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30 October 2008

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to the notification filed with the BFIC on 30 October 2008 (exemption set forth in article 21, §2 and 28 of the Royal Decree of 14.02.2008), Capital Research and Management Company ("CRMC") hereby reports voting interest in shares of UCB. This filing is not being made to reflect an acquisition or disposition of shares, but rather to reflect CRMC's voting interest in shares of UCB under the Transparency Directive.

CRMC is an investment adviser based in the United States and a 100% owned subsidiary of its parent company, The Capital Group ("CGC"). Neither CGC nor CRMC owns shares of Belgian issuers on their own behalf. Rather the shares reported in this notification are owned by mutual funds under the discretionary investment management of CRMC. Certain mutual funds managed by CRMC have delegated the right to vote the proxies of their portfolio securities to CRMC. CRMC hereby submits this report to reflect the shares over which CRMC has voting discretion.

Should you have questions or require additional information, please contact Gina Martinez or Vivien Tan at (213) 615-0469, or send a fax message to (213) 486-9698. Alternatively, you may contact us via E-mail at [GRGroup@capgroup.com](mailto:GRGroup@capgroup.com).

Sincerely,



Christopher Aquino

**FORM TR-1 BE (23-10-2008)  
PART I**

1) Status of the notification

Final

2) Issuer

Name UCB  
Identification number 0403-053-608

3) Reason for the notification

Participating interest on 1 September 2008 (transitional provision)

4) Notification by

A person that notifies alone

5) Persons subject to the notification requirement

Name (& legal form for legal persons)	Address (for legal persons)	UCI pension funds
Capital Research and Management Company	333 South Hope Street, Los Angeles, California 90071-1406	

6) Persons that dispose of, ... voting rights (Only to be filled in if art. 7 of the Law applies)

Name (& legal form for legal persons)	Address (for legal persons)
EuroPacific Growth Fund	333 South Hope Street, Los Angeles, California 90071-1406



Please continue entering the information in part II concerning the persons referred to in points 5 and 6

7) Date on which the threshold is crossed

1/9/2008 (DD/MM/YYYY)

8) Threshold that is crossed (in %)

10.00

if the holding has fallen below the lowest threshold, you have the option of not filling in point 10

9) Denominator

183,365,052

Please enter the denominator before filling in the data

10) Notified details

A) Voting rights	Before the transaction		After the transaction	
	# of voting rights		% of voting rights	
0	0	Linked to securities	Linked to securities	
21,717,895	21,717,895	Not linked to the securities	Not linked to the securities	
		0	11.84%	
		0	11.84%	
			0.00%	
			0.00%	
<b>TOTAL</b>				

Start with "groups" of holders. Calculate subtotals and then finish with the persons who are "alone".  
 The totals and the subtotals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

B) Equivalent financial instruments	After the transaction			
	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise period or date	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised
0				0
21,717,895				0
				0.00%
				0.00%
<b>TOTAL</b>				

The totals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

TOTAL (Voting rights & Equivalent financial instruments)	# of voting rights	% of voting rights
	21,717,895	11.84%

11) Chain of controlled undertakings through which the holding is effectively held, if applicable

Please describe, or join a diagram in attachment

The Capital Group Companies Inc. (parent undertaking) refers to its notification filed with the BEIC on 30 October 2006 (exemption set forth in article 21, §2 and 28 of the Royal Decree of 14.02.2006)

12) In case of proxy voting for only one GM

Holder	N/A	will cease to hold / will hold again	0	voting rights as of	

13) Additional information

A) Convertible bonds and rights to subscribe to voting securities not yet issued

Holder	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date (DD/MM/YYYY)	Exercises/Conversion period or date	Number	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/converted
N/A					

B) Shares without voting rights

Holder	Number
N/A	

C) Remarks

Done at Los Angeles, California, United States

On 30/10/2008 (DD/MM/YYYY)

Name & capacity Liliane Corzo, Associate Counsel

Signature 