Director/PDMR Shareholding

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## VODAFONE GROUP PLC (the "Company")

## NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS, PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITIES OR PERSONS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED

## **Conditional Award of Shares**

Conditional awards of shares were granted to the below participants on 31 July 2024 by the Company. The awards have been granted in accordance with the Vodafone Global Incentive Plan. The vesting of these awards is conditional on continued employment with the Vodafone Group and on the satisfaction of performance conditions approved by the Remuneration Committee and will vest on 31 July 2027 unless otherwise stated. The adjusted free cash flow target range for the awards vesting is €7.5bn (threshold) to €9.5bn (maximum), including free cash flow from Vodafone Italy in the financial year 2024/25, with details of the relative total shareholder return and ESG targets being found in the Company's 2024 Annual Report available at vodafone.com/ar2024. The below tables set out the maximum number of shares granted and these will be reduced accordingly if the Company achieves less than maximum performance.

- Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated
- a) Name Margherita Della Valle
- 2 Reason for the notification
- a) Position/status Vodafone Group Chief Executive
- b) Initial notification/ Initial notification Amendment
- 3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor
- a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61
- 4 Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted
- a) Description of the Ordinary shares of US $\$0.20^{20}/_{21}$  each in Vodafone Group Plc financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global

transaction Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 8,545,255

Aggregated volume: 8,545,255 Ordinary shares d) Aggregated

information: Aggregated price: GBP 6,249,999.51

volume, Price

2024-07-31 e) Date of the

transaction

Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Luka Mucic

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status Vodafone Group Chief Financial Officer

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, 3 auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

Ordinary shares of US\$0.20  $^{\rm 20}/_{\rm 21}$  each in Vodafone Group Plc a) Description of the financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global transaction

Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 4,675,963

Aggregated volume: 4,675,963 Ordinary shares d) Aggregated

Aggregated price: GBP 3,419,999.34 information:

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Marika Auramo

Reason for the notification 2

a) Position/status CEO of Vodafone Business

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

Name Vodafone Group Plc a) b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

 a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument and identification Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc

(ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

code
b) Nature of the transaction

Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global

Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and volume(s)

Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 3,007,929

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 3,007,929 Ordinary shares

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,199,999.27

volume, Price
e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Maaike de Bie

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status Group General Counsel and Company Secretary

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification code

b) Nature of the transaction Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 2,816,516

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 2,816,516 Ordinary shares

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,059,999.80

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Ahmed Essam

2 Reason for the notification

Position/status Executive Chairman Vodafone Germany and CEO European

Markets

Initial notification/ Initial notification b)

Amendment

Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, 3 auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have

been conducted

Description of the Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 20/21 each in Vodafone Group Plc (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

financial instrument, type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global

transaction Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

Price(s) and volume(s)

Price(s) Volume(s) 4,101,722 GBP 0.7314

Aggregated Aggregated volume: 4,101,722 Ordinary shares

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,999,999.47

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

Name Shameel Joosub a)

Reason for the notification 2

a) Position/status CEO Vodacom Group Initial notification/ Initial notification b) Amendment

Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, 3 auctioneer or auction monitor

Vodafone Group Plc Name a) 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61 LEI b)

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc Description of the financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global Incentive Plan, based on Group performance. transaction

Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 854,168

Aggregated volume: 854,168 Ordinary shares Aggregated

information: Aggregated price: GBP 624,738.48

volume, Price

Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

Place of the Outside a trading venue

- Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated
- a) Name Scott Petty
- 2 Reason for the notification
- a) Position/status Vodafone Group Chief Technology Officer
- b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

- 3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor
- a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61
- Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted
- a) Description of the financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39) Ordinary shares of US\$0.20  $^{20}/_{21}$  each in Vodafone Group Plc

type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global

transaction Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 2,816,516

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 2,816,516 Ordinary shares

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,059,999.80

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

- 1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated
- a) Name Joakim Reiter
- 2 Reason for the notification
- a) Position/status Chief External and Corporate Affairs Officer
- b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

