

## MOODY'S TAKES RATING ACTION FOLLOWING SOVEREIGN DOWNGRADE

**March 12, 2018** – Following its decision to downgrade Turkey's government rating to Ba2 from Ba1, Moody's has assessed the ratings of Turkish corporates and downgraded Anadolu Efes' credit rating by one notch from Baa3 to Ba1. Anadolu Efes' outlook was changed from 'negative' to 'stable'.

In its report Moody's stated that it recognizes Anadolu Efes' investment grade financial profile and market leadership position, however high dependence on Turkish operations for revenue and cash flow generation has driven the rating decision.

We hereby declare that our above statements are in conformity with the principles included in the Capital Markets Board's Communiqué on Material Events, that they fully reflect the information we have acquired, that the information complies with our books, records and documents, that we have made our best effort to fully and accurately obtain all information regarding the matter and that we are responsible for this disclosure made hereby.

This is an English translation of the original official public disclosure made by Anadolu Efes in Turkish through the Public Disclosure Platform (<u>www.kap.org.tr</u>), for information purposes only. In the event of any discrepancy between this translation and the original Turkish disclosure, the original Turkish disclosure shall prevail. Anadolu Efes makes no warranties or representations about the accuracy or completeness of the English translation and assumes no liability for any errors, omissions or inaccuracies that may arise from use of this translation.

For further information regarding Anadolu Efes, please visit our website at http://www.anadoluefes.com/ or you may contact;

Mrs. Çiçek Uşaklıgil Özgüneş (Investor Relations and Treasury Director) Tel: 90 216 586 80 37 Facsimile: 90 216 389 58 63 E-mail: <u>cicek.usakligil@anadoluefes.com</u> Mrs. Aslı Kılıç Demirel (Investor Relations Manager) Tel: 90 216 586 80 72 Facsimile: 90 216 389 58 63 E-mail: <u>asli.kilic@anadoluefes.com</u>