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**Mandatory total tender offer launched by Overlord Bidco S.p.A. on the ordinary shares of Be Shaping the Future S.p.A.**

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**PRESS RELEASE**

pursuant to articles 36 and 38, paragraph 1, of the regulation adopted by Consob with resolution no. 11971 of 14 May 1999, as subsequently amended and supplemented (“**Issuers’ Regulation**”).

**SUSPENSION OF THE TIME LIMIT FOR THE REVIEW PERIOD**

*Milan, 19 October 2022* – With reference to the offer document (the “**Offer Document**”), intended for publication, filed with Consob on 17 October 2022 and related to the mandatory total tender offer (the “**Offer**”) pursuant to articles 102 and 106, paragraph 1, of the Legislative Decree 58/1998, as subsequently amended and supplemented (the “**TUF**”), promoted by Overlord Bidco S.p.A. (the “**Offeror**”) on the ordinary shares of Be Shaping the Future S.p.A., the Offeror announces that Consob notified the suspension of the time limit for the review period pursuant to article 102, paragraph 4, of the TUF starting from the date hereof and until the completion of the information framework for no more than 15 calendar days.

The reopening of the review period will be promptly disclosed to the market pursuant to article 38, paragraph 1, of the Issuers’ Regulation.

*This press release is available on the website of BE Shaping the Future S.p.A. ([www.be-tse.it](http://www.be-tse.it)), of the Global Information Agent ([www.morrowsodali-transactions.com](http://www.morrowsodali-transactions.com)), of Engineering Ingegneria Informatica S.p.A. ([www.eng.it](http://www.eng.it)), as well as at [www.emarketstorage.it](http://www.emarketstorage.it).*

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These channels will be active from Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Central European Time).

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