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As part of the financial measures announced on 7 May 2019, including targeting to be at the upper end of the 200-250bps CET1 ratio buffer over regulatory requirements by year end 2019 through the disposal of certain assets, UniCredit S.p.A. ("**UniCredit**" or "the **Group**"), following the accelerated bookbuilding process closed on 10 May 2019 which resulted in the deconsolidation of FinecoBank S.p.A. ("**Fineco**" or the **"Company**") from its financial statements (the "**First Placement**"), today announces the launch of a placement of ordinary shares in Fineco, representing ca. 18.3 per cent of the Company's existing share capital, equivalent to the entire shareholdings held in the Company (the "**Placement**"). The Placement will be made to certain institutional investors by way of an accelerated bookbuilding process.

Bookbuilding will commence immediately. UniCredit reserves the right to change the terms or timing of the Placement at any time. The Placement will further increase the free float of Fineco shares on the Milan Stock Exchange.

In connection with the Placement, J.P. Morgan and UBS Investment Bank, in consultation with UniCredit Corporate & Investment Banking, – as Joint Bookrunners of the UniCredit's First Placement – waived the lock-up provisions agreed by UniCredit in the context of such transaction.

J.P. Morgan, UBS Investment Bank and UniCredit Corporate & Investment Banking have been appointed by UniCredit to act as Joint Bookrunners of the Placement.

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The Joint Bookrunners do not intend to disclose the extent of any such investment or transactions otherwise than in accordance with any legal or regulatory obligation to do so.

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