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Date:	May 25, 2018
To:	All Participants
Category:	Dividends
From:	Supervisor, Stock Dividend Department
Attention:	Dividend Managers, Cashiers, and Reorganization Managers
Subject:	Optional Dividend: Dassault Systems ADR CUSIP: 237545108 Record Date: 05/25/2018 Payable Date: 06/26/2018 Rate: 0.58 Euro per ordinary share which is equivalent to an approximate gross rate of \$0.687590 USD per ADR DTC CA Web Instruction Cut-Off: 06/05/2018 8:00 P.M. (EDT)

*****WARNING TIME CRITICAL*****

PARTICIPANTS SHOULD SUBMIT ELECTION INSTRUCTIONS THROUGH THE CORPORATE ACTION WEB INSTRUCTION TAB.

RECORD DATE POSITION INFORMATION SHOULD BE CONFIRMED THROUGH THE CA WEB.

If there are any questions regarding this important notice, or the processing of CA Web related instructions, participants should contact DTC’s Customer Help Line at (888) 382-2721.

If there are any questions regarding the GlobeTax important notice accompanying this important notice, please contact Kristopher Choi at telephone # (212) 747-9100, or via e-mail at Ivanna Fedorchak Ivanna_Fedorchak@globetax.com.

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DASSAULT SYSTEMES SA has announced an **optional cash/stock** dividend and JP Morgan acts as Depository for the Depository Receipt (“DR”) program.

Participants can use DTC’s Corporate Actions Web (“CA Web”) instructions tab to certify all or a portion of their position entitled to the applicable withholding tax rate. Use of these instruction methods will permit entitlement amounts to be paid through DTC.

As outlined in the Eligibility Matrix below, all qualifying holders will have the opportunity to receive their full treaty benefits on DR pay date. Holders not certified at the favorable or exempt withholding tax rates through CA Web will receive the dividend net of the full French statutory withholding tax rate of **30%** with the possibility to reclaim through the standard long form process.

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DIVIDEND EVENT DETAILS	
COUNTRY OF ISSUANCE	FRANCE
ISSUE	DASSAULT SYSTEMES SA
CUSIP#	237545108
UNDERLYING ISIN	FR0000130650
DEPOSITARY	JPMORGAN CHASE
DR RECORD DATE	MAY 25, 2018
ORD PAY DATE	JUNE 19, 2018
DR PAY DATE	JUNE 26, 2018
RATIO (DR to ORD)	1 : 1
ORD RATE	EUR 0.58
STATUTORY WITHHOLDING RATE	30%
	NOT AVAILABLE

PLEASE NOTE:

- U.S. MUTUAL FUNDS THAT WISH TO RECEIVE THE FAVORABLE RATE MUST PROVIDE A COPY OF THEIR 2018 8802 WITH THE ORIGINAL SUBMISSION.
- IRAs ARE NO LONGER ELIGIBLE FOR RELIEF AT SOURCE OR LONG FORM UNLESS 6166 REFERS TO 401(a), 401(b) OR 457
- ALL 6166S SUBMITTED MUST BE DATED PRIOR TO THE ORD PAY DATE OF JUNE 19, 2018

FEES & DEADLINES

FILING METHOD	PAYMENT METHOD	SHARE MINIMUM (DRs)	CUSTODIAL FEE	TAX RELIEF FEE	MINIMUM FEE PER BENEFICIAL OWNER	FINAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE
RELIEF AT SOURCE	DTCC	NO MINIMUM	NO FEE	UP TO \$0.008 PER ADR	\$0	<p><u>CA WEB INSTRUCTIONS DEADLINE:</u> JUNE 5, 2018; 8:00 P.M. EDT</p> <p><u>DOCUMENTATION DEADLINE AT GLOBETAX:</u> JUNE 12, 2018; 5:00 P.M. EDT</p>
LONG FORM	CHECK OR ACH	NO MINIMUM	35 EUR	UP TO \$0.008 PER DR	\$25.00	<p>NOVEMBER 1, 2020</p> <p>RECLAIMS RECEIVED POST DEADLINE CANNOT BE ASSURED AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO A 1,000.00 EUR PER BENEFICIARY CUSTODIAL FEE WHETHER OR NOT SUCCESSFUL</p>

