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BLME Holdings plc announces the suspension and delisting of its shares on Nasdaq Dubai

London/Dubai, 30 May 2021; BLME Holdings plc (the "Company") hereby announces that, further to the resolution passed at the Company's annual general meeting held on 26 June 2020 and the resolutions passed at a meeting of the Company's board of directors held on 26 May 2021, the Company has received confirmation from the Dubai Financial Services Authority (the "DFSA") in relation to the proposed de-listing of the share capital ("Shares") of the Company from the official list of securities of the DFSA and the cessation of trading of BLME's shares on Nasdaq Dubai (together, the "De-listing").

The Company's board of directors further approved that, in order to achieve the De-listing, the Shares will be suspended from dealing and trading on Nasdaq Dubai with effect from 14 June 2021 with the last day of trading in the Shares being 13 June 2021.

Timing

The timing for the De-listing is:

13 June 2021 Last day of trading and dealing in the Shares

8:00 am on 14 June 2021 Shares suspended from dealing and trading on Nasdaq Dubai

5:00 pm on 17 June 2021 Removal of the Shares from the Official List of Securities of the DFSA and

removal of the Shares from trading on Nasdaq Dubai

Process

On 17 June 2021 the Company will apply to be re-registered as a private limited company in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 (the "Re-registration") and will be renamed BLME Holdings Limited. Pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 2006, after the De-listing and Re-registration, the Shares will be held in certificated form and the Company will post a copy of each shareholder's share certificate to such shareholder. No steps are required to be taken by any shareholder in relation to the De-listing or Re-registration.

Further announcements will be made by Nasdaq Dubai and the DFSA confirming the suspension of the Shares from trading on Nasdaq Dubai and the De-listing.

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