To: Equinox International Limited

Level 3, Valletta Buildings,

South Street,

Valletta VLT 1103, Malta

(Hereinafter, together with its lawful successors and assigns referred to as the "Security Trustee").

# 17 July 2025

#### Dear Sirs,

Re: GUARANTEE & INDEMNITY

I, ACMUS Properties Limited, a company registered in Malta bearing company registration number C 111221 (hereinafter together with its lawful successors and assigns, referred to as the "Guarantor"), having noted that:

- A. by virtue of a base prospectus dated 17 July 2025 issued by ACMUS P.L.C. (hereinafter, the "Issuer") in connection with a secured programme of up to €23 million Secured Bonds 2028 2030 (as the same may be amended, varied or supplemented, including the applicable final terms, hereinafter referred to as the "Base Prospectus") the Issuer shall, under the joint and several guarantee of the Guarantor, issue up to €23 million Secured Bonds to be redeemed and finally repaid by the Redemption Date (as defined in the Base Prospectus) or an Early Redemption Date (as defined in the Base Prospectus), on which date the Issuer shall be entitled to prepay all or part of the principal amount of the Secured Bonds and all interests accrued up to the date of prepayment, subject to the terms and conditions of the Base Prospectus (the "Secured Bonds");
- B. the Guarantor is a fully owned subsidiary company of the Issuer;
- C. it is a condition precedent for the issuance of the Secured Bonds that, *inter alia*, the Guarantor executes and grants this Guarantee and Indemnity (hereinafter referred to as the "Guarantee") of the obligations of the Issuer above referred to in favour of the Security Trustee; and
- D. the Guarantor has agreed to the conclusion and execution of this Guarantee in favour of the Security Trustee.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE GUARANTOR IS HEREBY COVENANTING IN FAVOUR OF THE SECURITY TRUSTEE AS FOLLOWS:

### 1. INTERPRETATION

In this Guarantee, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) terms and expressions defined in or construed for the purposes of the Base Prospectus shall have the same meanings or be construed in the same manner when used in this Guarantee, unless defined otherwise in this Guarantee;
- (b) "Indebtedness" means any and all moneys, obligations, and liabilities now or hereafter due, owing or incurred by the Issuer under the Secured Bonds to the Bondholders (whether alone and, or with others) in terms of the Base Prospectus and in any and all cases whether for

principal, interests, capitalised interests, charges, disbursements, or otherwise and whether for actual or contingent liability; and

(c) "writing" or "in writing" shall mean any method of visual representation and shall in clude facsimile transmissions, telexes, and other such electronic methods.

# 2. GUARANTEE

#### 2.1. Covenant to Pay

In satisfaction of the conditions precedent for the issuance of the Secured Bonds, and in consideration of the Bondholders acquiring the Secured Bonds, the Guarantor, as duly authorised, without proof of liability or evidence and as primary obligor, hereby jointly and severally with the Issuer, unconditionally and irrevocably guarantees to the Security Trustee, for the benefit of itself and the Bondholders (in proportion to their respective holding of Secured Bonds) the payment of, and undertakes on first demand in writing made by the Security Trustee on the Guarantor, to pay the Indebtedness to the Security Trustee or any balance thereof at any time due or owing under the Secured Bonds.

## 2.2. Maximum Liability of the Guarantor

This is a continuing Guarantee for the whole amount due or owing under the Secured Bonds or which may hereafter at any time become due or owing under the Secured Bonds by the Issuer but the amount due by Guarantor to the Security Trustee under this Guarantee shall be up to and shall not be in excess of €23 million apart from interests due up to the date of payment and costs and expenses relating to the protection, preservation, collection or enforcement of the Security Trustee's rights against the Issuer and the Guarantor which shall be additional to the maximum sum herein stated.

