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**NB AURORA ANNOUNCES THE APPOINTMENT OF INTESA SANPAOLO AS SPECIALIST AIMING TO ENHANCE THE LIQUIDITY OF ITS SHARES LISTED ON MIV PROFESSIONAL MARKET**

*Luxembourg, 18 May 2021*

NB Aurora S.A. SICAF-RAIF ("**NB Aurora**"), listed on the MIV market – Professional Segment ("**MIV Professional**") organised and managed by Borsa Italiana S.p.A., announces the appointment of Intesa Sanpaolo S.p.A., starting from June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021, as Specialist pursuant to Art. 4.4.1, par. 2, of the Regulation of the markets organised and managed by Borsa Italiana S.p.A, aiming to enhance the liquidity of its shares listed on MIV Professional.

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