

PRESS RELEASE

WEBUILD RESULTS AT JUNE 30, 2023

RECORD ORDER BACKLOG, COVERING 100% OF REVENUE, EBITDA TARGETS FOR 2023-2025 DOUBLE-DIGIT GROWTH IN OPERATING RESULTS STRONG IMPROVEMENT IN NET CASH POSITION

- €17.7 BILLION IN NEW ORDERS YEAR-TO-DATE; 2023 NEW ORDER TARGET OVERACHIEVED
- TOTAL ORDER BACKLOG REACHED €61 BILLION; RECORD CONSTRUCTION ORDER BACKLOG AT €51.4 BILLION (MORE THAN HALF ABROAD)
- TENDERS AWAITING OUTCOME OVER €13 BILLION
- GROWING OPERATING RESULTS
 - REVENUES¹: €4.6 BILLION (+18% vs FIRST HALF 2022)
 - EBITDA¹: €289 MILLION (+15% vs FIRST HALF 2022)
 - EBIT¹: €139 MILLION (+12% vs FIRST HALF 2022)
- POSITIVE FINANCIAL POSITION (NET CASH) OF €438 MILLION, €835 MILLION IMPROVEMENT FROM JUNE 30, 2022, €173 MILLION IMPROVEMENT FROM DECEMBER 31, 2022
- DELIVERY OF STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE SUCH AS THE BRIDGE ACROSS THE DANUBE RIVER IN BRAILA (ROMANIA), SECOND LONGEST SUSPENSION BRIDGE ON CONTINENTAL EUROPE, AND SAN BABILA STATION OF MILAN'S METRO 4, WHICH REACHES LINATE AIRPORT IN 12 MINUTES
- MORE THAN 90% OF GROUP'S CONSTRUCTION BACKLOG RELATED TO PROJECTS LINKED TO ADVANCEMENT OF U.N. SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDG)
- 2023 GUIDANCE CONFIRMED
 - REVENUES: €9.0 9.5 BILLION
 - EBITDA: €720 760 MILLION
 - **OMAINTAIN POSITIVE NET FINANCIAL POSITION (NET CASH)**

MILAN, July 28, 2023 – The Board of Directors of Webuild (Euronext Milan: WBD) approved yesterday the consolidated half-year financial report at June 30, 2023 and examined the **"Adjusted Consolidated Data¹"** for the purpose of a better comparison on a homogenous basis.

Since the beginning of the year, the Webuild Group has recorded an outstanding performance, also from a business perspective, with **new orders worth €17.7 billion**, significantly exceeding the guidance of **€10 – 10.5** billion for full-year 2023. This result confirms the strength and durability of market trends of this era, such as climate and energy transition as well as population growth, which, together with the quality of the Group's offerings, have underpinned the remarkable order intake registered in the past three years.

A large part of new orders continue to come from foreign markets such as Australia - a key country where the Group recently completed the acquisition of the Australian company Clough; the United States; Saudi Arabia; and other countries in Europe. In Italy, the first months of the year saw a strong acceleration of public tenders for infrastructure projects with contracts amounting to more than €9 billion for the Group.

¹ The data reported are adjusted economic data; for details, see the table attached to the press release



Construction order backlog at June 30, 2023 standing at a **record of more than €51 billion, covering 100% of target revenues for 2025.** This puts the Group in a strong position to face future challenges, thanks in part to an excellent balance in low-risk markets such as Italy, central and northern Europe, the United States and Australia, which comprise about 78% of the backlog.

At the operational level, the Group recorded a higher performance. **Revenues grew by 18%** to €4.6 billion, and **EBITDA by 15%** to €289 million. The financial performance was particularly significant, with the **positive** financial position (net cash) of €438 million, improving by over €835 million compared to June 30, 2022.

Since the beginning of 2023, Webuild also delivered **several infrastructures, including some iconic ones**, that will improve millions of people's quality of life.

There was the inauguration of the San Babila – Linate section of the M4 metro line in Milan, which connects the city centre to Linate airport in just 12 minutes; the inauguration of the Bridge across the Danube River in Braila (Romania), the second longest suspension bridge on continental Europe, very similar to the future bridge over the Strait of Messina; and the completion of ENI's futuristic new head offices in Milan. The start of works on Genoa's new breakwater and the Venezia Square Station of the C metro line in Rome are just some of the most significant milestones reached by the Group as it supports sustainable development through innovation.

