

#### EXPLANATORY REPORT

OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON THE ITEMS ON THE AGENDA OF THE ORDINARY AND EXTRAORDINARY SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING OF DIGITAL VALUE S.P.A. CONVENED FOR 26 JUNE 2025 AND 27 JUNE 2025, ON FIRST AND SECOND CALL, RESPECTIVELY.

## Item 2 on the ordinary agenda

- "2. Report on the remuneration policy and payments made:
- 2.1 approval of the first section of the report in compliance with art. 123-ter, paragraphs 3-bis and 3-ter of Legislative Decree no. 58 of 24 February 1998;
- 2.2 resolutions relating to the second section of the report in compliance with art. 123-ter, paragraph 6 of Legislative Decree no. 58 of 24 February 1998."

#### Dear Shareholders,

the Board of Directors of your Company has convened a meeting of the Shareholders to present the Report on the remuneration policy and payments made of Digital Value S.p.A. (the "Company" and the "Report on Remuneration" or the "Report" respectively) prepared in compliance with art. 123- *ter* of Legislative Decree 58/1998 ("TUF") and article 84-*quater* of the Consob regulation adopted with resolution no. 11971/ 1999 ("Issuers' Regulation") and drawn up in compliance with Annex 3A, Schedule 7-*bis* and Schedule 7-*ter* of said Issuers' Regulation.

The Remuneration Report is divided into the following sections:

(a) Section I - in compliance with article 123-ter TUF - illustrates the Company's policy on the remuneration of the members of the board of directors, the general managers and the other executives with strategic responsibilities with reference to the year and, without prejudice to the provisions of article 2402 of the Italian Civil Code, of the members of the Company's Board of Statutory Auditors, which has a duration of three years, as well as the procedures used for the adoption, review and implementation of said policy, including the measures to prevent or manage any conflicts of interest;

Moreover, in compliance with art. 84-quater, paragraph 2-bis of the Consob Issuers' Regulation, the remuneration policy described i Section I of the Report:



- indicates how it contributes to the corporate strategy, the pursuit of longterm interests and the sustainability of the Company, and is determined in consideration of the remuneration and working conditions of the Company's employees;
- defines the different components of remuneration that may be acknowledged; in the case of variable remuneration, it establishes clear, comprehensive and differentiated criteria for the acknowledgement of said remuneration, based on financial and non-financial performance targets, taking criteria relating to corporate social responsibility into account where appropriate;
- specifies the elements of the policy which, under the exceptional circumstances indicated in art. 123-*ter*, paragraph 3-*bis*, of the TUF, may be temporarily waived, as well as the procedural conditions under which the waiver may be applied without prejudice to the provisions of Consob Regulation no. 17221/2010, on related party transactions;
- (b) <u>Section II</u>, by name for the remuneration attributed to the Directors and Statutory Auditors and to the general managers, in aggregate form for other executives with strategic responsibilities:
  - provides an adequate, clear and comprehensible representation of each of
    the items constituting remuneration, including the procedures envisaged
    in the event of expiry of office or termination of employment (where
    existing), highlighting their conformity with the Company's remuneration
    policy relating to the year of reference and the ways in which
    remuneration contributes to the Company's long-term results;
  - analytically illustrates the remuneration paid during the year of reference, for any reason and in any form, by the Company and its subsidiaries or associated companies, indicating any components of the aforesaid remuneration that refer to activities carried out in financial years prior to the year of reference and also highlighting the remuneration to be paid in one or more subsequent years for activities carried out during the year of reference, indicating, where appropriate, an estimated value for components that cannot be objectively quantified during the year of reference.



Moreover, Section II contains information relating to the investments held, in the Issuer and its subsidiaries, by members of the boards of directors and statutory auditors, by the general managers and by other executives with strategic responsibilities, as well as by spouses who are not legally separated and minor children, directly or through subsidiaries, trust companies or third parties, in compliance with that envisaged by art. 84-quater of the Issuers' Regulation.

The Report on Remuneration will be made available to the public – at the Company's headquarters and on its website at www.digitalvalue.it ("Investor Relations - Shareholders' Meetings" section), and also on the authorised storage mechanism "eMarket STORAGE" which can be consulted on the website www.emarketstorage.com – at least twenty-one days before the date of the Shareholders' Meeting by first call.

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Please note that, pursuant to art. 123-ter, paragraph 3-bis, of the TUF, Shareholders will be called upon to pass resolution on Section I of the Report on Remuneration either in favour or against, with binding resolution pursuant to art. 123-ter, paragraph 3-ter, of the TUF.

Shareholders will also be called upon, pursuant to art. 123-ter, paragraph 6, of the TUF, to pass resolution on Section II of the Report on Remuneration, with a non-binding resolution.

The outcome of the vote will be made available to the public within the terms of the law pursuant to art. 123-ter, paragraph 6, and art. 125-quater, paragraph 2, TUF.

Therefore, we submit the following proposed resolutions for your approval:

## Proposed resolution on item 2.1. on the agenda:

"The Ordinary Shareholders' Meeting of Digital Value S.p.A., having examined the policy on remuneration and payments made, prepared by the Board of Directors in compliance with article 123-ter of Legislative Decree no. 58/1998,

## resolves

to approve - in compliance with art. 123-ter, paragraph 3-ter, of Legislative Decree no. 58/1998 and to all other effects of the law and regulations, and therefore with a binding resolution - the "first section" of the report.



# Proposed resolution on item 2.2. on the agenda:

"The Ordinary Shareholders' Meeting of Digital Value S.p.A., having examined the "second section" of the report prepared by the Board of Directors in compliance with article 123-ter of Legislative Decree no. 58/1998,

#### resolves

to approve - in compliance with art. 123-ter, paragraph 6, of Legislative Decree no. 58/1998 and to all other effects of the law and regulations, and therefore with a non-binding resolution - the "second section" of the report.

Rome, 22 May 2025

On behalf of the Board of Directors

The Chair

Paolo Vantellini