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NOTICE OF DIVIDEND RATE

BCE Inc. will, on September 1, 2017, continue to have Cumulative Redeemable First Preferred Shares. Series AA ("Series AA Preferred Shares") outstanding if, following the end of the conversion period on August 22, 2017, BCE Inc. determines that at least 2,500,000 Series AA Preferred Shares would remain outstanding. In such a case, as of September 1, 2017, the Series AA Preferred Shares will pay, on a quarterly basis, as and when declared by the Board of Directors of BCE Inc., a fixed cash dividend for the following five years that will be based on an annual fixed dividend rate equal to 3.61%.