In light of the **strong results achieved in the first half of the year**, the solid order backlog and the commercial positioning in low-risk markets - paired with a strong leadership in the domestic market - Webuild **confirms its guidance for 2023**.

ADJUSTED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT AT JUNE 30, 2023¹

Adjusted revenues, relating to the first half of 2023, amounted to €4,564 million (€3,873 million in first half 2022), with an increase compared to the first half of 2022 of €691 million, equal to 18%. The increase was supported by the development of activities in the domestic market, thanks to investments in sustainable mobility as part of the PNRR (Milan-Genoa, Verona-Padua and Naples-Bari high-speed/high-capacity railways), and by increased production from orders in Australia (Snowy 2.0 and Melbourne's North East Link) and in the Middle East (Diriyah Square Super Basement in Saudi Arabia).

Adjusted EBITDA stood at €289 million (EBITDA margin 6.3%), up 15% compared to the first half of 2022 (by €37 million), while **adjusted EBIT** reached €139 million (EBIT margin at 3.0%), up by 12% compared to the first half 2022 (by €14 million).

Net financial costs show net charges of approximately €68 million compared to an income of €50 million in the first half of 2022. This item includes:

- financial charges of €111 million (€89 million in first half 2022), partially offset by financial income of €32 million (€67 million in first half 2022);
- positive net exchange rate result of €10 million (positive €72 million in first half 2022).

The increase in net expenses is mainly attributable to: i) currency management, which in the first half of 2022 had benefitted from the marked strengthening of the U.S. dollar against the euro; ii) the decrease in financial income - the first half of 2022 benefitted from financial income totalling €29 million related to the discharging of debts recognised after authorisation of the composition with creditors procedure for Afragola FS and interest collected after settlement of the court proceedings related to Lot 4 of the Orastie – Sibiu



Motorway in Romania; as well as iii) the increase in the cost of debt due to the trend in reference interest rates.

Adjusted result before taxes amounted to €77 million (€174 million in first half 2022).

Adjusted income taxes amounted to €49 million (€71 million in first half 2022).

Adjusted result of continuing operations was positive for €28 million (positive for €102 million in first half 2022).

Result from discontinued operations showed a net charge of €1 million (negative for €15 million in first half 2022).

Minority interests were €4 million (profit of €24 million in first half 2022).

The dynamics described above determine an adjusted **net profit attributable to the Group** of €23 million (profit of €64 million in first half 2022).

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET DATA AT JUNE 30, 2023

The **net financial position of continuing operations** at June 30, 2023 was positive at €438 million, an improvement of €173 million compared to December 31, 2022 (positive at €265 million) and a marked improvement of €835 million compared to June 30, 2022 (net debt of €397 million).

The results achieved in the current half-year are attributable to the positive performance of the operational activities and a reduction in working capital which also benefits from the Group's excellent commercial performance.

Gross debt stands at €2,671 million, a slight increase of €52 million compared to December 31, 2022 (€2,619 million), but a reduction of €104 million compared to June 30, 2022 (€2,775 million).

At the same time, the Group reports total cash and cash equivalents of €2,114 million.

ORDER BACKLOG AND NEW ORDERS

In the first half of 2023, the **total order backlog** stood at **€60.7 billion**, of which **€51.4 billion** related to **construction** and **€**9.4 billion to concessions, and operations and maintenance. The **construction backlog** increased by around **17%** from December 31, 2022.

More than 90% of the Group's construction backlog relates to projects linked to the advancement of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. In terms of markets, the Group's de-risking strategy saw the order backlog mainly distributed among Italy, central and northern European countries, the United States and Australia – countries that represent **78% of the total.** The projects are in sectors related to sustainable mobility, such as rail, high-speed rail and surface transport. The following is a breakdown by geographic and business areas:





Total new orders acquired and in the process of being finalised since the beginning of the year amounted to €17.7 billion, including €4.4 billion worth of projects for which Webuild is the preferred bidder. The latter will be included in the Group's backlog upon receipt of the official notification of the tender award by the client. Below is the geographical distribution of the new orders and the list of main contracts acquired:



