### **Ordinary Shareholders' General Meeting**

May 14, 2024

Patrick Kron – Chairman of the Board of Directors

Alessandro Dazza – Chief Executive Officer

Sébastien Rouge – Chief Financial Officer

Emmanuelle Vaudoyer – Group General Counsel & Secretary to the Board



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# 2023 highlights

Alessandro Dazza – Chief Executive Officer



#### Full Year 2023 - Financial highlights(1)

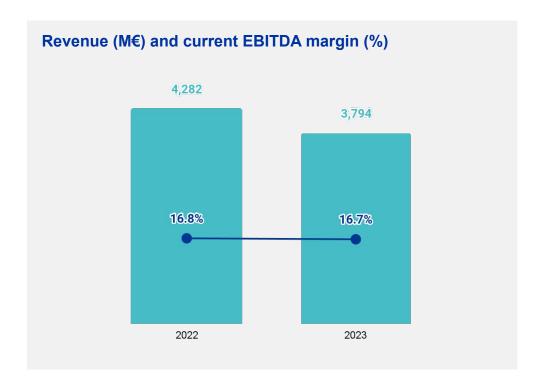
| Revenue   | Current EBITDA<br>in line with guidance <sup>(2)</sup>   | Substantial cash flow generation  | Proposed dividend   |
|---|--|---|---|
| €3,794m   | €633m  | €288m <sup>(3)</sup>  | €1.35 per share   |
| <ul> <li>Revenue down 9% like-for-like against high comparables in 2022 (+12.5%)</li> <li>Sales volumes impacted by weak demand in end markets (residential construction, industry and paper)</li> <li>Pricing up 2.6% on full year basis, though slowing in Q4 (-4.4%) to reflect end of surcharges</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Current EBITDA at €633 in line with guidance, despite revenue decline</li> <li>Robust margin at 16.7% in line with 2022 benefiting from strong cost actions</li> <li>Q4 2023 EBITDA at €152m, in line with Q4 2022</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Substantial cash generation of €288m, fuelled by working capital management actions</li> <li>Significant reduction of OWC (€86m), notably inventories</li> <li>Increase spending on strategic capex (€97m vs. €85m in 2022) to support future growth</li> <li>Other capex (including sustenance) reduced by approx. €30m reflecting good level of operating sites</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Current net income from continuing operations at €245m, (-14% vs last year)</li> <li>Proposal of a cash dividend of €1.35 per share (vs. €1.50 per share ordinary dividend paid in 2023)</li> <li>Dividend in line with historical average payout ratio</li> </ul> |

<sup>(1)</sup> According to IFRS 5, HTS is accounted for as a discontinued operation and reported under 'Net income from discontinued activities' (its revenue, expenses and pre-tax profits are not presented in the consolidated income statement).

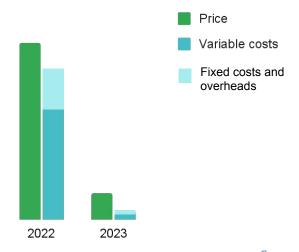


<sup>(2)</sup> Guidance announced on July 27, 2023: FY 2023 current EBITDA between €630 million and €650 million (3) Net current free operating cash flow before strategic investments, of which €6m for discontinued operations

#### Resilient current EBITDA margin over the last 2 years

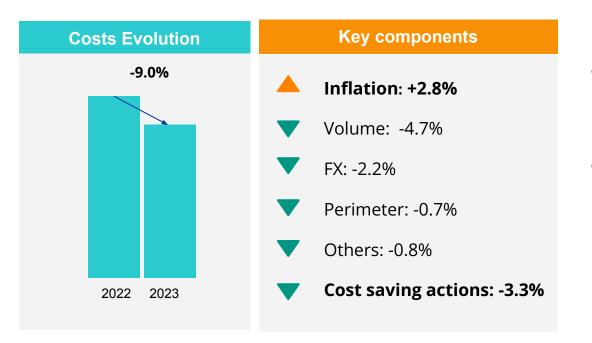


- Stable current EBITDA margin despite volume decline, reflecting the robustness of the business model
- Prices adjusted to reflect evolution of variable costs and other inflationary impacts





#### Cost reduction actions delivering €126m, ie 3.3% of total costs in 2023



- Our actions delivered €126 million of cost savings (3.3% of total costs) more than offsetting overall inflation (2.8%)
- Programs covered all areas of the company: purchasing, operational efficiency at plants, capacity adjustments, overheads and discretionary spending



#### **Imerys end-markets in 2023**



Source: Imerys estimates.
(1) Including paper under strategic review.

