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## PRESS RELEASE

## WEBUILD S.P.A. PRESENTS TO THE FINANCIAL COMMUNITY A NEW BOND FOR INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS

*Milan, 1 December 2020* – WEBUILD S.p.A. (the "**Company**") has appointed BofA Securities, Goldman Sachs International, IMI – Intesa Sanpaolo, Natixis and UniCredit Bank as Joint Lead Managers, and Banca Akros S.p.A. – Gruppo Banco BPM, BBVA and MPS Capital Services Banca per le Imprese S.p.A. as Co-Managers, to organize a roadshow for qualified investors, both Italian and international, in order to evaluate markets conditions for a possible issue of new unsecured fixed-rate senior notes (the "**New Notes**").

The net proceeds of any issuance of the New Notes are intended to be used, in whole or in part, to purchase the "€600,000,000 3.75 per cent. Notes due 24 June 2021" of the Company, whose outstanding principal amount is currently equal to €479,030,000 (the "**2021 Notes**"), pursuant to a tender offer launched today.

Should market conditions so allow, the transaction will be carried out during the current month of December 2020.

The New Notes are envisaged to be offered to qualified investors only, excluding any placement in the United States of America and certain other jurisdictions, and to be listed on the Global Exchange Market of Euronext Dublin. As per market practice, the terms and conditions of the New Notes, including the applicable rate of interest, will be determined on the pricing date, by taking into consideration, *inter alia*, the acceptances received pursuant to the tender offer of the 2021 Notes and market conditions.

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Solely for the purposes of each manufacturer's product approval process pursuant to the Directive 2014/65/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on markets in financial instruments, as amended ("**MiFID II**"), the target market assessment in respect of the New Notes has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the New Notes is eligible counterparties and professional clients only, each as defined in the MiFID II; and (ii) all channels for distribution of the New Notes to eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the New Notes (a "**Distributor**") should take into consideration the manufacturers' target market assessment in respect of the New Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturers' target market assessment in respect of the New Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturers' target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels.

The offering of New Notes is not intended to be made to and should not be made to any retail investor in the European Economic Area ("**EEA**") or the United Kingdom ("**UK**"). For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is one (or more) of: (i) a retail client as defined in point (11) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II; or (ii) a customer within the meaning of Directive (EU) 2016/97 (as amended or superseded), where that customer would not qualify as a professional client as defined in point (10)



of Article 4(1) of MiFID II; or (iii) not a qualified investor as defined in Regulation (EU) 2017/1129. Consequently, no key information document required by Regulation (EU) 1286/2014 (the "**PRIIPs Regulation**") for offering or selling notes or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the EEA or the UK has been prepared and therefore offering or selling the New Notes or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the EEA or the UK may be unlawful under the PRIIPs Regulation.

In connection with the offering of the New Notes, each of the aforementioned banks and their respective affiliates, acting as investors for their own account, may subscribe the New Notes and for such reason hold in their portfolios, purchase or sell such securities or any security of the Company or make any related investment. Each and every of the aforementioned banks do not intend to disclose the amount of such investments or transactions other than to the extent required by the applicable laws and regulations.

In connection with the New Notes issue, the aforementioned banks are acting on behalf of the Company and no one else and will not be responsible to any other person for providing the protections afforded to their clients or for providing advice given in relation to the securities.

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The prospectus relating to the New Notes, when published, will be available at https://www.webuildgroup.com/en.

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Webuild, the new group born in 2020 from Salini Impregilo, is a leading global player in the construction of large, complex projects for sustainable mobility, clean hydro energy, clean water, green buildings, supporting clients in achieving sustainable development goals (SDGs). The Group is the expression of 114 years of engineering experience applied in 50 countries on five continents with 70,000 direct and indirect employees from more than 100 nationalities. Recognized for five years by Engineering News-Record (ENR) as the world leader in water infrastructure (such as dams, hydraulic tunnels, water and wastewater management, and water treatment and desalination plants), it ranks since 2018 among the top 10 in the environment sector and it is also leader in sustainable mobility (especially metro and rail lines, in addition to roads and bridges). A signatory of the United Nations Global Compact, the Group's expertise is displayed in projects such as the M4 metro line in Milan, Grand Paris Express, Cityringen in Copenhagen, Sydney Metro Northwest, Red Line North Underground in Doha, Line 3 of the Riyadh Metro and the high-speed railways in Italy. Other projects include the new Genoa Bridge and the new Gerald Desmond Bridge in Long Beach, California, the expansion of the Panama Canal, the Snowy 2.0 hydroelectric power station in Australia, the Rogun hydroelectric dam in Tajikistan, the Anacostia River and Northeast Boundary tunnels in



Washington, D.C. and the Al Bayt 2022 World Cup stadium in Qatar. In 2019, new orders totalled  $\in$ 8.1 billion, with a total backlog reaching  $\in$ 36.2 billion. Some 85% of the backlog for construction orders involves projects tied to the sustainable development goals of the United Nations (SDGs), while 60% concerns the reduction of greenhouse emissions. Webuild, subject to direction and coordination by Salini Costruttori SpA, is headquartered in Italy and is listed on the Milan Stock Exchange (Borsa Italiana: WBD; Reuters: WBD.MI; Bloomberg: WBD:IM)

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