6 July 2016

Announcement of AGM Poll Results

Following the Annual General Meeting held today, J Sainsbury plc announces the results of the poll vote for each resolution as follows:

		Votes For	%	Votes Against	%	Voted total	% of ISC Voted	Votes Withheld
1	To receive and adopt the audited accounts for the 52 weeks to 12 March 2016 together with the Reports of the Directors and	4 200 700 045	00.00	07.070	0.04	4 200 047 007	60.049/	470 544
	Auditors	1,328,730,615	99.99	87,072	0.01	1,328,817,687	69.01%	178,514
2	To approve the Directors' Remuneration Report for the 52 weeks to 12 March 2016	1,277,085,823	98.77	15,848,289	1.23	1,292,934,112	67.15%	36,059,343
3	To declare a final dividend of 8.1 pence per ordinary share	1,328,855,450	100.00	59,992	0.00	1,328,915,442	69.02%	76,815
4	To elect Brian Cassin as a Director	1,328,165,464	99.97	412,861	0.03	1,328,578,325	69.00%	414,577
5	To re-elect Matt Brittin as a Director	1,327,898,009	99.94	734,922	0.06	1,328,632,931	69.00%	360,135
6	To re-elect Mike Coupe as a Director	1,328,121,112	99.96	542,325	0.04	1,328,663,437	69.00%	330,717
7	To re-elect Mary Harris as a Director	1,320,123,656	99.36	8,528,395	0.64	1,328,652,051	69.00%	344,028
8	To re-elect David Keens as a Director	1,328,243,177	99.97	409,411	0.03	1,328,652,588	69.00%	343,259
9	To re-elect Susan Rice as a Director	1,326,614,626	99.85	2,049,360	0.15	1,328,663,986	69.00%	335,053
10	To re-elect John Rogers as a Director	1,327,855,239	99.94	814,787	0.06	1,328,670,026	69.00%	334,175
11	To re-elect Jean Tomlin as a Director	1,327,959,206	99.95	718,676	0.05	1,328,677,882	69.00%	317,790
12	To re-elect David Tyler as a Director	1,319,311,276	99.30	9,356,944	0.70	1,328,668,220	69.00%	318,358
13	To re-appoint Ernst & Young LLP as Auditor	1,326,016,769	99.80	2,681,455	0.20	1,328,698,224	69.00%	299,550
14	To authorise the Audit Committee to agree the							250,486
15	Auditor's remuneration To authorise the Directors to allot shares	1,328,405,397 1,296,204,636	99.97 97.56	338,269 32,419,400	0.03 2.44	1,328,743,666 1,328,624,036	69.01% 69.00%	366,704
16	Authority to disapply pre- emption without restriction as to use (Special Resolution)	1,290,039,132	97.11	38,392,022	2.89	1,328,431,154	68.99%	555,811
17	Authority to disapply pre- emption for acquisitions or specified capital investments (Special Resolution)	1,280,393,719	96.38	48,057,832	3.62	1,328,451,551	68.99%	533,716

18	To authorise the Company to make 'political donations' and incur 'political expenditure'	1,286,413,562	97.31	35,524,348	2.69	1,321,937,910	68.65%	6,979,727
19	To authorise the Company to purchase its own shares (Special Resolution)	1,314,544,612	99.40	7,888,033	0.60	1,322,432,645	68.68%	6,554,585
20	To authorise the Company to call a general meeting on not less than 14 clear days' notice (Special Resolution)	1,201,693,014	90.85	120,984,666	9.15	1,322,677,680	68.69%	6,314,253
21	To approve the rules of J Sainsbury plc Long Term Incentive Plan 2016	1,279,017,771	98.83	15,118,322	1.17	1,294,136,093	67.21%	34,853,155

Please note a 'vote withheld' is not a vote under English law and is therefore not included in the calculation of votes 'for' and 'against' a resolution.

The total number of voting rights as at 5 July 2016 were 1,925,530,156 shares of 28⁴/₇ pence.

In accordance with Listing Rule 9.6.2, copies of the resolutions passed as special business will shortly be available for inspection on the National Storage Mechanism at http://www.morningstar.co.uk/uk/NSM.

A copy of the voting results shown above are also available on the Company's website at http://www.j-sainsbury.co.uk/investor-centre/investor-news/rns/#tabbed_section

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