



**ADITYA BIRLA  
CAPITAL**

PROTECTING INVESTING FINANCING ADVISING

November 08, 2017

To,  
The Company Secretary,  
Bayer Cropscience Limited  
Bayer House,  
Central Avenue,  
Hiranandani Estate,  
Thane West - 400607.

Dear Sir,

**Ref: Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund (Registration No. MF/020/94/8)**

**Sub: Disclosure under Regulation 29(1) of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011**

Please find enclosed disclosure under SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 by the schemes of Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund in relation to acquisition of shares of Bayer Cropscience Limited aggregating to 5.0300 % of the paid up capital of the Company.

We request you to take the same on record.

Thanking you.

For Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Ltd.

*Hemanti*  
Dr **Hemanti Wadhwa**  
**Compliance Officer**

for Encl: A/a

cc to:

✓ The National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,  
K/A: Sheetal, Exchange Plaza, C-1,  
BLOCK G, Bandra Kurla Complex,  
Bandra (E), Mumbai 400 051, India

Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd.  
K/A: Jeevan Noronha, Corporate Services,  
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,  
Dalal Street, Mumbai 400001, India

**Format for disclosures under Regulation 29(1) of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011**

**Part-A**

**Details of the Acquisition**

|                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                          |                                                                |                                                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Name of the Target Company (TC)                                                                                                                                          | Bayer Cropscience Limited.                                               |                                                                |                                                                  |
| Name(s) of the acquirer and Persons Acting in Concert (PAC) with the acquirer                                                                                            | Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund                                        |                                                                |                                                                  |
| Whether the acquirer belongs to Promoter/Promoter group                                                                                                                  | No                                                                       |                                                                |                                                                  |
| Name(s) of the Stock Exchange(s) where the shares of TC are Listed                                                                                                       | National Stock Exchange of India Limited / Bombay Stock Exchange Limited |                                                                |                                                                  |
| Details of the acquisition as follows                                                                                                                                    | <b>Number</b>                                                            | <b>% w.r.t. total share/voting capital wherever applicable</b> | <b>% w.r.t. total diluted share/voting capital of the TC (*)</b> |
| <b>Before the acquisition under consideration, holding of :</b>                                                                                                          |                                                                          |                                                                |                                                                  |
| a) Shares carrying voting rights                                                                                                                                         | 1,706,495<br>(As on 05 <sup>th</sup> Nov 2017)                           | 4.9704<br>(As on 05 <sup>th</sup> Nov 2017)                    | 4.9704<br>(As on 05 <sup>th</sup> Nov 2017)                      |
| b) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/lien/non-disposal undertaking/ others)                                                                                    | 0.00                                                                     | 0.00                                                           | 0.00                                                             |
| c) Voting rights (VR) otherwise than by equity shares                                                                                                                    | 0.00                                                                     | 0.00                                                           | 0.00                                                             |
| d) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) | 0.00                                                                     | 0.00                                                           | 0.00                                                             |
| <b>e) Total (a+b+c+d)</b>                                                                                                                                                | <b>1,706,495</b>                                                         | <b>4.9704</b>                                                  | <b>4.9704</b>                                                    |



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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Details of acquisition</b>                                                                                                                                                                     | 20,478                                              | 0.0596        | 0.0596        |
| <b>a) Shares carrying voting rights acquired</b>                                                                                                                                                  |                                                     |               |               |
| <b>b) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/lien/non-disposal undertaking/ others)</b>                                                                                                      | 0.00                                                | 0.00          | 0.00          |
| <b>c) VRs acquired otherwise than by equity shares</b>                                                                                                                                            | 0.00                                                | 0.00          | 0.00          |
| <b>d) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) acquired/sold</b>     | 0.00                                                | 0.00          | 0.00          |
| <b>e) Total (a+b+c+d)</b>                                                                                                                                                                         | 20,478                                              | 0.0596        | 0.0596        |
| <b>After the acquisition, holding of:</b>                                                                                                                                                         | <b>1,726,973</b>                                    | <b>5.0300</b> | <b>5.0300</b> |
| <b>a) Shares carrying voting rights</b>                                                                                                                                                           |                                                     |               |               |
| <b>b) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/lien/non-disposal undertaking/ others)</b>                                                                                                      | 0.00                                                | 0.00          | 0.00          |
| <b>c) VRs otherwise than by equity shares</b>                                                                                                                                                     | 0.00                                                | 0.00          | 0.00          |
| <b>d) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) after acquisition</b> | 0.00                                                | 0.00          | 0.00          |
| <b>e) Total (a+b+c+d)</b>                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>1,726,973</b>                                    | <b>5.0300</b> | <b>5.0300</b> |
| <b>Mode of acquisition (e.g. open market / off-market / public issue / rights issue /preferential allotment / inter-se transfer etc.)</b>                                                         | Open market                                         |               |               |
| <b>Salient features of the securities acquired including time till redemption, ratio at which it can be converted into equity shares, etc.</b>                                                    | Not Applicable                                      |               |               |
| <b>Date of acquisition</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | 06-November-2017                                    |               |               |
| <b>Equity share capital / total voting capital of the TC</b>                                                                                                                                      | Rs. 34,333,5930.00 /- (i.e 34,333,593 shares of Rs. |               |               |



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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| before the said acquisition                                                     | 10 each)                                                     |
| Equity share capital/ total voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition | Rs. 34,333,5930.00 /- (i.e 34,333,593 shares of Rs. 10 each) |
| Total diluted share/voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition         | Rs. 34,333,5930.00 /- (i.e 34,333,593 shares of Rs. 10 each) |

**For Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Ltd.**

  
**\* Hemanti Wadhwa**  
**Compliance Officer**

Encl: A/a  
Mutual Fund Registration No. MF/020/94/8

Place: Mumbai

Date: 8<sup>th</sup> November 2017