

PRESS RELEASE

## AGREEMENTS FOR THE ACQUISITION OF A MAJORITY STAKE IN OPENJOBMETIS BY GROUPE CRIT - SATISFACTION OF THE CONDITION PRECEDENT RELATING TO THE GOLDEN POWER REGULATION

**Milan, 19 April 2024** - Following press releases issued on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2023, 1<sup>st</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024 regarding the execution by Groupe Crit S.A. of sale and purchase agreements for the acquisition of the entire corporate capital of Plavisgas S.r.l. (which holds a stake equal to 34.14% of OJM's share capital) and of all OJM shares held by Omniafin S.p.A. and M.T.I. Investimenti S.r.l. (respectively equal to 18.45% and 5.15% of OJM's share capital), the completion of which is subject only to the obtainment of the authorization required by the relevant golden power regulation or to the expiry of the terms provided under such regulation, Openjobmetis S.p.A. ("OJM" or the "Company") announces that today, following the receipt of the relevant communication from the Italian Presidency of the Council of Ministers (*Presidenza del Consiglio di Ministri*), the condition precedent relating to the golden power regulation has been satisfied.

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