

1 April 2010

Pursuant to its obligations under the Transparency (Directive 2004/109/EC) Regulations 2007 (“The Regulations”), Irish Continental Group plc sets out below details of two notifications received under The Regulations.

Tom Corcoran  
Company Secretary

**STANDARD FORM TR-1**

**VOTING RIGHTS ATTACHED TO SHARES– ARTICLE 12(1) OF DIRECTIVE 2004/109/EC  
FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS – ARTICLE 11(3) OF THE COMMISSION DIRECTIVE 2007/14/EC**

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached :  
**Irish Continental Group plc**
2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):
  - an acquisition or disposal of voting rights
  - an acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached
  - an event changing the breakdown of voting rights
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:  
**Mr. Eamonn Rothwell**
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:  
**1 April 2010**
6. Date on which issuer notified;  
**1 April 2010**
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:  
**5%.**



10. In case of proxy voting: [*name of the proxy holder*] will cease to hold [*number*] voting rights as of [*date*].

11. Additional information: