

**FIRST NINE MONTHS 2023 AHEAD OF PLAN:
REVENUE +13.0%, EBITDA⁽¹⁾+15.4%, ADJUSTED NET INCOME⁽²⁾ +14.2%
2025 REVENUE AND PROFITS EXPECTED TO EXCEED TARGETS SET IN FEBRUARY 2023**

- Consolidated net revenue of € 1,556.2 million in the first nine months of 2023, +13.0% or +13.8% on a like-for-like basis⁽³⁾ and at constant exchange rates
- EBITDA⁽¹⁾ of € 595.6 million, +15.4%, with margin on revenue of 38.3%
- Net income of € 304.5 million, up 26.1%
- Adjusted net income⁽²⁾ of € 406.6 million, up 14.2%
- Free cash flow⁽⁴⁾ at € 391.8 million, +€ 45.5 million vs prior year
- Net financial position⁽⁵⁾: net debt at € 1,504.3 million, 1.9x EBITDA (pro forma)
- Fast transition of Avodart® and Combodart® / Duodart® sales and distribution, already completed in five markets in Q3, contributing net revenue of € 3.8 million
- 2023 financial results now expected to be at high end of upgraded guidance provided in May
- Expect to exceed 2025 targets set in February 2023, with current portfolio expected to deliver revenue of over € 2.4 billion by 2025, with EBITDA margin of +/- 37%
- Resolution to distribute an interim 2023 dividend of € 0.57 per share
- Further recognition of ESG progress, with "A" rating awarded by MSCI ESG Research and "C+ with Prime status" from ISS ESG

Milan, November 7th, 2023 – The Board of Directors of Recordati S.p.A. approved the Group's Interim Report on 30th September 2023, representing additional voluntary financial reporting⁽⁶⁾. The Report was prepared using the assessment, measurement and recognition criteria prescribed by international accounting standards (IFRS). The Group's Interim Report dated 30th September 2023 will be available tomorrow at the company's offices and on the company's website (www.recordati.com), and can also be viewed on the authorised storage system 1Info (www.1Info.it).

Financial highlights

- **Consolidated net revenue** in the first nine months of 2023 was € 1,556.2 million, +13.0% compared to the same period of 2022 or +13.8% on a like-for-like⁽³⁾ basis at CER, driven by the excellent performance of all business areas, with both Specialty & Primary Care and Rare Diseases continuing to post double-digit organic growth (at CER). These results have been achieved despite strong FX headwinds over recent months, with an adverse FX impact in the first nine months of € 59.6 million (-4.3%) mainly affecting Specialty & Primary Care. The Specialty & Primary Care portfolio contributed revenues of € 985.5 million in the first nine months of 2023, growing 8.1% or 13.4% on a like-for-like⁽³⁾ basis and at constant exchange rates. This also includes the first sales of Avodart® and Combodart®/Duodart® of € 3.8 million, following completion of the distribution agreement with GSK in July, with five markets completing transition activities at the end of September. Eligard® and other key promoted products continued to grow ahead of the reference markets with robust sales of cough and cold medicines, following an exceptionally strong performance in the first half of the year. Revenue of the Rare Diseases segment in the first nine months of 2023 totaled € 530.7 million, up 23.5% versus same period of prior year (or up 14.9% on a like-for-like⁽³⁾ basis at CER).

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Revenues in the first nine months of the rare oncology portfolio acquired in 2022 were € 150.2 million, growing by 16.0% on a pro-forma basis⁽³⁾ and already achieving the full year 2023 target set at the time of the acquisition. Performance in the quarter also reflects continued growth in sales of Signifor® and Isturisa® (totaling € 176.1 million, up 39.1% versus same period of prior year), as well as continued resilient sales of the metabolic franchise, with good growth of Panhematin® and limited erosion on Carbaglu® from generic entries in US.