New Orders per geographic area

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COMMERCIAL PIPELINE

The Group's **overall commercial pipeline** amounts to about **€40.7 billion**. It includes tenders submitted and awaiting outcome for about **€13.4** billion. Below is a breakdown of the pipeline by category and geography:



North Europe	Commercial Activity (€/bn)
America	Awaiting outcome 13.4
Australia 7% 22% Saudi Arabia	Tenders to be presented 13.2
17% 36%	Prequalifications 14.1
Italy 10% €40.7bn 8% Others	Total Webuild Group 40.7

Webuild continues to monitor markets deemed to be strategic, including western and northern Europe, Italy, Australia, and North America. These markets account for more than 55% of the total pipeline.

OUTLOOK

The execution of current projects and the significant order intake allow the Group to confirm its financial outlook for 2023:

- Book to bill: >1.1X
- Revenues: €9.0 9.5 billion
- EBITDA: €720 760 million
- Maintain positive net financial position (net cash)

Massimo Ferrari, as Manager in charge of preparing the corporate accounting documents, declares, pursuant to paragraph 2 of art. 154-bis of the TUF, that the accounting information contained in this press release corresponds to the state of the documentary evidence, books and accounting records.

The Group will present its results for the first half of 2023 to the financial community on July 28, 2023 during a conference call at 9:00 a.m. CET (UTC +01:00).

For information, please refer to the contact details at the end of this press release.

Disclaimer

This press release contains forward-looking statements. These statements are based on the Group's current expectations and projections regarding future events and, by their nature, are subject to an inherent component of risk and uncertainty. They are statements that relate to events and depend on circumstances which may or may not happen or occur in the future and, as such, undue reliance should not be placed on them. Actual results may differ even significantly from those announced due to a variety of factors, including: volatility and deterioration of capital and financial markets, changes in commodity prices, changes in macroeconomic conditions and growth economic and other changes in business conditions, of an atmospheric nature, due to floods, earthquakes or other natural disasters, changes in legislation and the institutional context (both in Italy and abroad), difficulties in production, including constraints in the use of plants and supplies and many other risks and uncertainties, the majority of which are beyond the control of the Group.

Webuild is a global leader in the design and construction of large, complex projects in the sectors of sustainable mobility (rail, metro, bridges, roads, ports), hydropower (dams, power plants), water (treatment and desalination plants, wastewater management, irrigation dams) and green buildings (civil and industrial buildings, airports, stadiums, hospitals). It supports clients in achieving the



Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) established by the United Nations. The recognised leader in infrastructure for the water sector, it operates in 50 countries. It has 85,000 direct and indirect employees from 100 nationalities, and a supply chain of more than 17,500 businesses. In its 117 years of applied engineering on more than 3,200 projects, the Group has built 14,118 kilometres of rail and metro lines, 82,509 kilometres of roads and highways, 1,018 kilometres of bridges and viaducts, 3,396 kilometres of tunnels, and 313 dams and hydropower plants. Projects include the Genoa San Giorgio Bridge, the second Panama Canal, the Lake Mead Third Intake hydraulic project near Las Vegas in the United States, the Airport Line in Perth, Australia and the Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Center in Athens. Projects under construction include the Brenner Base Tunnel, Line 4 of the Milan metro system, the Terzo Valico dei Giovi-Nodo di Genova in Italy, and the North East Link of Melbourne in Australia. As of June 30, 2023, the Group had total orders worth €61 billion, with more than 90% of the Group's construction backlog related to projects linked to the advancement of the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Webuild, subject to the direction and coordination of Salini Costruttori S.p.A., is headquartered in Italy and is listed on the Milan stock exchange (WBD; WBD.MI; WBD:IM). Since 2021, it is member of the MIB ESG, the index of Italian companies with the best ESG practices.

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Attached are the reclassified Consolidated income statement and statement of financial position of the Webuild Group as at 30 June 2023.