ELIGIBILITY MATRIX – RELIEF AT SOURCE



RATE DESCRIPTION	RECLAIM RATE	ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS	DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED	SIGNATURE REQUIRED
UNFAVORABLE (CASH OR STOCK) 30%	0%	NON-TREATY COUNTRIES AND ENTITIES NOT MENTIONED AS FAVORABLE OR EXEMPT BELOW	NONE	NONE
FAVORABLE (CASH OR STOCK) 15%	15%	U.S. INDIVIDUALS*	1. APPENDIX B.1 2. APPENDIX B.2 3. APPENDIX C1 OR C2 4. APPENDIX F	1. N/A 2. N/A 3. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT 4. N/A
		U.S. CORPORATIONS*		
		U.S. PENSION FUNDS (UNDER SECTIONS 401(a), 401(b), 403(b), & 457 ONLY)	1. APPENDIX B.1 2. APPENDIX B.2 3. APPENDIX C1 OR C2 4. APPENDIX F 5. IRS FORM 6166	1. N/A 2. N/A 3. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT 4. N/A 5. N/A
		U.S. NOT-FOR-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS (UNDER SECTION 501(c)(3) ONLY) U.S. IRAs (UNDER SECTIONS 401(a), 401(b) & 457; EXCLUDING ROTH & ROLLOVER) U.S. GOVERNMENT ENTITIES U.S. REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANIES (RICs) REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS (REITs) REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CONDUITS (REMICs)	1. APPENDIX B.1 2. APPENDIX B.2 3. APPENDIX C1 OR C2 4. APPENDIX F 5. IRS FORM 6166 6. IRS FORM 8802	1. N/A 2. N/A 3. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT 4. N/A 5. N/A 6. N/A
		CANADIAN INDIVIDUALS & CORPORATIONS	1. APPENDIX B.1 2. APPENDIX B.2 3. APPENDIX D1 OR D2 4. 5000 – EN FORM	1. N/A 2. N/A 3. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT 4. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT & CANADIAN REVENUE AGENCY
EXEMPT (CASH OR STOCK) 0%	30%	CANADIAN PENSIONS	1. APPENDIX B.1 2. APPENDIX B.3 3. APPENDIX D1 OR D2 4. APPENDIX E1 OR E2 5. APPENDIX F 6. 5000 – EN FORM	1. N/A 2. N/A 3. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT 4. YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE & CANADIAN TAX AUTHORITY 5. N/A 6. YES – DTC PARTICIPANT & CANADIAN REVENUE AGENCY

Note: All documents listed in BLUE font are generated by GlobeTax's ESP website after submission of beneficial owner data

***An IRS 6166 form is not required for U.S. individuals and corporations, however, the french tax authorities reserve the right to request one**

DESCRIPTION OF VARIOUS DOCUMENTATION	
DOCUMENT NAME	DESCRIPTION
APPENDIX B.1	- DTC Participant Information
APPENDIX B.2	- Summary of all entity types elected
APPENDIX B.3	- Summary of all Canadian pensions elected
IRS FORM 6166	- Issued by the Internal revenue service, stating the name and tax payer identification number of the beneficial owner https://www.irs.gov/individuals/international-taxpayers/form-6166-certification-of-u-s-tax-residency
IRS FORM 8802	- Application for United States residency certification
APPENDIX C1 OR C2 (ANNEX III)	- Signature and stamp (medallion or other) of the DTC participant - Appendix C1 preferred
APPENDIX D1 OR D2 (ANNEX IV)	- Signature and stamp (medallion or other) of the DTC Participant - Appendix D1 preferred
APPENDIX E1 OR E2 (ANNEX I OR II)	- An attestation must be filled for each beneficiary - Must be certified by the Canadian Revenue Agency - Appendix E1 preferred
5000-EN FORM	- Submit the "FOR USE BY THE FRENCH TAX AUTHORITY" version only; indicated in upper left hand corner of the form - Section III <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Date, signature & stamp (medallion or other) of the DTC Participant - Section IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o To be certified by Canadian Revenue Agency - the form can be obtained below: https://www.impots.gouv.fr/portail/files/formulaires/5000-sd/2017/5000-sd_1874.pdf
APPENDIX F	- An ASCII (American Standard Code for Information Interchange) computer disk file or a Microsoft Excel file is required for non-ESP users - Exhibit I lists the formatting rules

CONTACT DETAILS	
PRIMARY CONTACT	IVANNA FEDORCHAK
DOMESTIC PHONE (U.S.)	800-929-5484
DOMESTIC FAX (U.S.)	800-929-9986
INTERNATIONAL PHONE	1-212-747-9100
INTERNATIONAL FAX	1-212-747-0029
GROUP EMAIL	FRANCEESP@GLOBETAX.COM
COMPANY	GLOBETAX SERVICES INC.
STREET ADDRESS	ONE NEW YORK PLAZA, 34 TH FLOOR
CITY/STATE/ZIP	NEW YORK, NY 10004
ADDITIONAL CONTACTS	BROOKS ROBINSON

JPMorgan Chase offers ESP powered by GlobeTax, an electronic withholding tax submission system. This system allows for the secure and simplified transfer of beneficial owner level data from the Participant to GlobeTax and creates applicable documentation on the Participants behalf.

