Ways of holding Wavestone shares

Pure registered shares

This method of holding shares offers you the closest relationship with the company. Your shares are registered directly with Wavestone's¹ shareholding service provider and you manage them yourself. You will automatically receive the notice and documents for the Annual General Meeting.

Bearer shares

This is the most common way to hold shares in France. You are registered only with your financial intermediary (the only party to hold your name) and not on Wavestone's records. You will not automatically receive information about Wavestone.

Administered registered shares

This form of holding combines the features of the two previous Your shares are with registered Wavestone's shareholding **service provider** but are managed by your financial intermediary. You will also receive information about Wavestone and enjoy privileged relationship with the company.

I am a bearer shareholder—what are the advantages of being registered?

You will automatically receive information about Wavestone as well as notifications for Annual General Meetings. However, even if you'd prefer to remain a bearer shareholder, you can still benefit from relevant information about Wavestone; get in touch with your financial intermediary if you want to attend our Annual General Meeting.

1: Caceis Corporate Trust; see contact information on page 26