

## Strategy and Finance Division Investor Relations & DCM

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## **Extraordinary announcement**

## OTP Bank has purchased Slovenia's second largest bank

OTP Bank Plc. announces that the financial completion of the transaction to purchase 100% shareholding of Nova KBM d.d. and its subsidiary – after obtaining all necessary regulatory approvals – has been completed on 6 February 2023, based on the share sale and purchase agreement concluded between OTP Bank, funds managed by affiliates of Apollo Global Management, Inc. and EBRD, on 31 May 2021. The acquisition of the bank is the most significant acquisition in the history of OTP Group.

With a market share of 20.7% in terms of total assets as of September 2022 and more than 1,500 employees as of the end of 2022, Nova KBM d.d. is the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest bank in the Slovenian banking market. As a universal bank, it has been active in the retail and corporate segments as well. With the transaction closing of Nova KBM, OTP Group has around 30% share in the Slovenian banking market on a pro-forma basis.

The integration process of the two Slovenian subsidiaries, SKB banka purchased in 2019 and Nova KBM is expected to be completed in 2024. The new bank will be the largest foreign subsidiary of OTP Group.

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