Submit the data online through the web site below, print out the documents on letterhead, sign them, and mail them to GlobeTax, along with the necessary required documents.

These claims should be submitted through the following website (requires a one-time registration):

<https://ESP.GlobeTax.com>

Please contact support@globetax.com at 212-747-9100 if you have any questions about this process.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

RELIEF AT SOURCE QUESTIONS

Who do I send the relief at source documentation to?	Everything is to be submitted to GlobeTax.
Does the IRS 6166 form have to be for the tax year in which the dividend is paid out and must it be original?	It is highly recommended that the tax year on the 6166 supplied matches the year of the ordinary dividend payment and that the 6166 supplied is an original. If you choose to submit outdated or copies of 6166s, it is recommended that you request a more current one from the IRS at the time the election is made and submit it to the French custodian upon receipt.
What happens if I do not send in the documentation and/or submit a file whose share position totals more than my CA Web elections?	This will result in a chargeback for the amount of shares not supported by the documentation. The favorable or exempt shares elected will be adjusted to your unfavorable position and result in a debit to your DTC participant account. Submitting share amounts exceeding your CA Web elections may result in a chargeback of the total election.
Why are Forms 8802 being requested for U.S. Regulated Investment Companies (RICs), Real Estate Investment Trusts REITs) and Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduits (REMICs)?	The IRS 6166 form does not differentiate between corporations and Regulated Investment Companies (RICs), Real Estate Investment Trusts REITs) and Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduits (REMICs). In order for the French Tax Authorities to validate entities, these forms are being requested.
Are Canadian mutual funds eligible for reclaim through the relief at source process?	No. Only through the standard long form process.
Are partnerships/LLCs eligible for reclaim the relief at source process?	No. Only through the standard long form process.
Why would the French Tax Authorities request an IRS 6166 form for individuals or corporations if it is not required?	If they have any doubts regarding the status of the beneficial owner, they are entitled to validate their suspicion by requesting the 6166.
How long does it take to receive payment with the relief at source process?	On DR pay date.
Are U.S. trust accounts eligible for the relief at source process?	No. Only through the standard long form process
What happens if I do not send in the documentation and/or submit a file whose share position totals more than my CA Web elections?	This will result in a chargeback for the amount of shares not supported by the documentation. The favorable or exempt shares elected will be adjusted to your unfavorable position and result in a debit to your DTC participant account. Submitting share amounts exceeding your CA Web elections will result in a chargeback of the total election

STOCK OPTION QUESTIONS

Can I reclaim the withholding tax if I have elected stock instead of cash?	Yes , the dividend payment in France is treated as a cash dividend with reinvestment, hence reclaims should be submitted using the cash option rate.
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GENERAL QUESTIONS

How long do beneficial owners have to file for reclaim on this dividend?	Generally, two years from the end of the year in which the ordinary dividend was paid, however it may depend on the residency of the beneficial owner.
Is there any way to reclaim the funds I was charged back for?	Yes. The standard long form process. Please refer to the depositary contact details section of this notice for assistance.
Is this dividend available on ESP powered by GlobeTax?	Yes , all required documents can be created using ESP powered by GlobeTax but they must still be forwarded to GlobeTax.

Will GlobeTax accept claims filed directly to them by beneficial owners?	GlobeTax only accepts claims filed by the DTC participant who was holding the securities through DTC and only to the extent that DTC has reported these holdings to us as valid record date holdings. Beneficial owners are required to file their claims through the custody chain to the DTC participant of record. All claims not received directly from the DTC participant will be returned to the beneficial owner.
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LONG FORM PROCESS QUESTIONS

Where can I obtain information on the standard long form process?	GlobeTax administers the long form process. Please refer to the depository contact details section of this notice for assistance.
When do I need to use Exhibit II (cover letter) at the end of this notice?	Only for the standard long form process & if you are not submitting via ESP.
How long does it take to receive payment on standard long form process?	Generally 6 months to 1 year
Does form 5000 has to be sign, stamped and dated?	Yes , Box III on the form 5000 has to be signed, stamped and dated.

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FORMS AND ATTACHMENTS

*Double click on respective icon to view attachment.

APPENDIX B, C, D, & E **For Non-ESP users ONLY	APPENDIX F **For Non-ESP users ONLY	EXHIBIT I **For Non-ESP users ONLY	EXHIBIT II **For Non-ESP users ONLY
 APPENDICES.pdf	 APPENDIX F.xlsx	 EXHIBIT I.pdf	 EXHIBIT II.pdf