

THIRD SUPPLEMENT DATED 5 FEBRUARY 2018  
UNDER THE €40,000,000,000 GLOBAL ISSUANCE PROGRAMME  
TO THE BASE PROSPECTUS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF MEDIUM TERM NOTES AND  
INFLATION LINKED NOTES



**ING Bank N.V.**

*(Incorporated in The Netherlands with its statutory seat in Amsterdam)*

**ING Bank N.V., Sydney Branch**  
**(Australian Business Number 32 080 178 196)**

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**€40,000,000,000 Global Issuance Programme**

This Supplement (the “**Supplement**”) is prepared as a supplement to, and must be read in conjunction with, the Base Prospectus for the Issuance of Medium Term Notes and Inflation Linked Notes dated 26 June 2017, as supplemented by the supplements dated 4 August 2017 and 3 November 2017 (the “**Base Prospectus**”). The Base Prospectus has been issued by ING Bank N.V. (the “**Global Issuer**”) and ING Bank N.V., Sydney Branch (the “**Australian Issuer**”) in respect of a €40,000,000,000 Global Issuance Programme (the “**Programme**”). This Supplement, together with the Base Prospectus, constitutes a base prospectus for the purposes of Article 5.4 of Directive 2003/71/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, as amended, to the extent that such amendments have been implemented in the relevant Member State of the European Economic Area (the “**Prospectus Directive**”). Terms used but not defined in this Supplement have the meanings ascribed to them in the Base Prospectus. To the extent that there is any inconsistency between (a) any statement in this Supplement or any statement incorporated by reference into the Base Prospectus by this Supplement and (b) any other statement in or incorporated by reference in the Base Prospectus, the statements in (a) above will prevail. Each Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Supplement relating to it and the Global Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Supplement. To the best of the knowledge of each Issuer and the Global Issuer (which have each taken all reasonable care to ensure that such is the case) the information contained in this Supplement (in the case of each Issuer, as such information relates to it) is in accordance with the facts and does not omit anything likely to affect the import of such information.

## INTRODUCTION

No person has been authorised to give any information or to make any representation not contained in or not consistent with the Base Prospectus and this Supplement, or any other information supplied in connection with the Programme and, if given or made, such information or representation must not be relied upon as having been authorised by any Issuer, the Arranger or any Dealer appointed by any Issuer.

Neither the delivery of this Supplement nor the Base Prospectus shall in any circumstances imply that the information contained in the Base Prospectus and herein concerning any of the Issuers is correct at any time subsequent to the date of the Base Prospectus (in the case of the Base Prospectus) or the date hereof (in the case of this Supplement) or that any other information supplied in connection with the Programme is correct as of any time subsequent to the date indicated in the document containing the same.

So long as the Base Prospectus and this Supplement are valid as described in Article 9 of the Prospectus Directive, copies of this Supplement and the Base Prospectus, together with the other documents listed in the “General Information – Documents Available” section of the Base Prospectus and the information incorporated by reference in the Base Prospectus by this Supplement, will be available free of charge from ING Bank N.V. at Foppingadreef 7, 1102 BD Amsterdam, The Netherlands. In addition, this Supplement, the Base Prospectus and the documents which are incorporated by reference in the Base Prospectus by this Supplement will be made available on the following website: <https://www.ingmarkets.com> under the section “Downloads”.

Other than in Belgium, France, Luxembourg, Malta and The Netherlands, the Issuers, the Arranger and any Dealer do not represent that the Base Prospectus and this Supplement may be lawfully distributed in compliance with any applicable registration or other requirements in any jurisdiction, or pursuant to an exemption available thereunder, or assume any responsibility for facilitating any such distribution or offering.

The distribution of the Base Prospectus and this Supplement may be restricted by law in certain jurisdictions. Persons into whose possession the Base Prospectus and this Supplement come must inform themselves about, and observe, any such restrictions (see “Subscription and Sale” in the Base Prospectus).

In accordance with Article 16 of the Prospectus Directive, investors who have agreed to purchase or subscribe for securities issued under the Base Prospectus before publication of this Supplement have the right, exercisable within two working days commencing on the working day after the date of publication of this Supplement, to withdraw their acceptances.

## RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND INFORMATION INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

On 5 February 2018, the Global Issuer published a supplement to its Registration Document (the “**Global Issuer Registration Document Supplement**”) and the Australian Issuer published a supplement to its Registration Document (the “**Australian Issuer Registration Document Supplement**”). Copies of the Global Issuer Registration Document Supplement and the Australian Issuer Registration Document Supplement have been approved by and filed with the AFM and, by virtue of this Supplement, are incorporated by reference in, and form part of, the Base Prospectus (along with each Registration Document as updated or supplemented at the date hereof).