Webuild Group

Reclassified statement of profit or loss adjusted

Reclassified statement of profit or loss adjusted		11	H 2022 Adjusted				1	H 2023 Adjusted		
(€/000)	Webuild Group	Joint ventures not controlled by Lane (*)	PPA backlog Astaldi		Adjusted	Webuild Group	Joint ventures not controlled by Lane (*)	PPA backlog Astaldi	GUPC arbitration award	Adjusted
Total revenue and other income	3,835,481	37,576	-	-	3,873,057	4,536,036	28,409	-	-	4,564,446
Gross operating profit (EBITDA)	255,669	(4,414)	-	-	251,256	291,939	(3,353)	-	-	288,587
EBITDA %	6.7%	-11.7%			6.5%	6.4%	-11.8%			6.3%
Impairment losses	(53,775)	-	-	52,331	(1,444)	(526)	-	-	-	(526)
Provisions, amortisation and depreciation	(162,502)	-	36,922	-	(125,580)	(183,060)	-	33,554	-	(149,506)
Operating profit (loss) (EBIT)	39,392	(4,414)	36,922	52,331	124,232	108,353	(3,353)	33,554	-	138,555
R.o.S. %	1.0%	-11.7%			3.2%	2.4%	-11.8%			3.0%
Financing income (costs) and gains (losses) on equity investments										
Financial income	66,724	-	-	-	66,724	32,331	-	-	-	32,331
Financial expenses	(88,884)	-	-	-	(88,884)	(110,681)	-	-	-	(110,681)
Net exchange gains (losses)	71,698	-	-	-	71,698	10,206	-	-	-	10,206
Net financing income (costs)	49,538		-		49,538	(68,145)	-			(68,145)
Net gains (losses) on equity investments	(4,407)	4,414	-	-	7	(27,640)	3,353	-	30,618	6,331
Net financing income (costs) and net gains (losses) on equity investments	45,131	4,414	-	-	49,544	(95,785)	3,353	-	30,618	(61,814)
Profit (loss) before taxes (EBT)	84,523	-	36,922	52,331	173,776	12,569	-	33,554	30,618	76,741
Income taxes	(51,505)	-	(8,861)	(11,000)	(71,366)	(40,651)	-	(8,053)	-	(48,704)
Profit (loss) from continuing operations	33,018	-	28,061	41,331	102,410	(28,082)	-	25,501	30,618	28,037
Profit (loss) from discontinued operations	(14,765)	-	-	-	(14,765)	(620)	-	-	-	(620)
Profit (loss) before non-controlling interests	18,253	-	28,061	41,331	87,645	(28,702)	-	25,501	30,618	27,417
Non-controlling interests	(23,823)	-	-	-	(23,823)	(4,352)	-	-	-	(4,352)
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to the owners of the parent	(5,570)	-	28,061	41,331	63,822	(33,054)	-	25,501	30,618	23,066

(*) The Group monitors the key figures of Lane Group for management purposes adjusting the IFRS figures prepared for consolidation purposes to present the results of the non-subsidiary joint ventures consolidated on a proportionate basis. These figures show the status of contracts managed directly by Lane Group or through non-controlling investments in joint ventures

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NOTES TO "RECLASSIFIED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS ADJUSTED" TABLE

The Group monitors the performance of the Lane Group's main economic figures by adjusting the IFRS accounting data prepared for consolidation purposes to take into account the results of non-controlled joint ventures, which are then represented, for management purposes, using the proportionate method. The operating results presented in this manner ("Non-controlled JV results") reflect the performance of operations managed by the Lane Group directly or through non-controlling interests held in joint ventures.

Furthermore, the income components are considered as adjusted, if significant and when:

a) derive from events or operations that are not frequently repeated in the normal course of business;

b) arise from events or transactions not representative of normal business activity.

For management purposes, the IFRS accounting data have therefore been adjusted to take into account the following adjusted effects:

reclassified consolidated income statement for the first half of 2022:

- the accounting effects relating to the amortization of intangibles emerging from the Purchase Price Allocation process deriving from the acquisition of control of the Astaldi Group were eliminated;
- the accounting effects arising from the write-down of the exposure to the Ukrainian customer Ukravtodor were reversed as a result of the impairment test.

reclassified consolidated income statement for the first half of 2023:

- the accounting effects relating to the amortization of intangibles emerging from the Purchase Price Allocation process deriving from the acquisition of control of the Astaldi Group were eliminated;
- the results of the associated company Grupo Unidos Por el Canal S.A. were adjusted, mainly due to the effects of the award issued by the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) arbitration court on 17 May 2023. For more details on this, please refer to the relevant press release issued by the Group on 17 May 2023.



