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THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS' PROPOSAL FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF PROFIT

The Board of Directors of Kesko Corporation proposes to the Annual General Meeting to be held on 8 April 2019 that a dividend of €2.34 per share be paid for the year 2018 based on the adopted balance sheet on shares held outside the Company at the date of dividend distribution. The remaining distributable assets will remain in equity.

The Board proposes that the dividend be paid in two instalments. The first instalment, €1.17 per share, will be paid to shareholders registered in the Company's register of shareholders kept by Euroclear Finland Ltd on the first dividend instalment payment record date 10 April 2019. The Board proposes that the first dividend instalment pay date be 17 April 2019.

The second instalment, €1.17 per share, will be paid to shareholders registered in the Company's register of shareholders kept by Euroclear Finland Ltd on the second dividend instalment payment record date 10 October 2019. The Board proposes that the second dividend instalment pay date be 17 October 2019. The Board proposes it be authorised to decide, if necessary, on a new dividend payment record date and pay date for the second instalment if the rules and statutes of the Finnish book-entry system change or otherwise so require.

As at the date of the proposal for the distribution of profit, 5 February 2019, 99,018,353 shares were held outside the Company, and the corresponding total amount of dividends is €231,702,946.02.

Kesko Corporation's distributable assets total €1,281,451,062.98 of which the profit for the financial year is €211,959,289.00. No material changes have taken place in the Company's financial position after the end of the financial year. In the opinion of the Board of Directors, the proposed distribution of profit will not put the Company's solvency at risk.

Helsinki, 5 February 2019

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