----- Market trends vs 2022



#### 2024: A milestone year for lithium projects

#### **EMILI project (France)**



- 34kT per year production of hydroxide lithium
- At least 25 years potential life of mine
- Good for 700,000 vehicles/year
- Potentially representing 14% of future European lithium supply

#### **Steps already achieved**

- Successive drilling campaigns confirming attractiveness of the deposit (size, grade, structure)
- Technology tested at laboratory scale with several hundred kgs battery-grade lithium produced
- Decision of site locations

#### **2024 Next Steps**

- "Public Debate" to start in Q2 and report released in Q3
- Pre-Feasibility Study to be concluded before year end
- Pending necessary permitting, launch construction of industrial pilot plant

#### **Imerys British Lithium (UK)**



- JV created in June 2023
- 21kT per year production of lithium carbonate
- At least 30 years potential life of mine expected
- Potentially representing 8% of future European lithium supply

#### **Steps already achieved**

- Inferred resources and concentration deemed attractive.
- Battery grade lithium carbonate produced in pilot lab
- Integration into Imerys

#### **2024 Next Steps**

- Drilling campaign to continue to increase level of accuracy on deposit size and grade
- Process optimisations as part of Pre-Feasibility Study phase ongoing

#### More than 50 new mineral solutions launched in 2023



#### Solutions for Energy Transition

- European cordierite saggars for lithium-ion battery makers
- High aspect ratio (HAR) talc and mica: new engineered solutions for high end automotive applications (especially for EVs)



#### Sustainable Construction

- New metakaolin grades enabling low carbon concrete
- Talc and wollastonite as natural mineral additives for decarbonizing the glass and ceramic industry
- Ultrafine calcium carbonate to improve polymer performance in residential applications



#### Natural Solutions for Consumers goods

- Diatomite and perlite filters aids to remove different contaminants in renewable diesel (fast growing market in the US)
- Zeolite for micropollutants removal in waste water treatment

