TR-1: Standard form for notification of major holdings

#### 1. Issuer Details

#### **ISIN**

GB00BSM98843

#### **Issuer Name**

DIRECTA PLUS PLC

### **UK or Non-UK Issuer**

UK

### 2. Reason for Notification

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights

### 3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation

#### **Name**

Rathbones Investment Management Ltd

### City of registered office (if applicable)

London

### **Country of registered office (if applicable)**

United Kingdom

Name	City of registered office	Country of registered office
Investec Wealth & Investment Limited	London	United Kingdom

### 4. Details of the shareholder

Name	City of registered office Country of registered office	
Hero Nominees Limited	St Peter Port	Guernsey
Ferlim Nominees Limited	London	United Kingdom
Rathbone Nominees Limited	London	United Kingdom

### 5. Date on which the threshold was crossed or reached

01-Jul-2024

### 6. Date on which Issuer notified

02-Jul-2024

# 7. Total positions of person(s) subject to the notification obligation

	% of voting rights attached to shares (total of 8.A)	% of voting rights through financial instruments (total of 8.B 1 + 8.B 2)	Total of both in % (8.A + 8.B)	Total number of voting rights held in issuer
Resulting situation on the date on which threshold was crossed or reached	7.848700	0.000000	7.848700	8195536
Position of previous notification (if applicable)	12.406600	0.000000	12.406600	

# 8. Notified details of the resulting situation on the date on which the threshold was crossed or reached

### 8A. Voting rights attached to shares

Class/Type of shares ISIN code(if possible)		Number of indirect voting rights (DTR5.2.1)	% of direct voting rights (DTR5.1)	% of indirect voting rights (DTR5.2.1)
GB00BSM98843		8195536		7.848700
Sub Total 8.A	8195536	•	7.848700	%

# 8B1. Financial Instruments according to (DTR5.3.1R.(1) (a))

	Expiration date	Exercise/conversion	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted	% of voting rights
Sub Total 8.B1				

# 8B2. Financial Instruments with similar economic effect according to (DTR5.3.1R.(1) (b))

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/conversion period	Physical or cash settlement	Number of voting rights	% of voting rights
Sub Total 8.B2					

# 9. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation

2. Full chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entities (please add additional rows as necessary)

Ultimate controlling person	Name of controlled	% of voting rights if it equals or is higher than	rights through	Total of both if it equals or is higher than the notifiable
		or is inglier than	instruments if it	threshold

		the notifiable threshold	equals or is higher than the notifiable threshold	
Rathbones Group PLC	Rathbones Investment Management Limited	7.832800		7.832800%
Rathbones Group PLC	Investec Wealth & Investment Limited	0.016000		0.016000%

# 10. In case of proxy voting

Name of the proxy holder

The number and % of voting rights held

The date until which the voting rights will be held

# 11. Additional Information

None

# 12. Date of Completion

02-Jul-2024

# 13. Place Of Completion

Port of Liverpool Building, Liverpool L3 1NW