- **Adjusted operating income**⁽⁷⁾ of € 491.6 million, an increase of 16.0% compared to the first nine months in 2022, with a ratio to sales of 31.6%, reflecting the robust revenue performance and continued strong cost discipline and efficiency initiatives which have offset the impact of inflation, investment behind new franchises and increased amortisation charges. **Operating income** was € 438.8 million, up 23.3% over the same period of the previous year, absorbing gross margin-related charges arising from the unwind of the fair value step up of the acquired rare oncology inventory of € 47.5 million (vs € 35.6 million in 2022) and non-recurring costs of € 5.4 million, mainly arising from streamlining activities within the sales area of Specialty and Primary Care, significantly reduced vs 2022 levels.
- Thanks to the strong operating performance, **EBITDA**⁽¹⁾ was € 595.6 million, up 15.4% compared to the first nine months of 2022, and with a margin on revenue of 38.3% (vs 37.5% in the nine months of 2022).
- **Adjusted net income**⁽²⁾ was € 406.6 million, +14.2% over the same period in 2022, at 26.1% of revenue. Financial Expenses were € 49.1 million, up by € 2.9 million or 6.3% compared to the same period of the previous year, driven by higher interest expenses partially offset by lower FX losses (€ 0.3 million FX losses in first nine months of 2023 vs € 18.2 million losses in 2022).
- **Net income** was € 304.5 million, up 26.1% over the same period in 2022, at 19.6% of revenue, with increase reflecting strong operating performance and the lower non-recurring expenses, absorbing in the third quarter a non-monetary adjustment to the unwind of the fair value of acquired oncology inventory due to the higher product sales.
- **Free cash flow**⁽⁴⁾ was € 391.8 million for the period, an increase of € 45.5 million versus the same period of last year, absorbing both the increase in working capital driven by higher revenue and higher cash interest expense.
- **The net financial position**⁽⁵⁾ as of 30th September 2023 recorded net debt of € 1,504.3 million, or 1.9x EBITDA (pro-forma, assuming contribution of Avodart® and Combodart®/Duodart® for twelve months), compared to net debt of € 1,419.9 million on 31st December 2022. In the third quarter, an upfront payment of € 245.0 million was made for the sales and distribution agreement with GSK to commercialize Avodart® (dutasteride) and Combodart®/Duodart® (dutasteride/tamsulosin) and € 70.0 million was paid to Tolmar International Ltd. After approval of the variation for the new device to administer Eligard®; in addition to this, USD 20 million of residual Isturisa® milestones to Novartis and dividends for € 129.1 million to shareholders were paid previously in the year.
- **Shareholders' equity** was € 1,725.0 million.

Management Comments

"The performance of the business during the first nine months of 2023 has been excellent, with strong momentum across the Group. We have continued to deliver double-digit organic growth across Specialty & Primary Care and Rare Diseases with underlying operating profits growing despite strong FX headwinds over recent months. We now expect FY 2023 results at the high end of the guidance range provided in May. Thanks to this continued strong business momentum, we now expect to exceed the 2025 targets set at the start of this year, with revenue of our current portfolio expected to exceed € 2.4 billion in 2025, continuing to sustain a sector-leading EBITDA margin of +/- 37%." **commented Chief Executive Officer Rob Koremans.**

Corporate development news and other key events

On 20th July 2023, Recordati announced an agreement with GSK to commercialize Avodart® (dutasteride) and Combodart®/Duodart® (dutasteride/tamsulosin) across 21 countries, mainly in Europe, excluding only those where GSK already has a distribution agreement in place. Avodart® and Combodart®/Duodart® are marketed products, presented as oral form (capsules), indicated for the treatment of moderate to severe symptoms of benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH) and for the reduction in the risk of acute urinary retention (AUR) and surgery in patients with moderate to severe symptoms of BPH. Avodart® and Combodart®/Duodart® are leading and well-established brands, post loss of exclusivity, that enlarge and complete Recordati's proven presence in the urology space, significantly reinforcing the competitiveness of the Group's offer. Both brands are synergistic with Recordati's urology portfolio, complementing Urorec® and Eligard®.

The two products have been commercialized by GSK in the territories licensed to Recordati, with annual sales in 2022 in the region of approximately € 115 million. Recordati made an upfront payment of € 245 million and will start recognizing revenue and margins on a country-by-country basis progressively upon completion of the relevant transition activities.

In September, Recordati has completed the transition of sales and distribution activities in five markets, which have contributed to the Group's net revenue for € 3.8 million in Q3 2023. Two additional markets transitioned in October and most of the others are expected to be finalized by the end of Q4 2023. As previously announced, the deal is expected to be fully accretive by 2024 and is now expected to deliver revenue at the higher end of € 10-20 million target range communicated for 2023, with positive EBITDA contribution.

Expansion of the Group's footprint in China continues to progress. On 28th September 2023, Isturisa® New Drug Application (NDA) was submitted to the Chinese agency. This follows approval, on June 27th 2023, of the Marketing Authorization for Carbaglu®, with first commercial sales now expected by the end of 2023.

As part of the development path aimed to obtain FDA approval of a Biologics License Application (BLA) for the registration of Qarziba® in the United States, preparatory activities are ongoing for a Type C Meeting with the FDA, scheduled in late November 2023.

