

Publication of Prospectus

5th Supplementary Notes Base Prospectus dated August 26, 2016 relating to the Programme for the Issuance of Securities of Royal Bank of Canada

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The 5th Supplementary Notes Base Prospectus, together with the document incorporated by reference therein, has been submitted to the National Storage Mechanism and will shortly be available for inspection at: <http://www.morningstar.co.uk/uk/NSM>

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RBC Third Quarter 2016 Report to Shareholders

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