#### **EXIT OFFER**



#### CITIGROUP GLOBAL MARKETS SINGAPORE PTE. LTD.

(Incorporated in Singapore)
(Company Registration No.: 199002673E)

for and on behalf of

## FINCANTIERI OIL & GAS S.p.A.

(Incorporated in Italy)
(Company Registration No.: 04795811001)

a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of



#### FINCANTIERI S.p.A.

(Incorporated in Italy)
(Company Registration No.: 00397130584)

to acquire all the issued ordinary shares in the capital of



#### **VARD HOLDINGS LIMITED**

(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore) (Company Registration No.: 201012504K)

other than those already owned, controlled or agreed to be acquired by Fincantieri Oil & Gas S.p.A., its related corporations and their respective nominees

# **DEALINGS DISCLOSURE ANNOUNCEMENT**

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Citigroup Global Markets Singapore Pte. Ltd. ("Citigroup") refers to the joint announcement (the "Joint Announcement") dated 13 November 2017 (the "Joint Announcement Date") released by Fincantieri Oil & Gas S.p.A. (the "Offeror"), a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of

Fincantieri S.p.A., and Vard Holdings Limited (the "Company") in relation to the proposed privatisation of the Company by way of a voluntary delisting from the Official List of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST") and the exit offer (the "Exit Offer") to be made by Citigroup, for and on behalf of the Offeror, to acquire all the issued ordinary shares ("Shares") in the capital of the Company, other than those already owned, controlled or agreed to be acquired by the Offeror, its related corporations and their respective nominees.

All capitalised terms used and not defined herein shall have the same meanings given to them in the Joint Announcement.

# 2. DEALINGS BY THE OFFEROR

Pursuant to Rule 12.1 of the Singapore Code on Take-overs and Mergers (the "Code"), Citigroup wishes to announce, for and on behalf of the Offeror, that the Offeror has acquired the following Shares (the "Acquired Shares") on 27 March 2018 on the SGX-ST, details of which are set out below:

| S/N | Description  |                    |
|-----|--|--------------------|
| 1.  | Total number of the Acquired Shares  | 60,000             |
| 2.  | Percentage of the total number of Shares <sup>2</sup> constituted by the Acquired Shares                       | 0.01% <sup>3</sup> |
| 3.  | Consideration paid per Share for the Acquired Shares, excluding brokerage fee, clearing fee and applicable tax | S\$0.25            |

## 3. RESULTANT SHAREHOLDING

As at 5.00 p.m. (Singapore time) on 27 March 2018:

- 3.1 the total number of Shares owned, controlled or agreed to be acquired by the Offeror and its Concert Parties amount to an aggregate of 961,050,110 Shares, representing approximately 81.44 per cent. of the total number of Shares; and
- the total number of Shares owned, controlled or agreed to be acquired by the Offeror, its related corporations and their respective nominees amount to an aggregate of 961,050,110 Shares, representing approximately 81.44 per cent. of the total number of Shares.

#### 4. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

The directors of the Offeror (including any who may have delegated detailed supervision of the preparation of this Announcement) have taken all reasonable care to ensure that the facts stated and all opinions expressed in this Announcement are fair and accurate and that, where appropriate, no material facts in relation thereto have been omitted from this Announcement, and they jointly and severally accept responsibility accordingly.

In this Announcement, Shares agreed to be acquired pursuant to a trade on the SGX-ST on a trade date are regarded as Shares already acquired on that trade date, notwithstanding that settlement of that trade will occur three market days later.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> References to the total number of Shares in this Announcement is based on 1,180,000,000 Shares as at the date of this Announcement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Rounded to the nearest two decimal places.

Where any information has been extracted or reproduced from published or otherwise publicly available sources, the sole responsibility of the directors of the Offeror has been to ensure through reasonable enquiries that such information has been accurately and correctly extracted from such sources or, as the case may be, reflected or reproduced in this Announcement.

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# CITIGROUP GLOBAL MARKETS SINGAPORE PTE. LTD.

For and on behalf of

## FINCANTIERI OIL & GAS S.p.A.

28 March 2018

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#### Forward-Looking Statements

All statements other than statements of historical facts included in this Announcement are or may be forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements include but are not limited to those using words such as "aim", "seek", "expect", "anticipate", "estimate", "believe", "intend", "project", "plan", "strategy", "forecast" and similar expressions or future and conditional verbs such as "will", "would", "should", "could", "may" and "might". These statements reflect the Offeror's current expectations, beliefs, hopes, intentions or strategies regarding the future and assumptions in light of currently available information. Such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance or events and involve known and unknown risks and uncertainties. Accordingly, actual results may differ materially from those described in such forward-looking statements. Shareholders and other investors of the Company should not place undue reliance on such forward-looking statements. Neither the Offeror nor Citigroup guarantees any future performance or event or undertakes any obligation to update publicly or revise any forward-looking statements.