During the third quarter of 2023, Recordati initiated the phase II study for pasireotide in the treatment of Post-Bariatric Hypoglycemia, with the start of patient enrolment expected in November 2023. Patient enrolment in the global phase II study in neurotrophic keratitis for REC 0559 is proceeding according to plan and is expected to be completed by the end of 2023, with data read out expected in the second quarter of 2024.

Consistent with the ambition to strengthen capabilities to pursue affordable innovation and support our life cycle management programs, on 16th October 2023 Recordati announced the appointment of Milan

Zdravkovic as its Executive Vice President of Research & Development (R&D). His expertise spans a wide range of therapeutic areas, including diabetes, obesity, immunology, hematology, and infectious diseases, and with experience from both rare and non-rare diseases.

Recordati's focus and efforts in driving the Group's ESG strategy were further recognized in June 2023, when the inclusion in the FTSE4GOOD Index series was reconfirmed alongside the "Platinum" rating by EcoVadis. Furthermore, MSCI ESG Research confirmed Recordati's A rating in August 2023 and the Group was rated C+ with Prime status by ISS ESG in September 2023, awarded to companies with a leading sustainability performance in their industry.

Business outlook

Thanks to the strong results achieved across the business, despite the growing FX headwinds, we now expect financial results for FY 2023 at the high end of the upgraded range for the year announced on May 11th, which foresaw revenue of between € 2,050 million and € 2,090 million, EBITDA⁽¹⁾ of between € 750 million and € 770 million and adjusted net income⁽²⁾ of between € 490 million and € 500 million.

Given the strong organic growth momentum, combined with the expected contribution of Avodart® and Combodart®/Duodart®, the Group is on track to exceed the 2025 guidance previously communicated in February, with the expectation that the current portfolio can deliver revenue in excess of € 2.4 billion in FY 2025, with EBITDA margin of +/-37%. Key elements of the Group strategy remain unchanged, combining organic growth with targeted M&A and Business Development.

Additional resolutions

Interim dividend 2023

The Board of Directors passed a resolution to distribute an interim 2023 dividend to shareholders of € 0.57 (gross of tax withholdings) per share outstanding at the ex-dividend date, thus excluding treasury stock held in the Company's portfolio on that date. The 2023 interim dividend will be payable as of 22 November 2023 (record date 21 November 2023), with coupon no. 32, to shareholders registered on 20 November 2023.

The Independent Auditor EY S.p.A. has issued the opinion required by Art. 2433 – bis, paragraph 5 of the Italian Civil Code, which is available at the company's offices.

The Directors' Report and Recordati S.p.A. financial statements as of 30th September 2023, based on which the latter's Board of Directors resolved the distribution of the interim dividend, are available at the company's office and website (www.recordati.com), and can also be viewed on the authorized storage system 1Info (www.1Info.it).

⁽¹⁾ Net income before income taxes, financial income and expenses, depreciation, amortization and write-downs of property, plant and equipment, intangible assets and goodwill, non-recurring items and non-cash charges arising from the allocation of the purchase price of EUSA Pharma to the gross margin of acquired inventory according to IFRS 3.

⁽²⁾ Net income excluding the amortization and write-down of intangible assets (except software) and goodwill, non-recurring items, non-cash charges arising from the allocation of the purchase price of EUSA Pharma to the gross margin of acquired inventory pursuant to IFRS 3, and monetary net gains/losses from hyperinflation (IAS 29), net of tax effects.

⁽³⁾ Pro-forma growth calculated adding Q1 2022 revenue of EUSA Pharma (RRD) and excluding Q3 2023 revenue of Avodart® and Combodart®/Duodart® (SPC).

⁽⁴⁾ Operating cash flow excluding financing items, milestones, dividends, purchases of treasury shares net of proceeds from exercise of stock options.

⁽⁵⁾ Cash and cash equivalents, less bank debts and loans, which include the measurement at fair value of hedging derivatives.

⁽⁶⁾ Please note that Italian Legislative Decree 25/2016, which implements Directive 2013/50/EU, no longer stipulates the submission of an interim management report, which was previously required in terms of paragraph 5 of Art. 154-ter of Italian Legislative Decree 58/1998.

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Conference Call

Today, **7th November**, at **4:00 p.m. CET (3:00 p.m. GMT)**, Recordati management will host a conference call with the financial community to present the results for the first nine months of 2023. The dial-in numbers for the conference call service are:

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The slides that will be referenced during the call will be available at www.recordati.com under Investors/Company Presentations.

