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Initial Director's Interest Notice

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Name of entity	Cochlear Limited
ABN	96 002 618 073

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.1 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	Richard John Freudenstein
Date of appointment	25 August 2025

Part 1 - Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is the registered holder

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Number & class of securities
Nil

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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Part 2 – Director's relevant interests in securities of which the director is not the registered holder

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Name of holder & nature of interest	Number & class of Securities
<p>Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.</p> <p>Invia Custodian Pty Limited is the registered holder for Ansime Pty Ltd as trustee for the R&J F Superannuation Fund.</p> <p>Mr Freudenstein is a Director of Ansime Pty Ltd and a beneficiary of the superannuation fund.</p>	336 fully paid ordinary shares

Part 3 – Director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	N/A
Nature of interest	N/A
Name of registered holder (if issued securities)	N/A
No. and class of securities to which interest relates	N/A

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