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ONTEX GROUP NV ANNOUNCES THE RESULTS OF THE OFFER TO PURCHASE NOTES FOR CASH

Aalst, Belgium, April 1, 2025 - Ontex Group NV (the “**Issuer**”) announces the results of the previously announced invitation to holders of its outstanding 3.500% Senior Notes due 2026 (ISIN: BE6329443962/Common Code: 236126102) (the “**Notes**”), to tender such Notes for purchase for cash (the “**Offer**”). The Offer was made subject to satisfaction (or waiver) of the New Financing Condition and the General Conditions and other terms and conditions described in the Tender Offer Memorandum dated March 24, 2025 (the “**Tender Offer Memorandum**”) and was subject to the offer and distribution restrictions more fully described in the Tender Offer Memorandum. Capitalised terms used and not otherwise defined in this announcement have the meanings given in the Tender Offer Memorandum.

The Offer was launched by the Issuer on March 24, 2025 and expired at 17:00 CEST on March 31, 2025 (the “**Expiration Deadline**”).

At the Expiration Deadline, €283,095,000 aggregate principal amount of Notes had been validly tendered pursuant to the Offer.

All Noteholders whose Notes have been validly tendered and accepted for purchase by the Issuer are eligible to receive the Purchase Price of 100.00% of the aggregate principal amount thereof (as set out in the Tender Offer Memorandum) and Accrued Interest Payment for the Notes.

As a result of the above, the Final Acceptance Amount (as defined in the Tender Offer Memorandum) amounted to €283,095,000.

Subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the New Financing Condition and/or the General Conditions, the Issuer expects to make payment for the Notes validly tendered and accepted for purchase on April 3, 2025 (the “**Settlement Date**”). Such payment through the Clearing Systems will discharge the payment obligations of the Issuer in respect of payment of the Purchase Price and Accrued Interest. Under no circumstances will any

interest be payable because of any delay in the transmission of funds to Noteholders by any of the Clearing Systems.

Following cancellation of the Notes validly tendered and accepted for purchase, the aggregate principal amount of the Notes remaining outstanding on the Settlement Date under the Indenture will amount to €296,905,000.

Notes which have not been validly offered and accepted for purchase pursuant to the Offer will remain outstanding after the Settlement Date and are subsequently expected to be redeemed in full at par on or about July 15, 2025, in accordance with the terms of the Indenture and, if applicable, the relevant Noteholders will be notified of such redemption in accordance with the terms of the Indenture. While the Issuer expects to redeem any such Notes on or about July 15, 2025, no representation is given that it will redeem such Notes in whole or in part on such date.

Further Information

Any questions or requests for assistance in connection with (i) the Offer, may be directed to Goldman Sachs Bank Europe SE and (ii) the tender of the Notes may be directed to the Tender Agent, the contact details for each of which are provided on the back cover of this announcement.

This announcement is neither an offer to purchase nor a solicitation of an offer to sell any Notes. The Offer was made only pursuant to the Tender Offer Memorandum and the launch announcement in relation to the Offer (the “**Launch Announcement**”), and the information in this announcement is qualified by reference to the Tender Offer Memorandum and the Launch Announcement.

Disclaimer

This announcement must be read in conjunction with the Tender Offer Memorandum. No offer or invitation to acquire or sell any securities is being made pursuant to this announcement. Neither the Dealer Manager nor the Tender Agent take any responsibility for the contents of this announcement. The distribution of this announcement and the Tender Offer Memorandum and/or any other materials relating to the Offer in certain jurisdictions may be restricted by law. Persons into whose possession this announcement and/or the Tender Offer Memorandum come(s) into are required by each of the Issuer, the Dealer Manager and the Tender Agent to inform themselves about, and to observe, any such restrictions.

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The forward-looking statements and information contained in this announcement are made as of the date hereof and the Issuer undertakes no obligation to update publicly or revise any forward-looking statements or information, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, unless so required by applicable securities laws.

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