### MODIFICATIONS TO THE BASE PROSPECTUS

1. *The section entitled “Documents Incorporated by Reference — The Global Issuer” on page 92 of the Base Prospectus shall be deleted and restated as follows:*

“In respect of Notes issued by the Global Issuer, this Base Prospectus should be read and construed in conjunction with the registration document of the Global Issuer dated 16 May 2017, prepared in accordance with Article 5 of the Prospectus Directive and approved by the AFM (together with the supplements thereto dated 4 August 2017, 3 November 2017 and 5 February 2018, the “**Global Issuer Registration Document**” or the “**ING Bank N.V. Registration Document**”), including, for the purpose of clarity, the following items incorporated by reference therein:

- (i) the Articles of Association (*statuten*) of the Global Issuer;
- (ii) the publicly available annual report of the Global Issuer in respect of the year ended 31 December 2016, including the audited financial statements and auditors’ report in respect of such year;
- (iii) the publicly available audited consolidated financial statements of the Global Issuer in respect of the years ended 31 December 2015 and 2014 (in each case, together with the auditors’ reports thereon and explanatory notes thereto);
- (iv) the press release published by ING Group on 25 April 2017 entitled “ING to participate in Bank of Beijing share offering”;
- (v) the press release published by ING Group on 10 May 2017 entitled “ING 1Q17 net result EUR 1,143 million” (the “**Q1 Press Release**”). The Q1 Press Release contains, among other things, the consolidated unaudited interim results of ING Group as at, and for the three month period ended, 31 March 2017, as well as information about recent developments during this period in the banking business of ING Group, which is conducted substantially through the Global Issuer and its consolidated group;

- (vi) the press release published by ING Group on 2 August 2017 entitled “ING posts 2Q17 net result of EUR 1,371 million” (the “**Q2 Press Release**”). The Q2 Press Release contains, among other things, the consolidated unaudited interim results of ING Group as at, and for the three month period and six month period ended, 30 June 2017, as well as information about recent developments during this period in the banking business of ING Group, which is conducted substantially through the Global Issuer and its consolidated group;
- (vii) the interim financial report containing the Global Issuer’s condensed consolidated unaudited results as at, and for the six month period ended, 30 June 2017, as published by the Global Issuer on 2 August 2017;
- (viii) the press release published by ING Group on 11 September 2017 entitled “ING announces change in Supervisory Board”;
- (ix) the press release published by ING Group on 2 November 2017 entitled “ING posts 3Q17 net result of EUR 1,376 million” (the “**Q3 Press Release**”). The Q3 Press Release contains, among other things, the consolidated unaudited interim results of ING Group as at, and for the three month period and nine month period ended, 30 September 2017, as well as information about recent developments during this period in the banking business of ING Group, which is conducted substantially through the Global Issuer and its consolidated group;
- (x) the press release published by ING Group on 29 December 2017 entitled “ING completes participation in Bank of Beijing share offering”;
- (xi) the press release published by ING Group on 29 January 2018 entitled “ING further invests in payments business with acquisition of majority stake in Payvision”; and
- (xii) the press release published by ING Group on 31 January 2018 entitled “ING posts 2017 net result of EUR 4,905 million; 4Q17 net result of EUR 1,015 million” (the “**Q4 Press Release**”). The Q4 Press Release contains, among other things, the consolidated unaudited interim results of ING Group as at, and for the three month period and twelve month period ended, 31 December 2017, as well as information about recent developments during this period in the banking business of ING Group, which is conducted substantially through the Global Issuer and its consolidated group.”.

*2. The section entitled “Documents Incorporated by Reference — The Australian Issuer” on page 92 of the Base Prospectus shall be deleted and restated as follows:*

“In respect of Notes issued by the Australian Issuer, this Base Prospectus should be read and construed in conjunction with the registration document of the Australian Issuer dated 26 June 2017, which has been prepared in accordance with Article 5 of the Prospectus Directive and approved by the AFM (together with the supplements thereto dated 4 August 2017, 3 November 2017 and 5 February 2018, the “**Australian Issuer Registration Document**”), including, for the purpose of clarity, the Global Issuer Registration Document.”.

3. *The penultimate paragraph in the section entitled “Documents Incorporated by Reference” on page 93 of the Base Prospectus shall be deleted and restated as follows:*

“With respect to the Q1 Press Release, the Q2 Press Release, the Q3 Press Release and the Q4 Press Release (together, the “**Quarterly Press Releases**”), prospective investors should note that the Global Issuer’s consolidated operations, while materially the same, are not identical with the reported financial and statistical information on a segment basis for the banking business of ING Group as described in the Quarterly Press Releases, because the financial and statistical information reported by ING Group also contains certain financial items incurred solely at the level of ING Group (on a standalone basis) which are therefore not included in the consolidated operations of the Issuer (being a wholly-owned subsidiary of ING Group). Despite the incorporation by reference of one or more press releases published by it, ING Group is not responsible for the preparation of this Base Prospectus.”.

