



**EXPIRATION OF THE PUT OPTION RELATIVE TO THE COMBINATION AGREEMENT SIGNED IN 2007**

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Reno De Medici S.p.A. (“**RDM**” or the “**Company**”) announces to have received notice from Cascades Inc., also on behalf of Cascades S.a.s., the majority shareholder of the Company with a stake of 57.612% of RDM, regarding the definitive expiration for all intents and purposes of the Put Option, as defined in Section 3.3.1 (c) of the Combination Agreement dated 2007 and amended in 2009. The Put Option was relative to the sale of the Virgin Assets of Cascades S.a.s. to RDM.

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