

PRESS NOTE

WEBUILD'S FRANCESCO ALBIERI NAMED CHAIRMAN OF ITALIAN ASSOCIATION OF INTERNAL AUDITORS

MILAN, April 21, 2021 – Webuild's Internal Audit & Compliance Director Francesco Albieri has been named chairman of the board of the Associazione Italiana Internal Auditors (AIIA) (Italian Association of Internal Auditors) in recognition of his emphasis on teamwork, transparency and collaboration.

As the point of reference for the country in matters of internal auditing, corporate governance, compliance and risk management, the AIIA has more than 4,500 members representing 900 companies in sectors as varied as finance, insurance, manufacturing and services. It is the third largest association in Europe in terms of membership and the seventh globally. As chairman, Albieri aims to affirm the internal auditor's role as an advocate of corporate governance, as well as contribute to promoting international standards in Italy.

Albieri becoming chairman of the association acknowledges the last seven years he has dedicated to governance and internal auditing at Webuild, adopting international best practice to guarantee an efficient management of the Group's activities and ensuring that they have been in line with the aim of creating value for shareholders and stakeholders alike.

In recent years, the Group has grown from a family business into a multinational thanks to a series of complex acquisitions including that of Impregilo and Lane Industries Inc. In 2020, it took control of Astaldi, reinforcing Webuild's stature as a multinational that operates in more than 50 countries, each with its own cultural and legal norms which the Group makes every effort to respect.

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 115 years of engineering experience applied in 50 countries on five continents with 70,000 direct and indirect employees from more than 100 nationalities. Recognised 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 Gerald Desmond replacement 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 2020, the Group's total order backlog reached €41.7 billion, with 89% of the backlog of construction orders involving projects that support the SDGs set by the United Nations. 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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