## SECOND SUPPLEMENT DATED NOVEMBER 26, 2019 TO THE PROSPECTUS DATED JUNE 18, 2019 AS SUPPLEMENTED BY THE FIRST SUPPLEMENT DATED AUGUST 27, 2019



#### THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA

(a Canadian chartered Bank) U.S.\$20,000,000,000

**Euro Medium Term Note Programme Due from 1 month to 99 years from the date of original issue** 

The Bank of Nova Scotia (the "**Issuer**" or the "**Bank**") issued a prospectus dated June 18, 2019 (as supplemented by the first supplement to such prospectus dated August 27, 2019) (such prospectus as supplemented, the "**Prospectus**") which is a base prospectus for the purposes of Article 5.4 of the Prospectus Directive (2003/71/EC) as amended (which includes the amendments made by Directive 2010/73/EU) (the "**Prospectus Directive**") in respect of notes to be admitted to the Official List of the Financial Conduct Authority and admitted to trading on the Regulated Market of the London Stock Exchange plc. This second supplement (the "**Second Supplement**") constitutes a supplement in respect of the Prospectus for the purposes of the Prospectus Directive and Section 87G of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000, and is prepared in connection with the U.S.\$20,000,000,000 Euro Medium Term Note Programme established by the Issuer (the "**Programme**").

Terms defined in the Prospectus have the same meaning when used in this Second Supplement. This Second Supplement is supplemental to, and shall be read in conjunction with, the Prospectus and any other supplements to the Prospectus issued by the Issuer from time to time.

The Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Second Supplement. To the best of the knowledge of the Issuer (having taken all reasonable care to ensure that such is the case), the information contained in this Second Supplement is in accordance with the facts and does not omit anything likely to affect the import of such information.

### 1. Purpose of the Second Supplement

The purpose of this Second Supplement is to (a) incorporate by reference the Bank's 2019 annual information form and the annual audited consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis as at and for the years ended October 31, 2019 and October 31, 2018, prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("**IFRS**"); (b) to update the "General Information" section of the Prospectus in relation to any significant change in the financial or trading position of the Bank and its respective subsidiaries or material adverse change in the prospects of the Bank and its subsidiaries; and (c) to incorporate by reference additional, or updated existing, material risk factors from the Bank's annual

report for the year ended October 31, 2019 (the "2019 Annual Report"), each as described in further detail below.

## 2. Documents Incorporated by Reference

By virtue of this Second Supplement, the following documents are incorporated in and form part of the Prospectus:

- 1. the Bank's annual information form dated November 26, 2019, excluding all information incorporated therein by reference; and
- 2. the Bank's audited consolidated financial statements as at and for the years ended October 31, 2019 and October 31, 2018, prepared in accordance with IFRS, together with the auditors' reports thereon and management's discussion and analysis of the financial condition and financial performance for the years ended October 31, 2019 and October 31, 2018, all as set out on pages 12 to 134 and 135 to 237 of the Bank's 2019 Annual Report. The remainder of the Bank's 2019 Annual Report is not incorporated and is either covered elsewhere in the Prospectus or deemed not relevant to investors.

In accordance with Article 4.1 of Regulation (EC) 1060/2009 on Credit Rating Agencies (the "**CRA Regulation**"), please note that the annual information form contains references to credit ratings and information on pages 13 to 14 and the management's discussion and analysis and the audited consolidated financial statements contain references to credit ratings and information on pages 60 to 61.

Copies of the documents incorporated by reference have been filed with the Financial Conduct Authority and, by virtue of this Second Supplement, these documents are incorporated in, and form part of, the Prospectus for the purposes of the Prospectus Directive.

To the extent that any document or information incorporated by reference or attached to this Second Supplement itself incorporates any other documents or information by reference therein, either expressly or implicitly, such other documents or information will not form part of this Second Supplement for the purposes of the Prospectus Directive except where such other documents or information are specifically incorporated by reference or attached to this Second Supplement.

# 3. Any significant change in the financial or trading position of the Bank and its respective subsidiaries or material adverse change in the prospects of the Bank and its subsidiaries

There has been no significant change in the financial or trading position of the Bank and its subsidiaries taken as a whole and no material adverse change in the prospects of the Bank and its subsidiaries taken as a whole since October 31, 2019, being the date of the latest audited published consolidated financial statements of the Bank.

#### 4. New Material Risk Factors

The risk factor titled "Climate change" on page 79 of the 2019 Annual Report is incorporated by reference into the Prospectus.

The risk factor "Legal and compliance risk" which was incorporated by reference from the Bank's management's discussion and analysis set out in the Bank's annual report for the year ended October 31, 2018 is deleted and the revised risk factor entitled "Legal and compliance risk" on page 78 of the 2019 Annual Report is incorporated by reference into the Prospectus.

#### 5. General Information

To the extent that there is any inconsistency between (a) any statement in this Second Supplement or any statement incorporated by reference into the Prospectus by way of this Second Supplement and (b) any other statement in, or incorporated by reference in, the Prospectus, the statements in (a) above will prevail.

Save as disclosed in this Second Supplement, no significant new factor, material mistake or inaccuracy relating to the information included in the Prospectus which is capable of affecting the assessment of Notes issued under the Programme has arisen or been noted, as the case may be, since the publication of the Prospectus.

Copies of this Second Supplement, the Prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference in either this Second Supplement or the Prospectus can be (i) viewed on the website of the Regulatory News Service operated by the London Stock Exchange at www.londonstockexchange.com/exchange/news/market-news/market-news-home.html under the name of the Bank and the headline "Publication of Prospectus", (ii) viewed on the website of the National Storage Mechanism at www.morningstar.co.uk/uk/NSM and (iii) obtained on written request and without charge from (a) the principal executive offices of the Bank from the Executive Vice-President and General Counsel, The Bank of Nova Scotia, Scotia Plaza, 44 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario M5H 1H1, Canada and (b) the offices of the Principal Paying Agent, Registrar, Calculation Agent and Transfer Agent, The Bank of Nova Scotia, London Branch, 201 Bishopsgate, 6th Floor, London EC2M 3NS so long as any of the Notes issued under the Prospectus and listed on the London Stock Exchange's Regulated Market are outstanding.