- 3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor
- a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61
- Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted
- a) Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument

  Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

and identification

code

b) Nature of the transaction Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 2,816,516

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 2,816,516 Ordinary shares

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,059,999.80

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Alberto Ripepi

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status **Group Chief Network Officer** 

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, 3 auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global

transaction Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 2.533.429

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 2,533,429 Ordinary shares information:

Aggregated price: GBP 1,852,949.97

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Serpil Timuray

Reason for the notification 2

a) Position/status **CEO Vodafone Investments** 

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, 3 auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 20/21 each in Vodafone Group Plc a) Description of the financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global Incentive Plan, based on Group performance. transaction

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 3,664,205

Aggregated volume: 3,664,205 Ordinary shares d) Aggregated

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,679,999.54

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

Place of the Outside a trading venue

1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Leanne Wood

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status Chief Human Resources Officer

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global transaction Incentive Plan, based on Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 3.336.067

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 3,336,067 Ordinary shares information:

Aggregated price: GBP 2,439,999.40

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

A conditional award of shares was granted to the below participant on 31 July 2024 by the Company. The award has been granted in accordance with the Vodafone Global Incentive Plan. The vesting of this award is conditional on continued employment with the Vodafone Group and will vest on 31 July 2026. The award also attracts dividend equivalent awards.

1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Marika Auramo

Reason for the notification

a) Position/status **CEO** of Vodafone Business

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc a) Description of the financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global transaction Incentive Plan, subject to continued employment.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 1,503,964

Aggregated volume: 1,503,964 Ordinary shares d) Aggregated

information: Aggregated price: GBP 1,099,999.27

volume, Price

2024-07-31 e) Date of the

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

transaction

A conditional award of shares was granted to the below participant on 31 July 2024 by the Company. The award has been granted in accordance with the Vodafone Global Incentive Plan. The vesting of the award is conditional on continued employment with the Vodafone Group and on the satisfaction of performance conditions approved by the Remuneration Committee and will vest on 31 July 2027. The below table sets out the maximum number of shares granted and these will be reduced accordingly if less than maximum performance is achieved. The award also attracts dividend equivalent awards.

Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Ahmed Essam

Reason for the notification

a) Position/status Executive Chairman Vodafone Germany and CEO European

Markets

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the

Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39)

type of instrument and identification

code

b) Nature of the Grant of nil cost conditional award of shares under the Global transaction Incentive Plan, based on local market and Group performance.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP 0.7314 4,101,722

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume: 4,101,722 Ordinary shares

information: Aggregated price: GBP 2,999,999.47

volume, Price

e) Date of the 2024-07-31

transaction

f) Place of the Outside a trading venue

The below individuals acquired shares under the Vodafone Global Incentive Plan. The vesting of the share awards was conditional on continued employment with the Vodafone Group.

1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities/person closely associated

a) Name Aldo Bisio

2 Reason for the notification

a) Position/status Chief Commercial Officer and CEO Vodafone Italy

b) Initial notification/ Initial notification

Amendment

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

a) Name Vodafone Group Plc b) LEI 213800TB53ELEUKM7Q61

Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the Ord financial instrument, (ISII

and identification

Ordinary shares of US\$0.20 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub> each in Vodafone Group Plc

financial instrument, (ISIN: GB00BH4HKS39) type of instrument

code

b) Nature of the Vesting of retention shares as part of the Global Long Term

transaction Retention (GLTR) plan.

Sale of shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations.

c) Price(s) and

volume(s) Price(s) Volume(s) GBP nil 603,416

GBP 0.733398 250,101

d) Aggregated Aggregated volume of shares acquired: 603,416 Ordinary

information: shares

volume, Price Aggregated price of shares acquired: GBP nil

Aggregated volume of shares sold: 250,101 Ordinary shares

Aggregated price of shares sold: GBP 183,423.57

e) Date of the 2024-07-29

transaction

f) Place of the London Stock Exchange (XLON)

transaction

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