78% of new products launched in 2023 are "SustainAgility™ Solutions" \*



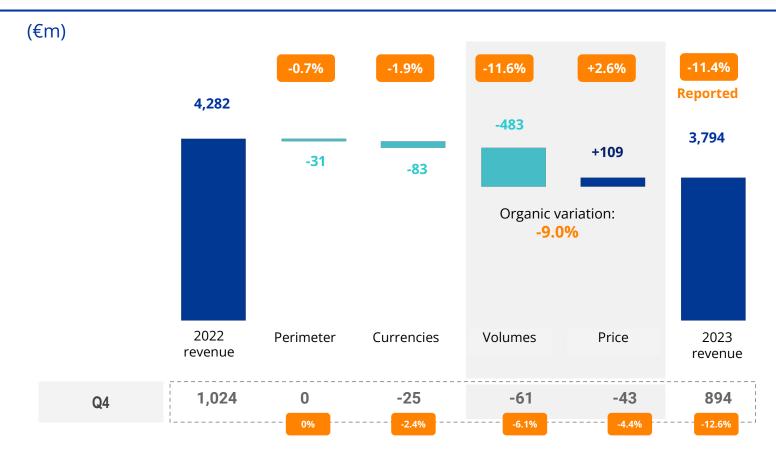


#### 2023 annual results

**Sébastien Rouge** – Chief Financial Officer

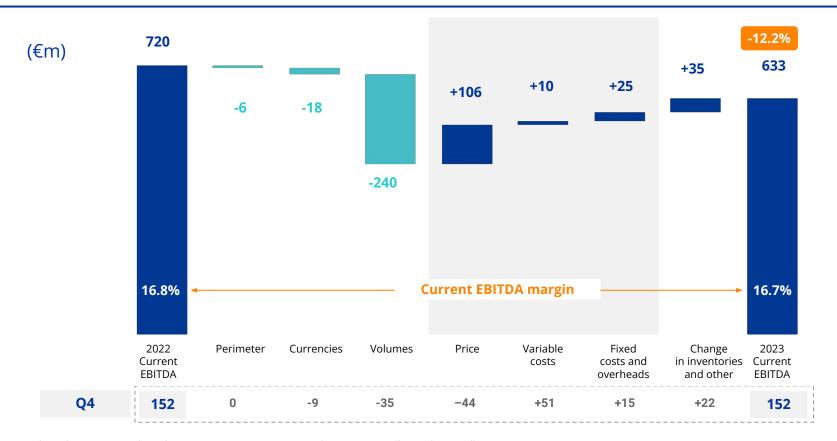


#### Impact of volume decline contained by positive pricing





#### Current EBITDA at €633 million, in line with FY 2023 guidance (\*)





#### **Current net income from continuing operations reached €242 million**

| (€m)   | 2022  | 2023  | Change |
|--|-------|-------|--------|
| Current EBITDA   | 720   | 633   | -12.2% |
| Current operating income                                   | 439   | 365   | -16.9% |
| Current financial expenses                                 | (50)  | (38)  | -      |
| Current income tax   | (105) | (81)  | -      |
| Current tax rate   | 26.9% | 24.9% | -      |
| Minority interest  | (6)   | (3)   | -      |
| Current net income from continuing operations, Group share | 278   | 242   | -12.8% |
| Other operating income and expenses, net, Group share      | (105) | (235) | -      |
| Net income from continuing operations, Group share         | 173   | 8     | -      |
| Net income from discontinued activities, Group share       | 64    | 44    | -      |
| Net income, Group share                                    | 237   | 51    | -78.4% |

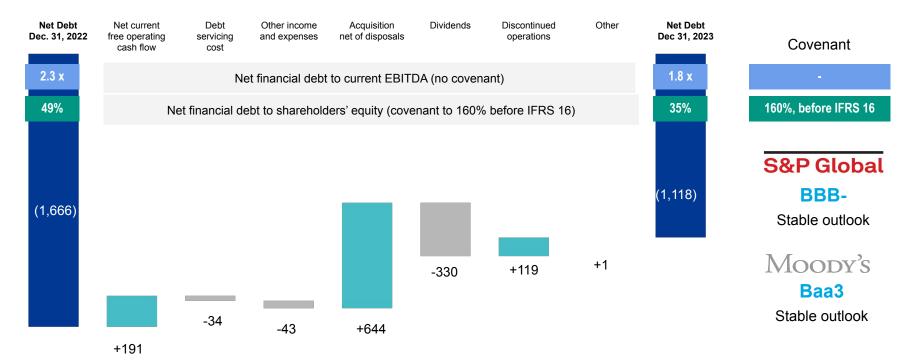
Net other operating income and expenses impacted by the impairment of the assets serving the paper market for €175 million

• €44 million of net income from discontinued activities included in total net income



