

1) Status of the notification

Final

2) Issuer

Name: ABLYNX
Identification number: 0475-295-446

3) Reason for the notification

Acquisition or disposal of voting securities or voting rights
Acquisition or disposal of financial instruments that are treated as voting securities

4) Notification by

A parent undertaking or a controlling person

5) Persons subject to the notification requirement

Name	Address (for legal entities)
UBS Group AG	Bahnhofstrasse 45, 8001 Zürich

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

Name	Address (for legal entities)

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

Part II

7) Date on which the threshold is crossed

23.04.2018 (DD/MM/YYYY)

8) Threshold that is crossed (in %)

5

If the holding has fallen below the lowest threshold, you have the option of not entering any numbers in Section 10

9) Denominator

75'253'667

Please enter the denominator before filling in the data

10) Notified details

A) Voting rights	Previous notification # of voting rights	After the transaction			
		# of voting rights		% of voting rights	
Holders of voting rights		Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities	Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities
UBS Group AG	0	0		0.00%	
UBS AG	551'706	551'498		0.73%	
UBS Asset Management Trust Company	3'150	3'150		0.00%	
UBS Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A.	24'456	24'456		0.03%	
UBS Fund Management (Switzerland) AG	19'998	19'998		0.03%	

UBS Hedge Fund Solutions LLC	329'383	329'383		0.44%	
UBS Limited	96'051	96'146		0.13%	
UBS O'Connor LLC	1'015'081	1'015'081		1.35%	
UBS Switzerland AG	91'198	461'910		0.61%	
Subtotal	2'131'023	2'501'622		3.32%	
TOTAL		2'501'622	0	3.32%	0.00%

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i Start with "groups" of holders. Add subtotals with Σ, and then finish with the persons who are "alone".
 For groups, start with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity.
 The totals, subtotals and % will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>.

B) Equivalent financial Instruments	After the transaction						
	Holders of equivalent financial Instruments	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise period or date	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised	% of voting rights	Settlement
UBS AG	Right to recall lent shares		Anytime	86,085	0.11%	physical	-
UBS AG	Right to substitute shares delivered as collateral		Anytime	2,281,884	3.03%	physical	-
UBS Switzerland AG	Right to recall lent shares		Anytime	58,162	0.08%	physical	-
UBS Switzerland AG	Right to substitute shares delivered as collateral		Anytime	745,652	0.99%	physical	-
UBS Switzerland AG	Right to substitute shares delivered as collateral		Anytime	73,800	0.10%	physical	-
UBS AG	Depository Receipts		Anytime	74,090	0.10%	physical	-
UBS AG	Right to substitute shares delivered as collateral		Anytime	38,700	0.05%	physical	-
UBS Securities LLC	Depository Receipts		Anytime	2,140	0.00%	physical	+
TOTAL				3,360,513	4.47%		

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

TOTAL (A & B)	# of voting rights	% of voting rights
	CALCULATE	5,862,135 7.79%

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

Please see full chain of control attached.

12) In case of proxy voting for only one GM

Holder will cease to hold / will hold again 0 voting rights as of (DD/MM/YYYY)

13) Additional information

The disclosure obligation arose on 23rd April 2018 due to:
 - the total indirect holdings of UBS Group AG in voting rights (section 10 A), held directly by controlled undertakings, going above 3%.
 - the total indirect holdings of UBS Group AG in equivalent financial instruments (section 10 B), held directly by controlled undertakings, going below 5%.

Done at

On (DD/MM/YYYY)

Signature
 Signature

11. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation – organizational chart

UBS Group AG, Bahnhofstrasse 45, 8001 Zürich, indirectly through its subsidiaries:

- UBS AG, Bahnhofstrasse 45, 8001 Zürich and Aeschenvorstadt 1, CH-4051 Basel, directly and indirectly through:
 - UBS Limited, 5 Broadgate, London, United Kingdom; and
 - UBS Switzerland AG, Bahnhofstrasse 45, Zurich, Switzerland; and
 - UBS Americas Holding LLC, Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, Delaware, USA indirectly through:
 - UBS O'Connor LLC, c/o Maples Fiduciary Services (Delaware) Inc. Ltd, 4001 Kennett Pike, Suite 302, Wilmington, USA, and
 - UBS Securities LLC, Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, Delaware, USA, and
 - UBS Hedge Fund Solutions LLC, Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington New Castle, USA, and
 - UBS Americas Inc., Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, Delaware, USA indirectly through:
 - UBS Asset Management (Americas) Inc., Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, DE, USA indirectly through:
 - UBS Asset Management Trust Company, Illinois Corporation Service Company 801 Adlai Stevenson Drive, Springfield, IL, USA; and
- UBS Asset Management AG, Bahnhofstrasse 45, Zurich, Switzerland indirectly through:
 - UBS Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A., 33A avenue J.F. Kennedy, Luxembourg, Luxembourg; and
 - UBS Fund Management (Switzerland) AG, Aeschenplatz 6, Basel, Switzerland.