The audio conference live webcast will also be available at the following [link](#).

Recordati (Reuters RECI.MI, Bloomberg REC IM) is an international pharmaceutical group listed on the Italian Stock Exchange (ISIN IT 0003828271) uniquely structured to bring treatment across specialty and primary care, consumer healthcare, and rare diseases. We believe that health, and the opportunity to live life to the fullest, is a right, not a privilege. We want to support people in unlocking the full potential of their life. We have fully integrated operations across research & development, chemical and finished product manufacturing through to commercialisation and licensing. Established in 1926, Recordati operates in approximately 150 countries across EMEA, Americas and APAC regions. At the end of 2022, Recordati employed more than 4,300 people and consolidated revenue of € 1,853.3 million. For more information, please visit www.recordati.com.

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Summary of the consolidated results,
prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

(€ thousands)

INCOME STATEMENT	First nine months 2023	First nine months 2022	Change %
NET REVENUE	1,556,174	1,377,542	13.0
Cost of sales	(490,495)	(422,804)	16.0
GROSS PROFIT	1,065,679	954,738	11.6
Selling expenses	(345,506)	(331,226)	4.3
Research and development expenses	(182,239)	(155,700)	17.0
General and administrative expenses	(93,630)	(80,542)	16.2
Other income/(expenses), net	(5,553)	(31,389)	(82.3)
OPERATING INCOME	438,751	355,881	23.3
Financial income/(expenses), net	(49,054)	(46,163)	6.3
PRE-TAX INCOME	389,697	309,718	25.8
Income taxes	(85,205)	(68,260)	24.8
NET INCOME	304,492	241,458	26.1
Adjusted gross profit ⁽¹⁾	1,113,167	990,380	12.4
Adjusted operating income ⁽²⁾	491,608	423,741	16.0
Adjusted net income ⁽³⁾	406,566	355,870	14.2
EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾	595,573	516,154	15.4
Net income attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Parent	304,492	241,458	26.1
Non-controlling interests	0	0	0
EARNINGS PER SHARE			
Basic ⁽⁵⁾	€ 1.481	€ 1.174	26.1
Diluted ⁽⁶⁾	€ 1.456	€ 1.155	26.1

⁽¹⁾ Gross profit adjusted from impact of non-cash charges arising from the allocation of the purchase price of EUSA Pharma to the gross margin of acquired inventory according to IFRS 3.

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⁽⁴⁾ Net income before income taxes, financial income and expenses, depreciation, amortization and write-downs of property, plant and equipment, intangible assets and goodwill, non-recurring items and non-cash charges arising from the allocation of the purchase price of EUSA Pharma to the gross margin of acquired inventory according to IFRS 3.

⁽⁵⁾ Earnings per share (EPS) are based on average shares outstanding during the respective period, 205,654,663 in 2022 and 205,792,226 in 2021. These amounts are calculated deducting treasury shares in the portfolio, the average of which was 3,470,493 shares in 2022 and 3,332,930 shares in 2021.

⁽⁶⁾ Diluted earnings per share is calculated by taking into account stock options granted to employees.

COMPOSITION OF NET REVENUE	First nine months 2023	First nine months 2022	Change %
Total revenue	1,556,174	1,377,542	13.0
Italy	234,304	210,054	11.5
International	1,321,870	1,167,488	13.2

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(€ thousands)

 Reconciliation of Net income to EBITDA⁽¹⁾

	First nine months 2023	First nine months 2022
Net income	304,492	241,458
Income taxes	85,205	68,260
Financial income/(expenses), net	49,054	46,163
Non-recurring operating expenses	5,369	32,218
Non-cash charges from PPA inventory uplift	47,488	35,642
Adjusted operating income⁽²⁾	491,608	423,741
Amortization and write-downs	103,965	92,413
EBITDA⁽¹⁾	595,573	516,154

 Reconciliation of Net income to Adjusted Net income⁽³⁾

	First nine months 2023	First nine months 2022
Net income	304,492	241,458
Amortization and write-downs of intangible assets (excluding software)	81,180	71,502
Tax effect	(17,405)	(14,238)
Non-recurring operating expenses	5,369	32,218
Tax effect	(1,340)	(8,491)
Non-cash charges from PPA inventory uplift	47,488	35,642
Tax effect	(11,881)	(6,772)
Monetary net (gain)/losses from hyperinflation (IAS29)	(1,759)	5,619
Tax effect	422	(1,068)
Adjusted net income⁽³⁾	406,566	355,870