# 2.3. Collateral supporting Guarantee

The Guarantee shall be further supported by the following security interests constituted in favour of the Security Trustee

- a first-ranking special privilege in terms of Article 2010(1)(c) of the Civil Code over a New Site securing an amount equivalent to the funds disbursed by the Security Trustee to the vendor(s) for the purposes of funding the acquisition price of the respective New Site;
- (ii) a first-ranking general hypothec by the Issuer in favour of the Security Trustee, its respective assets present and future for the full nominal value of the Secured Bonds (a maximum of €23 million) and interest thereon;
- (iii) a first-ranking general hypothec by the Guarantor in favour of the Security Trustee, over its assets present and future for the full nominal value of the Secured Bonds (a maximum of €23 million) and interest thereon;
- (iv) a first-ranking special hypothec by the Guarantor in favour of the Security Trustee for the full nominal value of the Secured Bonds (a maximum of €23 million) and interest thereon over each of the New Sites purchased by the Guarantor and which are funded by a tranche of Secured Bonds; and

(v) pledge on Insurance Policies as security for the full nominal value of the Secured Bond's and interest thereon whereby the Guarantor shall pledge in the Security Trustee's favour its rights under the Insurance Policies.

## 2.4. Indemnity

As a separate and independent stipulation, the Guarantor agrees to indemnify the Security Trustee on demand for any damages, losses (excluding loss of profit), costs and expenses arising from any failure on the part of the Issuer to perform any obligation to the Security Trustee and the Guarantor so agrees to indemnify the Security Trustee even in the event that any obligation of the Issuer to the Security Trustee is invalid or ceases to be valid and enforceable against the Issuer for any reason whatsoever including, but without limitation, any legal limitation or any disability or incapacity of the Issuer. In such an event the Guarantor shall be liable towards the Security Trustee as if that obligation was fully valid and enforceable and as if the Guarantor were the principal debtor in respect thereof and shall pay all sums due to the Security Trustee within seven days of a demand in writing by the Security Trustee.

## 3. CONTINUING AND UNCONDITIONAL LIABILITY

- 3.1. The liability of the Guarantor under this Guarantee shall be continuing until such time as the Indebtedness is fully repaid and shall in no way be prejudiced or effected, nor shall it in any way be discharged or reduced by reason of:
  - (a) the bankruptcy, insolvency or winding up of the Issuer; or
  - (b) the incapacity or disability of the Issuer or any other person liable for any reason whatsoever; or
  - (c) any change in the name, style, constitution, any amalgamation, or reconstruction of either the Issuer, or the Guarantor; or
  - (d) the Security Trustee conceding any time or indulgence, or compounding with, discharging, releasing or varying the liability of the Issuer or any other person liable or renewing, determining, reducing, varying or increasing any accommodation or transaction or otherwise dealing with the same in any manner whatsoever or concurring in, accepting or in any way varying any compromise, composition, arrangement or settlement or omitting to claim or enforce or exact payment from the Issuer or any other person liable; or
  - (e) any event, act or omission that might operate to exonerate the Guarantor without settlement in full of the Indebtedness towards the Security Trustee.
- 3.2. The Security Trustee is being expressly authorised to vary the Base Prospectus and, or modify the Indebtedness or to release or modify any guarantees or any security the Security Trustee may hold as security for the Indebtedness and this without the need of any prior or subsequent notice to the Guarantor and without any prejudice to the rights of the Security Trustee hereunder. The Guarantor is also hereby expressly consenting to any assignments and transfers made by the Issuer in accordance with the Base Prospectus and this without the need of any prior or subsequent notice to the Guarantor and without any prejudice to the rights of the Security Trustee hereunder.

