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PRESS RELEASE

NEWLAT FOOD SIGNS AN EXCLUSIVITY AGREEMENT TO ACQUIRE DIAGEO OPERATIONS ITALY S.P.A.

Reggio Emilia, 13 May 2025 – Following the communication from the Ministry of Enterprises and Made in Italy, Newlat Food S.p.A. (the "**Company**" or "**Newlat Food**" – whose change of denomination to NewPrinces S.p.A. will be effective following the registration of the shareholders' resolution in the Company Register of Reggio Emilia, which will be communicated to the market within the terms of the law), confirms that it has entered into an exclusivity agreement (the "**Agreement**") aimed at acquiring the "Diageo Operations Italy S.p.A." production facility located in Santa Vittoria d'Alba, Italy (the "**Potential Transaction**").

The Potential Transaction would enable Newlat Food to complete and strengthen its offering in the drinks category – a sector where it already generates over €350 million in revenue in the United Kingdom.

The facility subject to the Agreement boasts extensive experience in the production of a wide range of alcoholic beverages, ready-to-drink products, and low and no alcohol products.

Newlat Food will duly inform the market of the final outcome of the transaction, in compliance with the disclosure requirements under applicable law.

This press release is available on the Company's website <u>www.newlat.it</u> and on the authorized storage mechanism eMarketstorage at the following address <u>www.emarketstorage.com</u>.

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The Newlat Group

The Newlat Group is a leading multinational, multi-brand, multi-product and multi-channel player in the Italian and European food industry, with a portfolio of more than 30 historic and internationally recognised brands. The Group is a leader in several categories, including pasta and bakery products, dairy products, fish and canned food, edible oils, ready meals and specialty products such as infant nutrition and wellness foods.

With an established presence in 4 key markets and exports to more than 60 countries, Newlat serves more than 30,000 of Europe's leading retailers. In 2023, the Group generated pro-forma revenues of \notin 2.8 billion, thanks to a workforce of more than 8,800 employees and 31 plants spread across Italy, the UK, Germany, France, Poland and Mauritius.

Newlat Food, with its strong production and distribution network, is one of the leading players in the European food industry, with a clear focus on innovation and quality.

For more information, please visit: <u>www.newlat.it</u> and <u>www.princesgroup.com</u>.