#### Net debt reduced by €548 million (-33%) compared to December 31, 2022

#### Change in net financial debt (€m)







## First quarter 2024 results

Alessandro Dazza - Chief Executive Officer



#### First Quarter 2024 - Highlights<sup>(1)</sup>

#### Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(2)</sup> Revenue Strategic Roadmap **Divestiture of assets Bolt-on acquisition** €926m €188m serving the paper market Initial signs of demand recovery Adjusted EBITDA at €188 million; Exclusive negotiations announced on Exclusive negotiations announced on with first quarter revenue at €926 +9% vs Q1 last year April 29, 2024 to acquire Chemviron's March 28, 2024, for the potential million, above both Q3 and Q4 diatomite and perlite business divestment of Imerys' assets serving 2023 Positive contribution of the paper market commercial actions, savings Opportunity to broaden Imerys Filtration Main end-markets remain measures and lower input costs, and Life Sciences product portfolio, Closing expected in the course of 2024 lackluster (residential construction as well as strong performance of serving the food, beverage, filtration and and industry, in particular in ioint ventures pharmaceutical markets Europe) **Solutions for** Positive price/cost balance Contemplated acquisition to strengthen **Energy Transition** Sequential volume improvements maintained, demonstrating the Imerys' market reach in natural solutions expected to continue in the strength of Imerys' business for consumer goods Creation of a new business area. quarters to come model Solutions for Energy Transition, to Closing expected in the course of 2024 better reflect the importance and New alternative performance fast-growing contribution of the measure "Adjusted EBITDA" Group's activities in critical minerals

<sup>(2)</sup> Effective January 1, 2024 adjusted EBITDA is calculated from current operating income before operating amortization, depreciation, impairment losses and adjusted for changes in operating provisions and write-downs. It includes the share in net income of joint ventures (instead of dividends received, in the prior definition) to better reflect their contribution to the Imerys Group.



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#### **New Business Area - Solutions for Energy Transition**

#### **Rationale:**

- Creation of a new business area to better reflect the importance and fast-growing contribution of the Group's activities in critical minerals.
- It includes Imerys Graphite & Carbon business and the Group's share (50% ownership) in the joint-venture The Quartz Corporation. These activities represent a key driver of Imerys' future growth.

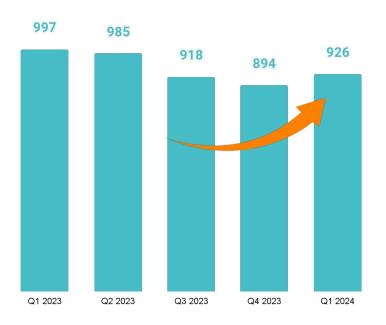
#### Imerys: a major player in the energy transition

- World leading supplier of critical minerals: high purity quartz, carbon black and graphite today, potentially lithium tomorrow
- Growing rapidly, with further significant potential
- Highly profitable businesses enhancing Imerys' value proposition



#### **Initial signs of demand recovery**

#### Revenue in € million



- Initial signs of demand recovery, notwithstanding persistent economic uncertainty in Europe
- Sequential improvement in Q1 2024:
  - +4% vs Q4 2023
  - Supported by volume recovery



## 3 Sustainability

Alessandro Dazza – Chief Executive Officer



#### **Our Sustainability ambition**

In 2018, the Group launched its sustainability program named **SustainAgility**, structured around 3 axes.

In 2022, the Group defined priority topics with **mid-term sustainability objectives** to be achieved by the end of 2025 that contribute to the UN Sustainable Development Goals



















## Empowering our People



Making sure employees stay healthy and safe, safeguarding human rights and labor practices, nurturing talent, promoting diversity, equity and inclusion and engaging with local communities.

## **Growing with** our Customers



Behaving ethically, operating fairly, ensuring responsible purchasing, and advancing sustainable products and processes.

## Caring for our Planet



Protecting the environment, promoting natural resources efficiency, respecting biodiversity and acting on climate change.



#### **Effective implementation of our SustainAgility commitments in 2023\***

#### **Empowering our people**

 27% Senior Management and 33% Executive Committee are female



 Combined Total Recordable Injury Rate achieved: TRIR: 2.36, 0 fatality



#### **Growing with our customers**

 61% of suppliers (by spend) have been rated with Ecovadis ESG criteria



 65% of Group revenue assessed and rated as "SustainAgility Solutions"



#### **Caring for our planet**

• **75%** of Act4nature biodiversity commitments are achieved



 -24% scope 1 & 2 emissions have been reduced in tCO<sub>2</sub> vs 2021 base year







