



## CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

### Goods and activities on exclusion list: Group public disclosure

As a signatory of the United Nations Global Compact, the BNP Paribas Group has committed to ensuring that it is not complicit in abuses of fundamental rights (which include the right to health) and to supporting a more prudent approach to addressing environmental issues.

In order to honour these commitments and within the scope of its Corporate Social Responsibility policy, BNP Paribas has chosen not to engage in any financing, investments or transactions with the greatest risk of impacting the health and safety of populations, protected species or the environment in general.

With this aim, BNP Paribas has drafted a list of goods which are excluded from all the Group's transactions.

Approved by Group General Management, the list has been established on the basis of treaties, laws, regulations and decrees recognised internationally to regulate the production of and trade in the goods in question.

BNP Paribas does not knowingly participate in any financing, investments or transactions involving products subject to national or international bans.

Furthermore, BNP Paribas has decided to apply the strictest existing legal framework to all its financing, investments and transactions involving the goods and activities listed below, even where local legislation is less restrictive.

This policy applies to all BNP Paribas Group entities, including subsidiaries and joint ventures under the direct control of the Group.

BNP Paribas will not engage in financing, investments or transactions involving:

- The production or trade in **controversial weapons** within the scope of the Group's defence sector policy (published in 2010).
- The production, trade or use of **drift nets over 2.5 kilometres** in length.
- The production of **asbestos fibres**.
- The production or trade in **products containing PCBs** (polychlorinated biphenyls) .



- The trade in any plant or animal species or products governed by the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna or Flora (CITES) which are not authorised by a CITES permit.

An internal procedure approved by the head of BNP Paribas' CSR Department outlines operational implementation and internal control conditions for this commitment.

*End of public disclosure*

