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NOTICE - This is your notice of the 2014 MEDTRONIC, INC. Annual Meeting of Shareholders. You are receiving this e-mail because you are enrolled for Electronic Delivery or you are an employee of MEDTRONIC, INC. with a MEDTRONIC, INC. e-mail account.

This e-mail contains instructions on how to access Medtronic s Annual Report and Proxy Statement and on how to vote your shares. Please read the instructions carefully before proceeding.

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials

MEDTRONIC, INC.

MEETING DATE: August 21, 2014

RECORD DATE: June 23, 2014

CUSIP NUMBER: 585055106

This e-mail represents all shares in the following account(s).

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You can enter your voting instructions and view the shareholder material at the Internet site below. If your browser supports secure transactions, you will automatically be directed to a secure site.

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Internet voting is accepted until 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time on August 20, 2014 or, for shares held through the Medtronic, Inc. Savings and Investment Plan and the Medtronic Puerto Rico Employees Savings and Investment Plan, no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time on August 18, 2014.

To access ProxyVote.com, you will need the control number identified above and your four digit PIN:

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