

**Notification of a Material Fact:
about assigning a rating to equity securities and (or) their issuer or a change in the rating
made by the rating agency under an agreement signed with the issuer**

1. General Information	
1.1. The issuer's full corporate name	<i>Oil Transporting Joint Stock Company Transneft</i>
1.2. The issuer's abbreviated corporate name	<i>Transneft, JSC</i>
1.3. The issuer's principal place of business	<i>57 Bolshaya Polyanka St., Moscow, 119180</i>
1.4. The issuer's OGRN (Primary State Registration Number)	<i>1027700049486</i>
1.5. The issuer's INN (Taxpayer's Identification Number)	<i>7706061801</i>
1.6. The issuer's unique code assigned by the registering body	<i>00206-A</i>
1.7. The address of the web page used by the issuer for the purposes of disclosing information	http://www.e-disclosure.ru/portal/company.aspx?id=636 http://www.transneft.ru/
2. Content of the Notification	
2.1. Object of the rating (equity securities and (or) their issuer): <i>the issuer.</i>	
2.2. Type of the rating assigned to the rating score object (credit rating; long-term creditworthiness (solvency); corporate governance rating; other): <i>the issuer's long-term credit rating on the national scale.</i>	
2.3. Assigned rating, and if the rating is changed – the rating before and after such change: <i>rating before change – Aa1.ru, rating after change – rating is withdrawn.</i>	
2.4. Rating assignment and change date: <i>rating change date – 18 March 2016.</i>	
2.5. Brief description of the rating and website in the Internet where information about the rating assignment method is available (published): <i>information about the rating assignment method by Moody's is published on the website www.moodys.com.</i>	
2.6. Full and abbreviated corporate names (for a nonprofit organization – name, legal address, INN (if applicable), OGRN (if applicable) of the organization assigning the rating (rating agency): <i>Moody's Interfax Rating Agency ZAO (Private Joint Stock Company), 21 1-ya Tverskaya-Yamskaya ul., Moscow, Russian Federation, 125047, INN – 7710270371. OGRN – 1027739523118</i>	
2.7. Other information about the rating supplied by the issuer at its discretion: <i>none.</i>	
3. Signature	
3.1. Vice President, Transneft, JSC Acting under Power of Attorney No. 85 dated 22 April 2014 _____ M.V. Barkov (signature)	
3.2. Date: 18 March 2016	L.S.