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ASSETS	30.09.2023	31.12.2022
Property, plant and equipment	172,976	159,184
Intangible assets	1,939,786	1,758,173
Goodwill	778,655	780,057
Other equity investments and securities	20,220	28,871
Other non-current assets	17,455	9,556
Deferred tax assets	79,037	76,895
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	3,008,129	2,812,736
Inventories	401,645	424,080
Trade receivables	421,755	361,898
Other receivables	55,273	63,915
Other current assets	23,661	15,387
Derivative instruments measured at fair value	18,817	23,603
Cash and cash equivalents	302,280	284,734
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	1,223,431	1,173,617
Non-current assets held for sale	0	12,470
TOTAL ASSETS	4,231,560	3,998,823

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EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	30.09.2023	31.12.2022
Share capital	26,141	26,141
Share premium reserve	83,719	83,719
Treasury shares	(126,986)	(149,559)
Reserve for derivative instruments	5,689	5,249
Translation reserve	(260,370)	(205,018)
Other reserves	58,828	62,260
Profits carried forward	1,633,500	1,524,099
Net income	304,492	312,336
Interim dividend	0	(112,979)
Shareholders' equity attributable to equity holders of the Parent	1,725,013	1,546,248
Shareholders' equity attributable to non-controlling interests	0	0
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	1,725,013	1,546,248
Loans - due after one year	1,377,512	1,341,549
Provisions for employee benefits	19,141	19,418
Deferred tax liabilities	154,255	167,865
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,550,908	1,528,832
Trade payables	252,826	224,703
Other payables	157,372	251,136
Tax liabilities	70,897	33,615
Other current liabilities	5,501	5,740
Provisions for risks and charges	16,923	16,209
Derivative instruments measured at fair value	13,836	17,369
Loans - due within one year	396,632	291,546
Short-term debts to banks and other lenders	41,652	83,425
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	955,639	923,743
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	4,231,560	3,998,823

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CASH FLOW STATEMENT	First nine months 2023	First nine months 2022
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income	304,492	241,458
Income taxes	85,206	68,260
Net interest	48,158	19,583
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	21,577	19,675
Amortization of intangible assets	82,304	70,563
Write-downs	84	2,175
Equity-settled share-based payment transactions	7,515	6,036
Other non-monetary components	55,772	49,242
Change in other assets and other liabilities	(20,538)	(5,759)
Cash flow generated/(used) by operating activities before change in working capital	584,570	471,233
Change in:		
- inventories	(31,681)	(30,379)
- trade receivables	(73,753)	(30,925)
- trade payables	30,082	21,114
Change in working capital	(75,352)	(40,190)
Interest received	3,923	1,026
Interest paid	(50,314)	(14,385)
Income taxes paid	(53,282)	(55,992)
Cash flow generated/(used) by operating activities	409,545	361,692
INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES		
Investments in property, plant and equipment	(17,998)	(15,987)
Disposals of property, plant and equipment	329	547
Investments in intangible assets	(345,597)	(67,697)
Disposals of intangible assets	287	511
Acquisition of holdings in subsidiaries*	0	(653,759)
Sale of non-current assets held for sale	3,000	0
Cash flow generated/(used) by investment activities	(359,979)	(736,385)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Opening of loans	348,256	1,357,032
Repayment of loans	(214,701)	(738,467)
Payment of lease liabilities	(8,116)	(7,355)
Change in short-term debts to banks and other lenders	(45,008)	(8,768)
Dividends paid	(129,071)	(120,017)
Purchase of treasury shares	(6,483)	(39,138)
Sale of treasury shares	19,681	9,149
Cash flow generated/(used) by financing activities	(35,442)	452,436
Change in cash and cash equivalents	14,124	77,743
Opening cash and cash equivalents	284,734	244,578
Currency translation effect	3,422	24,288
Closing cash and cash equivalents	302,280	346,609

*Acquisition of EUSA Pharma (UK) Limited (653,759): working capital (182,384), fixed assets (534,756), goodwill (150,850), other assets and liabilities 132,621, loans 81,610.

DECLARATION BY THE MANAGER RESPONSIBLE FOR PREPARING THE COMPANY'S FINANCIAL REPORTS

The manager responsible for preparing the company's financial reports, Luigi La Corte, declares, pursuant to paragraph 2 of Article 154-*bis* of the Consolidated Law on Finance, that the accounting information contained in this press release corresponds to the Company's documentation, books and accounting records.