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## **PRESS RELEASE**

## Prysmian successfully places Euro 1,000 million hybrid securities

Milan, 14 May 2025 – Prysmian S.p.A. announces the completion of the placement to institutional investors of euro denominated, non-convertible, subordinated, hybrid, perpetual securities ("Securities") for a nominal amount equal to Euro 1,000 million (the "Issuance).

**Pier Francesco Facchini, Prysmian CFO** said: "The strong demand for this placement again underlines the trust that market has in our business, its long-term performance and financial solidity. The creditworthiness has been underlined by a demand of ca 6 times the offer. This issuance makes our capital structure stronger and, as we have shared with the market, also supports the acquisition of Channell, an important step to strengthen our Digital Solutions business."

The Securities, characterized by a non-call period of 5.25 years and perpetual maturity, have been issued at a reoffer price of 99.466 % and will pay an annual fixed coupon of 5.25% (annual yield of 5.375%) until the first reset date scheduled on 21 August 2030. From that date, unless early redemption has taken place, the Securities will accrue annual interest equal to the 5-year Euro Mid-Swap rate plus an initial margin of 301.2 basis points, increased by a further spread of 25 basis points from 21 August 2035 and an additional increase of 75 basis points from 21 August 2050.

The Securities are expected to be assigned a rating of "BB" by Standard & Poor's and an intermediate equity content of 50%.

Prysmian has applied for the listing of the Securities on the Official List of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange and for admission to trading on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange's regulated market.

Prysmian intends to use the net proceeds of the Issuance for the acquisition of Channell Commercial Corporation ("**Channell**") (see Prysmian's <u>press release</u> on the acquisition of Channell of 25 March 2025) and for general corporate purposes.

Crédit Agricole CIB acted as Sole Structuring Agent and Joint Lead Manager, and BofA Securities, Crédit Agricole CIB, J.P.Morgan, Mediobanca and UniCredit acted as Joint Lead Managers.

Prysmian has been assisted for legal counsel by Clifford Chance, whilst the banks by A&O Shearman.



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## Prysmian

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