Webuild Group Reclassified statement of profit or loss

(€/000)	1H 2022	1H 2023
Total revenue and other income	3,835,481	4,536,036
Gross operating profit (EBITDA)	255,669 6,7%	291,939 6.4%
Impairment losses	(53,775)	(526)
Provisions, amortisation and depreciation Operating profit (loss) (EBIT) R.o.S. %	(162,502) 39,392 1.0%	(183,060) 108,353 2.4%
Financing income (costs) and gains (losses) on equity investments	1.070	2.470
Financial income	66,724	32,331
Financial expenses	(88,884)	(110,681)
Net exchange gains (losses) Net financing income (costs)	71,698 49,538	10,206 (68,145)
Net gains (losses) on equity investments	(4,407)	(27,640)
Net financing income (costs) and net gains (losses) on equity investments	45,131	(95,785)
Profit (loss) before taxes (EBT)	84,523	12,569
Income taxes	(51,505)	(40,651)
Profit (loss) from continuing operations	33,018	(28,082)
Profit (loss) from discontinued operations	(14,765)	(620)
Profit (loss) before non-controlling interests	18,253	(28,702)
Non-controlling interests	(23,823)	(4,352)
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to the owners of the parent	(5,570)	(33,054)



Webuild Group Reclassified statement of financial position

(€/000)	June 30, 2022	December 31, 2022	June 30, 2023
Non-current assets	2,058,358	1,976,156	2,024,612
Goodwil	84,906	82,884	81,498
Non-current assets (liabilities) held for sale	27,891	848	7,541
Provisions for risks	(221,391)	(198,879)	(196,612)
Post-employment benefits and employee benefits	(57,071)	(52,606)	(52,774)
Net tax assets	434,148	437,450	518,602
Inventories	237,909	248,809	261,933
Contract assets	3,317,496	3,199,971	3,955,849
Contract liabilities	(3,005,769)	(3,311,689)	(4,642,191)
Receivables (**)	2,851,657	2,882,876	3,326,614
Liabilities (**)	(3,721,578)	(3,891,729)	(4,268,498)
Other current assets	891,508	916,445	944,869
Other current liabilities	(582,896)	(620,648)	(673,959)
Working capital	(11,673)	(575,965)	(1,095,384)
Net invested capital	2,315,168	1,669,888	1,287,482
Equity attributable to the owners of the parent	1,610,419	1,578,710	1,402,242
Non-controlling interests	307,786	356,365	323,394
Equity	1,918,205	1,935,074	1,725,636
Net financial indebtedness	396,963	(265,186)	(438,154)
Total financial resources	2,315,168	1,669,888	1,287,482

(**) This item shows assets of \notin 0,1 million (\notin 3,2 million) classified in net financial indebtedness and related to the Group's net amounts due from/to consortia and consortium companies (SPEs) operating under a cost recharging system and not included in the consolidation scope. The balance reflects the Group's share of cash and cash equivalents or debt of the SPEs.



Webuild Group Net financial indebtedness

(€/000)	June 30, 2022	December 31, 2022	June 30, 2023
Non-current financial assets	472,236	518,439	513,551
Current financial assets	377,521	439,356	479,862
Cash and cash equivalents	1,520,000	1,921,177	2,114,390
Total cash and cash equivalents and other financial assets	2,369,757	2,878,972	3,107,804
Bank and other loans and borrowings	(318,796)	(276,267)	(225,224)
Bonds	(1,884,394)	(1,886,549)	(1,888,246)
Lease liabilities	(86,263)	(68,829)	(79,635)
Total non-current indebtedness	(2,289,452)	(2,231,646)	(2,193,105)
Current portion of bank loans and borrowings and current account facilities	(371,640)	(297,419)	(359,514)
Current portion of bonds	(39,999)	(18,506)	(47,813)
Current portion of lease liabilities	(74,070)	(71,721)	(70,792)
Total current indebtedness Total other financial assets (liabilities)	(485,709) 8,441	(387,646) 5,505	(478 ,118) 1,574
Net financial indebtedness - continuing operations	(396,963)	265,186	438,154
Net financial indebtedness - discontinued operations	24,734	2,097	7,322
Net financial indebtedness including discontinued operations	(372,229)	267,283	445,476
Total gross indebtedness	(2,775,162)	(2,619,291)	(2,671,224)