#### 4. WAIVER OF THE GUARANTOR'S RIGHTS AND THE GUARANTOR'S WARRANTIES

- 4.1. Until the Indebtedness has been paid in full the Guarantor agrees that it will not, without the prior written consent of the Security Trustee:
  - (a) exercise any rights of subrogation, reimbursement and indemnity against the Issuer or any other person liable for the Indebtedness;
  - (b) demand or accept repayment, in whole or in part, of any indebtedness now or hereafter due to the Guarantor either from the Issuer or from any other person liable for the Indebtedness or demand any collateral in respect of same or dispose of same;
  - (c) take any step to enforce any right against the Issuer or any other person liable for the Indebtedness;
  - (d) claim any set-off or counter-claim against the Issuer or any other person liable for the Indebtedness nor shall the Guarantor claim or prove in competition with the Security Trustee in the liquidation of the Issuer or any other person liable for the Indebtedness or benefit or share any payment from or in composition with the Issuer or any other person liable for the Indebtedness;
- 4.2. Subject to the overriding provisions of the Base Prospectus until the Indebtedness has been paid in full the Guarantor further agrees that:
  - (a) if an Event of Default under the Base Prospectus occurs, any sums which may be received by it from the Issuer or any person liable for the Indebtedness shall be held by it on trust exclusively for the Security Trustee and shall be paid to the Security Trustee immediately upon demand in writing or immediately after its receipt if such obligation arises from the documents executed by the Issuer in connection with the Base Prospectus;
  - (b) all rights of relief and subrogation arising in favour of the Guarantor upon a partial payment to the Security Trustee against the Issuer and any other person who may be liable for the Indebtedness, shall be suspended;
  - (c) the Security Trustee may and shall receive and retain the whole of the liquidation dividends to the exclusion of the rights (if any) of the Guarantor in competition with the Security Trustee and pursuant to the above the Security Trustee is entitled to hold all payments made by the Guarantor or the Issuer on account of the Indebtedness in suspense for a period of six months from the date of payment and any such payments on account shall not be applied in reduction of the Indebtedness for a period of six months as stated. The Security Trustee may accordingly prove for the whole Indebtedness of the Issuer in liquidation after excluding any and all payments made within a period of six months prior to the liquidation of the Issuer;
  - (d) the Security Trustee shall not be required to exhaust any remedy or remedies it may have against the Issuer or other persons who may be liable for the Indebtedness for the settlement of all the Indebtedness before claiming against the Guarantor under this Guarantee which is to be construed as entirely independent from the relationship between the Security Trustee and the Issuer and providing immediate recourse against the Guarantor under this Guarantee. The Guarantor hereby waives any benefit of discussion or division which may be available under any applicable law.

## 5. SETTLEMENTS CONDITIONAL

Any release, discharge or settlement between the Guarantor and the Security Trustee shall be conditional upon no security, disposition or payment to the Security Trustee by the Issuer or the Guarantor or any other third party liable to being void or set aside for any reason whatsoever and if, for any reason whatsoever, this condition is not fulfilled, such release, discharge or settlement shall be of no effect whatsoever and this Guarantee shall again come into force for all effects and purposes of law.

## 6. ADDITIONAL GUARANTEE

This Guarantee is to be construed as being in addition to and in no way prejudicing any other securities or guarantees which the Security Trustee may now or hereafter hold from or on account of the Issuer and is to be binding on the Guarantor as a continuing Guarantee until full and final settlement of all the Issuer's indebtedness towards the Security Trustee. Moreover, the remedies provided in this Guarantee are cumulative and are not exclusive of any remedies provided by law.

# 7. BENEFIT OF THIS GUARANTEE AND NO ASSIGNMENT

- 7.1. This Guarantee is to be immediately binding upon the Guarantor for the benefit of the Security Trustee and the liability hereunder is not subject to any conditions as to additional security being received by the Security Trustee or otherwise.
- 7.2. The Guarantor shall not be entitled to assign or transfer any of its obligations under this same Guarantee.

### 8. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 8.1. The Guarantor represents and warrants: -
  - (a) that it is duly incorporated and validly existing under the laws of Malta and has the power to carry on its business;
  - (b) that it has power to grant this Guarantee and that this Guarantee is duly authorised and all corporate action has been taken by the Guarantor in accordance with its deeds of constitution and the laws of its incorporation and regulation;
  - (c) that this Guarantee constitutes and contains valid and legally binding obligations of the Guarantor enforceable in accordance with its terms:
  - (d) that this Guarantee does not and will not constitute default with respect to or run counter to any law, by-law, articles of incorporation, statute, rule, regulation, judgement, decree or permit to which the Guarantor is or may be subject; or any agreement or other instrument to which the Guarantor is a party or is subject or by which it or any of its property is bound;
  - that this Guarantee shall not result in or cause the creation or imposition of or oblige the Guarantor to create any encumbrance on any of that Guarantor's undertakings, assets, rights or revenues;