#### Robust governance to ensure long term value creation



#### **Effective governance**

- Board of Directors oversight supported by Strategy and Sustainability Committee and coordinated by ESG Referent Director on the Board
- Definition of Group sustainability ambitions by the Sustainability Committee chaired by the CEO and supervision of the implementation of sustainability roadmap
- Chief Executive Officer bonus and Group Long-term Incentive plan linked to Imerys quantitative sustainability targets, including to GHG emission reduction targets
- Sustainability objectives cascaded to the Executive Committee, senior management and other levels of the organisation
- Clear responsibilities to implement and monitor progress at executive and operational levels



#### **Ambitious Climate Transition Plan**

#### Climate Transition Plan published on <u>imerys.com</u>

#### Approach and roadmap

- Reduction targets
- Decarbonization levers
- Governance and funding

#### Performance to date

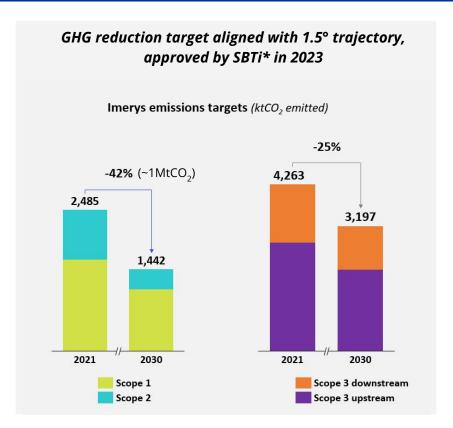
#### Transition to a low carbon economy

- Assessment of Product portfolio
- Development of Solutions for the energy transition and for sustainable construction
- Reduction of the GHG footprint of consumer goods





#### **Main Decarbonation levers**





\*SBTi: Science Based Target Initiative



#### **Decarbonation levers in action**



- Power Purchase Agreements (PPA): secure renewable electricity in Bahrain, Malaysia and California (US)
- Installation of solar panels in UK sites and solar photovoltaic farm in Bahrain to reduce our GHG emissions of 15kt CO<sub>2</sub>e
- Improvement in energy efficiency I-Nergize: 3-year program to save energy and reduce carbon emissions (expected reduction of ~120 ktCO<sub>2</sub>e)
- Heat recovery in Belgium: Partnership with E.On to build a heat recovery plant to capture energy from manufacturing process to produce electricity and reduce scope 1 emissions by > 50kt CO<sub>2</sub>e





- Replacing fossil fuel by biomass waste
- Ex in Sandersville plant (US):

   in 2023, 13% of the site's total energy consumption comes from peanut hulls, avoiding ~30 kt CO<sub>2</sub>







- Carbon Capture and Utilization (CCU) project in Dunkirk to eliminate 100% of scope 1 emissions by capturing CO<sub>2</sub> from production process and reusing it as a raw material for the construction market
- Estimated reduction of up to 40% of GHG emissions



#### **Strong ESG performance on ESG ratings**







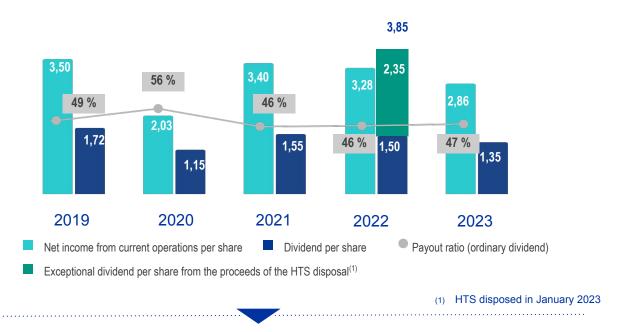
## **Proposed dividend**

Patrick Kron – Chairman of the Board of Directors



#### **Dividend proposal: 1.35 € per share**

Evolution of the dividend, the net current result per share (€) and the distribution rate (%)



#### **Confidence in the fundamentals of the Group**





#### Presentation of the resolutions

**Emmanuelle Vaudoyer** – Group General Counsel & Secretary to the Board **Marie-Françoise Walbaum** – Chair of the Appointments and Compensation Committees