4. *Before the paragraph entitled “IMPORTANT – EEA RETAIL INVESTORS” in the section entitled “Overview of the Programme – Part 1: Introduction” beginning on page 94 of the Base Prospectus there shall be inserted the following:*

“**MIFID II product governance / target market** – The Final Terms in respect of any Notes will include a legend entitled “MiFID II Product Governance” which will outline the target market assessment in respect of the Notes and which channels for distribution of the Notes are appropriate. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Notes (a “**distributor**”) should take into consideration the target market assessment; however, a distributor subject to Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, “**MiFID II**”) is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Notes (by either adopting or refining the target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels.

A determination will be made in relation to each issue about whether, for the purpose of the MiFID Product Governance rules under EU Delegated Directive 2017/593 (the “**MiFID Product Governance Rules**”), any Dealer subscribing for any Notes is a manufacturer in respect of such Notes, but otherwise neither the Arranger nor the Dealers nor any of their respective affiliates will be a manufacturer for the purpose of the MiFID Product Governance Rules.”.

5. *At the end of the section entitled “Overview of the Programme – Part 1: Introduction” beginning on page 94 of the Base Prospectus there shall be inserted the following:*

“Amounts payable under the Notes may be calculated by reference to the Euro Interbank Offered Rate (“**EURIBOR**”) which is provided by the European Money Markets Institute (“**EMMI**”), the London Interbank Offered Rate (“**LIBOR**”) which is provided by the ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (“**ICE**”), or any other benchmark, in each case as specified in the applicable Final Terms. As at the date of this Base Prospectus, EMMI and ICE are not included in the register of administrators and benchmarks established and maintained by the European Securities and Markets Authority (“**ESMA**”) pursuant to Article 36 of the Benchmark Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2016/1011) (the “**BMR**”).

As far as the Issuers are aware, the transitional provisions in Article 51 of the BMR apply, such that EMMI and ICE are not currently required to obtain authorisation or registration (or, if located outside the European Union, recognition, endorsement or equivalence).

If a benchmark (other than EURIBOR or LIBOR) is specified in the applicable Final Terms, the applicable Final Terms will indicate whether or not the benchmark is provided by an administrator included in the register of administrators and benchmarks established and maintained by ESMA pursuant to Article 36 of the BMR.

The registration status of any administrator under the BMR is a matter of public record and, save where required by applicable law, none of the Issuers intends to update the Base Prospectus or any applicable Final Terms to reflect any change in the registration status of the administrator.”.

*6. In the section entitled “Form of Final Terms of the Notes” before the paragraph entitled “[PROHIBITION OF SALES TO EEA RETAIL INVESTORS” on page 248 of the Base Prospectus there shall be inserted the following:*

**“[MIFID II product governance / Professional investors and ECPs only target market –** Solely for the purposes of [the/each] manufacturer’s product approval process, the target market assessment in respect of the Notes has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the Notes is eligible counterparties and professional clients only, each as defined in Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, “**MiFID II**”); and (ii) all channels for distribution of the Notes to eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate. [*Consider any negative target market*]. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Notes (a “**distributor**”) should take into consideration the manufacturer[’s/s’] target market assessment; however, a distributor subject to MiFID II is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturer[’s/s’] target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels.]

**[MiFID II product governance / Retail investors, professional investors and ECPs target market –** Solely for the purposes of [the/each] manufacturer’s product approval process, the target market assessment in respect of the Notes has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the Notes is eligible counterparties, professional clients and retail clients, each as defined in Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, “**MiFID II**”); **EITHER** [and (ii) all channels for distribution of the Notes are appropriate[, including investment advice, portfolio management, non-advised sales and pure execution services]] **OR** [(ii) all channels for distribution to eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate; and (iii) the following channels for distribution of the Notes to retail clients are appropriate - investment advice, portfolio management, non-advised sales and pure execution services - subject to the distributor’s suitability and appropriateness obligations under MiFID II, as applicable]. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Notes (a “**distributor**”) should take into consideration the manufacturer[’s/s’] target market assessment; however, a distributor subject to MiFID II is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturer[’s/s’]

target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels[, subject to the distributor’s suitability and appropriateness obligations under MiFID II, as applicable].”

7. In the section entitled “Form of Final Terms of the Notes” after the paragraph entitled “[PROHIBITION OF SALES TO EEA RETAIL INVESTORS” on page 248 of the Base Prospectus there shall be inserted the following:

“[[specify benchmark] is provided by [administrator legal name]][repeat as necessary]. [[administrator legal name] [appears]/[does not appear]][repeat as necessary] in the register of administrators and benchmarks established and maintained by ESMA pursuant to Article 36 of the BMR.

[As far as the Issuer is aware, [[insert benchmark(s)] [does/do] not fall within the scope of the BMR by virtue of Article 2 of that regulation] **OR** [the transitional provisions in Article 51 of the BMR apply], such that [insert names(s) of administrator(s)] [is/are] not currently required to obtain authorisation or registration (or, if located outside the European Union, recognition, endorsement or equivalence).]”

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