- (f) that it is in no way engaged in any litigation, arbitration or administrative proceeding of a material nature and nor is it threatened with any such procedures;
- (g) that the obligations binding it under this Guarantee rank at least pari passu with all other present and future unsecured indebtedness of the Guarantor with the exception of any obligations which are mandatorily preferred by law;
- (h) that it is not in breach of or in default under any agreement relating to indebtedness to which it is a party or by which it may be bound nor has any default occurred in its regard;
- that all the information, verbal or otherwise tendered in connection with the negotiation and preparation of this Guarantee is accurate and true and there has been no omission of any material facts;
- (j) that the granting of this Guarantee is in the commercial interest of the Guarantor and that the Guarantor acknowledges that it is deriving commercial benefit therefrom.
- 8.2. As from the date of this Guarantee, until such time as the Indebtedness is paid in full to the Security Trustee, and for as long as this Guarantee shall remain in force, the Guarantor shall hold true, good, and valid all the representations and warranties given under this clause, except for representations and warranties in limbs (f) and (h) which are given only as at the date of this Guarantee.

#### 9. DEMANDS AND PAYMENTS

9.1. All the Indebtedness shall be due by the Guarantor under this Guarantee as a debt, certain, liquidated, and due on the seventh day following the Security Trustee's first written demand to the Guarantor to pay. All demands shall be sent to the address or facsimile or other numbers as are stated below in Article 11 as the same may be changed by notice in writing by one party to the other.

The demand shall be accompanied by a statement by the Security Trustee confirming that to the best of its knowledge there exist, at the time of the demand, circumstances which constitute an Event of Default or such that may render the underlying obligations of the Issuer to the Security Trustee invalid and unenforceable for any reason whatsoever.

It is expressly agreed that the requirement of such statement is not a condition of liability of the Guarantor under this Guarantee and is entirely without prejudice to the on-demand nature of this Guarantee. Any disagreement by the Guarantor as to the contents of the statement shall not entitle the Guarantor to delay or interrupt the payment of the sum due under this Guarantee for any reason whatsoever.

- 9.2. The statement by the Security Trustee of the amount due under this Guarantee shall be binding on the Guarantor and shall be conclusive evidence of the sum due, saving only manifest error.
- 9.3. All payments shall be made to the Security Trustee without any withholding for taxes (and in so far as this obligation exists under any law the payment shall be grossed up by the amount of withholding) and without set-off for any amounts which may be then owing to the Guarantor by the Issuer or the Security Trustee. The Guarantor authorises the Security Trustee to apply any credit balance the Guarantor may have with the Security Trustee towards the satisfaction of the Indebtedness. The Security Trustee shall notify the Guarantor forthwith of the exercise of this right giving full details relating thereto.

#### 10. NOTICES

- 10.1. Any notice required to be given by any party hereto to the other party shall be deemed to have been validly served if delivered by hand or sent by pre-paid registered letter through the post or by facsimile to such other party at his address given herein or such other address as may from time to time be notified to the other party for this purpose and any notice so served shall be deemed to have been served, if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery, or if by post, seven days after posting and if by facsimile, at the time of transmission of the facsimile.
- 10.2. For the purposes of this Guarantee, the proper addresses and facsimile numbers of the parties

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**Contact Person: Adrian Muscat** 

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Tel. No.: 21238989

Contact Person: Louis de Gabriele / Donald Vella

Provided that each party may at any time change such address or telefax number by giving seven days' prior written notice to the other party. Every notice, request, demand, letter, or other communication hereunder shall be in writing and shall be delivered by hand or by post or through any other communication methods including telex, telefax or otherwise and shall be deemed to be received in case of post within seven days of dispatch or in case of other methods immediately upon confirmed transmission.

# 11. APPLICABLE LAW AND JURISDICTION

- 11.1. This Guarantee shall be governed by and construed in accordance with Maltese law.
- 11.2. The courts of Malta shall have exclusive jurisdiction with respect to any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Guarantee.

# Signature Page

Yours faithfully,

Name: Adrian Muscat duly authorised, for and on behalf of ACMUS Properties Limited

Name: Cliona Muscat

duly authorised, for and on behalf of

**ACMUS Properties Limited** 

Yours faithfully,

Name: Adrian Muscat

duly authorised, for and on behalf of

**ACMUS P.L.C.** 

Name: Cliona Muscat

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WE ACCEPT

Name: Louis de Gabriele

duly authorised, for and on behalf of

**Equinox International Limited** 

Name: Donald Vella

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**Equinox International Limited**