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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

### **SCHEDULE TO**

(Rule 14d-100) Tender Offer Statement under Section 14(d)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 8)

## Schering Aktiengesellschaft

(Name of Subject Company (issuer))

## Dritte BV GmbH Bayer Aktiengesellschaft

(Name of Filing Persons (offerors))

#### Ordinary Shares, no par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

#### DE0007172009

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

American Depositary Shares (each representing one Ordinary Share)

(Title of Class of Securities)

#### 806585204

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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## CALCULATION OF FILING FEE

Transaction Valuation*	Amount of Filing Fee*
\$19,860,767,584.80	\$2,125,102.13
191,000,875 bearer shares, no par value per share ("Sha American Depositary Shares ("ADSs")), at a purchase published by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York o	e filing fee only. The calculation of the transaction valuation assumes the purchase of ares"), of Schering Aktiengesellschaft ("Schering") (including those Shares represented by price of EUR 86.00 per Share in cash, converted into U.S. dollars at the noon buying rate as on April 10, 2006 of EUR 1 = $1.2091$ . Such number of Shares represents the number of Shares tstanding as of April 11, 2006 and excludes Shares held by Schering in treasury.
	rovided by Rule $0-11(a)(2)$ and identify the filing with which the offsetting fee was previously ent number, or the Form or Schedule and the date of its filing.
Amount Previously Paid: Form or Registration No.: Filing Party: Date Filed:	\$2,125,102.13 Schedule TO Dritte BV GmbH Bayer Aktiengesellschaft April 13, 2006
0	v communications made before the commencement of a tender offer.
Check the appropriate boxes below to designate any transaction to	which the statement relates:
ý third-party tender offer subject to Rule 14d-1. issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13e-4. going-private transaction subject to Rule 13e-3. amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.	
Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reportin	ng the results of the tender offer: o

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This Amendment No. 8 to Schedule TO (this "Amendment") amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO, as amended through the date hereof (as amended, the "Statement"), originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on April 13, 2006 by Dritte BV GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany (the "Bidder") and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Bayer Aktiengesellschaft, a stock corporation organized under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany ("Bayer"), and Bayer, relating to a tender offer by the Bidder to purchase all of the issued and outstanding bearer shares, with no par value (the "Shares"), including those Shares represented by American Depositary Shares ("ADSs"), of Schering Aktiengesellschaft, a stock corporation organized under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany ("Schering"), at a purchase price of EUR 86.00 per Share in cash. The terms and conditions of the offer (as it may be amended or supplemented from time to time, the "Offer") are described in the Offer Document, published on April 13, 2006 (the "Offer Document"), a copy of which was originally filed as Exhibit (a)(1)(A), and, where applicable, the related U.S. Declaration of Acceptance and ADS Letter of Transmittal and the instructions thereto, copies of which were originally filed as Exhibits (a)(1)(B) and (C), to the Statement. Except as otherwise indicated, the information set forth in the Statement remains unchanged. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Statement.

Item 12 of the Statement is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following thereto:

(a)(5)(N) English translation of notice published in the *Börsen-Zeitung*, May 4, 2006.

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#### SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: May 4, 2006

Bayer Aktiengesellschaft

By: /s/ DR. ROLAND HARTWIG

Name: Dr. Roland Hartwig Title: General Counsel

By: /s/ DR. ALEXANDER ROSAR

Name: Dr. Alexander Rosar Title: Head of Investor Relations

Dritte BV GmbH

By: /s/ DR. ARMIN BUCHMEIER

Name: Dr. Armin Buchmeier Title: Managing Director QuickLinks

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