Disclosure of ceasing to have substantial holding Section 279, Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013

To: NZX Limited

and **To**: The A2 Milk Company Limited Date this disclosure made: 01 October 2019 Date last disclosure made: 30 September 2019 Date on which substantial holding ceased: 27 September 2019

Substantial product holder(s) giving disclosure

Full name(s): UBS Group AG and its related bodies corporate

Summary of previous substantial holding

Class of quoted voting products: Ordinary shares

Summary for: UBS Group AG and its related bodies corporate

For last disclosure,-

(a) total number held in class: 36,861,769

- (b) total in class: 735,170,589
- (c) total percentage held in class: 5.01%

For current holding after ceasing to have substantial holding, ---

- (a) total number held in class: 36,194,113
- (b) total in class: 735,170,589
- (c) total percentage held in class: 4.92%

Details of transactions and events giving rise to ceasing of substantial holding

Details of the transactions or other events requiring disclosure: Please see Appendix A.

Additional information

Address(es) of substantial product holder(s):

Name	Addresses
UBS AG Singapore Branch	One Raffles Quay,#50-01 North Tower, Singapore 048583
UBS Switzerland AG	Bahnhofstrasse 45, Zürich, Switzerland
UBS Asset Management (Australia) Ltd	Level 16, Chifley Tower, 2 Chifley Square, Sydney, Australia
UBS Asset Management (Deutschland) GmbH	Bockenheimer Landstrasse 2-4, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

UBS Asset Management Life Limited	5 Broadgate, London, United Kingdom	
UBS Asset Management Switzerland AG	Bahnhofstrasse 45, Zürich Switzerland	
UBS Asset Management Trust Company	Illinois Corporation Service Company 801 Adlai Stevenson Drive, Springfield, IL, USA	
UBS Asset Management (UK) Limited	5 Broadgate, London, United Kingdom	
UBS Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A.	33A avenue J.F. Kennedy, Luxembourg	
UBS Fund Management (Switzerland) AG	Aeschenplatz 6, Basel, Switzerland	
UBS AG Australia Branch	Level 16, Chifley Tower, 2 Chifley Square, Sydney, Australia	
UBS AG London Branch	5 Broadgate, London, United Kingdom	
UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Level 16, Chifley Tower, 2 Chifley Square, Sydney, Australia	

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Nature of connection between substantial product holders:

- UBS AG Singapore Branch: Related body corporate
- UBS Switzerland AG: Related body corporate
- UBS Asset Management (Australia) Ltd: Related body corporate
- UBS Asset Management (Deutschland) GmbH: Related body corporate
- UBS Asset Management Life Limited: Related body corporate
- UBS Asset Management Switzerland AG: Related body corporate
- UBS Asset Management Trust Company: Related body corporate
- UBS Asset Management (UK) Limited: Related body corporate
- UBS Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A.: Related body corporate
- UBS Fund Management (Switzerland) AG: Related body corporate
- UBS AG Australia Branch: Related body corporate
- UBS AG London Branch: Related body corporate
- UBS Securities Australia Ltd: Related body corporate

Name of any other person believed to have given, or believed to be required to give, a disclosure under the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 in relation to the financial products to which this disclosure relates: Not applicable

Certification

We certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, the information contained in this disclosure is correct and that we are duly authorised to make this disclosure by all persons for whom it is made. **SIGNATURE**

Print Name:	Andrew Costley	Capacity:	Authorised signatory
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Print Name:	Minsoo Ha	Capacity:	Authorised signatory
Sign Here:	3-mb	Date:	01 October 2019

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Date of change	Person whose relevant interest	Nature of Change	Consideration given in relation to change	Number of securities	Class
-Sep-19	changed UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(2,023)	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	80,662	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(281,974)	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	305,862	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	14,137	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(263,471)	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	332,144	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(218,405)	Swap
-Sep-19 -Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A N/A	130,050 94,535	Swap
-Sep-19 -Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	94,555 (65)	Swap Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Etd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	18,427	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	5,780	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Etd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(5,961)	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(4,404)	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A		
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	(676)	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	1,580	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	8,101	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	1,019	
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	3,736	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	304	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	5,140	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	3	Swap
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	2,191	
-Sep-19	UBS AG London Branch	Buy	11,105	849	
-Sep-19	UBS AG London Branch	Buy	74,321	5,682	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS AG, Australia Branch	Sell	498,548	(37,953)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS AG London Branch	Buy	402,662		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	26,587	2,023	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	39	(3)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	53	(4)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	527	(40)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	184	(14)	Ordinary
-Sep-19 -Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	184	(14)	Ordinary Ordinary
-Sep-19 -Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	1,073,918	(80,662)	Ordinary
	UBS Securities Australia Ltd		1,075,918	(80,682)	
-Sep-19 -Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Etd	Buy Buy	315		Ordinary Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Etd	Buy	565		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Etd	Buy	1,550		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Etd	Buy	2,325		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	92		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	709		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	4.006		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	434		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	1,314	100	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	2,286	174	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	3,942	300	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	4,152	316	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	27,291	2,077	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	6,465		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	16,805		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	27,299		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	3,708,011	281,974	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	4,017,188	(305,862)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	186,071	(14,137)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	3,461,421	263,471	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	4,361,909	(332,144)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	2,870,203	218,405	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	1,710,828	(130,050)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	1,241,193	(94,535)	Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	855		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	242,149		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	75,931		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	78,285		Ordinary
-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	57,831	4.404	Ordinary

27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Buy	8,864	676	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	20,799	(1,580)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	106,321	(8,101)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	13,385	(1,019)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	49,032	(3,736)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	3,992	(304)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	67,468	(5,140)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	39	(3)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Sell	28,742		Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Stock returned	N/A	(369,336)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Stock returned	N/A	(275,795)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock borrowed	N/A	54,307	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock returned	N/A	(35,191)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock returned	N/A	(54,307)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock returned	N/A	(1)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock returned	N/A		Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock returned	N/A	(15)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Switzerland AG	Stock returned	N/A	(31)	Ordinary
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	2,000	Options
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	2,000	Options
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	2,200	Options
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	2,000	Options
27-Sep-19	UBS Securities Australia Ltd	Enter Into Derivative Contract	N/A	2,000	Options