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9 June 2016

Stabilisation period begins

With reference to the offering circular dated 26 May 2016 and announcement no. 19/2016 dated 9 June 2016 regarding the result of the offering and the admission to trading and official listing of shares in DONG Energy on Nasdaq Copenhagen (the "Offering"), DONG Energy has received notification regarding the beginning of the stabilisation period from Morgan Stanley & Co International plc. acting as Stabilising Manager in the Offering. Reference is made to the attached announcement from Morgan Stanley & Co International plc.

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DONG Energy is one of the leading Energy groups in Northern Europe, headquartered in Denmark. Around 6,700 ambitious employees are engaged in developing, constructing and operating offshore wind farms; generating power and heat from our power stations; providing energy to residential and business customers; and producing oil and gas. Group revenue was DKK 71bn (EUR 9.5bn) in 2015. For further information, see www.dongenergy.com.

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In connection with the Offering, the managers and any of their affiliates, acting as investors for their own accounts, may purchase shares and in that capacity may retain, purchase, sell, offer to sell or otherwise deal for their own accounts in such shares and other securities of the Company or related investments in connection with the Offering or otherwise. Accordingly, references in the

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Pre-stabilisation Notice

Morgan Stanley & Co International plc. (Martin Thorneycroft, telephone +44 20 7677 3553) hereby gives notice that the Stabilisation Manager named below and its affiliates may stabilise the offer of the following securities in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2273/2003 implementing the Market Abuse Directive (2003/6/EC).

The securities:	
Issuer:	DONG Energy A/S
Securities:	Ordinary shares (DK0060094928)
Offering size:	72,834,393 shares of DKK 10 nominal value
	each
Offer price:	DKK 235 per share
Associated securities:	N/A
Market:	Nasdaq Copenhagen A/S
Ticker:	DENERG
Stabilisation:	
Stabilisation Manager:	Morgan Stanley & Co. International plc
	25 Cabot Square
	Canary Wharf
	London E14 4QA
	United Kingdom
Stabilisation period expected to start on:	9 June 2016
Stabilisation period expected to end no later than:	8 July 2016
Maximum size of over-allotment facility:	Up to 10,925,159 shares
Conditions of use of over-allotment facility:	May be exercised in whole or in part by the
	Stabilisation Manager, to the extent permitted by
	applicable law, at any time during the period
	commencing on 9 June 2016 and ending 30
	calendar days thereafter
Overallotment Option:	
Exercise period:	30 calendar days
Conditions of use of overallotment option:	May be exercised by the Stabilisation Manager in
	whole or in part from time to time solely to cover
	over-allotments or short positions in connection
	with the offering or stabilisation transactions

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