



## Announcement

# Major Holding

Lisbon, 15 July 2011

Pursuant to article 17 of the Portuguese Securities Code, Novabase – Sociedade Gestora de Participações Sociais, S.A. (“Novabase”) hereby informs that Santander Asset Management – Sociedade Gestora de Fundos de Investimento Mobiliários, S.A. (“Santander Asset Management”) notified that the investment funds under its management disposed, on 11 July 2011, on regulated market, of a total of 59,683 shares representing Novabase’s share capital and corresponding voting rights (55,000 shares by Fundo de Investimento Mobiliário Aberto Santander Acções Portugal and 4,683 shares by Fundo de Investimento Mobiliário Aberto Poupança Acções Santander PPA).

As a result of such disposals, the investment funds managed by Santander Asset Management now hold a major holding corresponding to 1,552,753 shares representing 4.94% of Novabase’s share capital and corresponding voting rights, as follows:

- Fundo de Investimento Mobiliário Aberto Santander Acções Portugal – 1,413,967 shares;
- Fundo de Investimento Mobiliário Aberto Poupança Acções Santander PPA – 138,786 shares.

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