchase	9.92	17,135.55	1,726	
	05/10/2012 Purchase	9.99	62,862.39	6,288	
	08/10/2012 Purchase	10.09	193,783.44	19,188	
	09/10/2012 Purchase	10.03	99,377.85	9,905	
	10/10/2012 Purchase	10.05	19,257.81	1,915	
	11/10/2012 Purchase	10.00	21,708.68	2,170	
Aberdeen Global Technology Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Growth Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Indonesia Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen International Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Japan Growth Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Japan Open Fund (Megalrend)	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Life Global (ex UK) Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				
Aberdeen Life World Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS				

IMU Aberdeen Fund - Global Emerging Markets Equity Portfolio	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
IMU Aberdeen Global Equity ex Japan Pension Fund ppit	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Asia-Pacific excluding Japan Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Asia-Pacific including Japan Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Canada - Emerging Markets Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Canada - Socially Responsible Global Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Canada - Socially Responsible International Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Canada Funds - EAFE Plus Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Canada Funds - Global Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen EAFE Only Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen EAFE Plus Ethical Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen EAFE Plus Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen EAFE Plus SRI Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Emerging Markets Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Emerging Markets Smaller Companies Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Frontier Markets Equity Fund LLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Global Equity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen International Smaller Companies Fund	03/10/2012 Purchase	9.78	169,110.72	17,280
	04/10/2012 Purchase	9.92	45,062.73	4,539
	05/10/2012 Purchase	9.99	165,353.68	16,540
	08/10/2012 Purchase	10.09	509,666.22	50,466
	09/10/2012 Purchase	10.03	261,362.25	26,050
	10/10/2012 Purchase	10.05	50,643.52	5,036
	11/10/2012 Purchase	10.00	57,102.83	5,708
Aberdeen All Asia Investment Trust PLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Asian Income Fund Limited	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			

Aberdeen Asian Smaller Companies Investment Trust PLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Australia Equity Fund, Inc.	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Emerging Markets Telecommunications and Infrastructure	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Indonesia Fund, Inc.	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen Leaders Limited	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen New Dawn Investment Trust PLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Aberdeen New Thai Investment Trust PLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Edinburgh Dragon Trust plc	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
First Trust / Aberdeen Emerging Opportunity Fund	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
Murray International Trust PLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
New India Investment Trust PLC	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
The Asia Tigers Fund, Inc.	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
The India Fund, Inc.	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			
The Singapore Fund, Inc.	NO ACQUISITIONS FOR THE PAST 4 MONTHS			



October 12, 2012

Via Fax (001 612 9778 0999) Only

Australian Stock Exchange
Exchange Centre
20 Bridge Street
Sydney, NSW 2000
Australia

Dear Sirs

I am writing to notify that accounts managed or advised by Aberdeen Asset Management Asia Limited now own a total of 3,630,091 shares in ARB Corporation Ltd across all mandates, equivalent to 5.0083% of company's issued shares. This follows a purchase of 7,878 shares on October 11, 2012.

Please find enclosed a copy of Form 603 - Notice of Initial Substantial Holder.

Yours sincerely

For and on behalf of
Aberdeen Asset Management Asia Limited

Chanarun Waewprasert

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