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Major shareholder announcement – BlackRock, Inc.

Carlsberg has been informed that BlackRock, Inc. has reduced their direct and indirect holding of Carlsberg shares. Following this, BlackRock, Inc. holds less than 5% of the share capital in Carlsberg A/S.

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