#### Agenda for the Ordinary Shareholders' General Meeting

- 1. approval of the Company's management and statutory financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023
- 2. approval of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023
- 3. appropriation of profit and setting the dividend with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023
- 4. statutory Auditors' special report governed by article L. 225-40 of the French Commercial Code
- 5. approval of the compensation policy applicable to the Chairman of the Board of Directors with respect to the year ended December 31, 2024
- 6. approval of the compensation policy applicable to the Chief Executive Officer with respect to the year ended December 31, 2024
- 7. approval of the compensation policy applicable to members of the Board of Directors with respect to the year ended December 31, 2024
- 8. approval of the information relating to the compensation of corporate officers with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023, presented in article L. 22-10-9 Lof the French Commercial Code
- 9. approval of the fixed, variable and exceptional components of the total compensation and benefits paid or granted to the Chairman of the Board of Directors with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023
- 10. approval of the fixed, variable and exceptional components of the total compensation and benefits paid or granted to the Chief Executive Officer with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023
- 11. re-appointment of Patrick Kron as a director
- 12. re-appointment of Paris Kyriacopoulos as a director
- 13. appointment of Laurent Favre as a director
- 14. appointment of Deloitte & Associés as Statutory Auditor to certify the sustainability information
- 15. appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit as Statutory Auditor to certify the sustainability information
- 16. purchase by the Company of its own shares
- 17. powers to carry out formalities





### **2023 Financial Statements and Dividend**



#### Resolutions 1 to 3: 2023 Financial statements, appropriation of profit and dividend

- Approval of the Company's statutory financial statements (*resolution 1*) and consolidated financial statements (*resolution 2*) for the year ended December 31, 2023
- Appropriation of profit and setting the 2023 dividend (*resolution 3*)

| Profit in 2023   | €477,486,507.61   |
|--|-------------------|
| Retained earnings  | + €427,666,092.50 |
| Legal reserve  | Non applicable    |
| Total distributable amount   | = €905,152,600.11 |
| Payment of a <b>€1.35 per share dividend</b> based on the 84,940,955 shares outstanding at December 31, 2023 | - €114,670,289.25 |
| Retained earnings balance  | = €790,482,310.86 |





## **Related Party Agreements**



#### **Resolution 4: Related party agreements concluded by the Company**

- Statutory Auditors' special report:
  - No related party agreements were concluded by the Company in 2023
  - No related party agreements concluded before 2022 and already approved by the Shareholders' General Meeting continued to apply in 2023





## Corporate officers compensation (say on pay)

- Ex-ante votes on 2024 compensation policies
- Ex-post votes on 2023 compensations



# Corporate officers compensation policies - Principles guiding the development, adjustment and implementation of compensation policies

- Compensation policies are set each year by the Board of Directors, based on proposals made by the Compensation Committee. Where necessary, they are reviewed mid-year. Compensation policies are submitted for approval of the Shareholders' General Meeting
- Compensation policies should protect the Company's corporate interest, contribute to its long-term success and to its business strategy

The Board of Directors pays attention to:

- aligning the policies with corporate officers' performance and expected engagement
- aligning the policies, especially any components of variable and long-term incentive payments, with the Company's performance and strategy
- the competitive alignment with best market practices
- ensuring the policies remain appropriate with respect to the compensation of the Company employees
- The **compensation policies will apply to all (current and future) corporate officers** until they are amended.
- Chief Executive Officers' compensation policy includes, a possible temporary derogation, in line with the Company's interests and necessary to guarantee the Company's continuity or viability, relating solely to variable remuneration and remuneration in shares
- The compensation policies in force and all the elements relating thereto are available on the Company's website in accordance with the regulations

#### **Corporate officers compensation policies for 2024**

- ☐ The **changes made to the Chairman of the Board's 2024 compensation policy of the** are related to:
  - removal of the possibility of granting a sign-on bonus to a future Chairman of the Board of Directors (non-executive corporate officer)
  - removal of the possibility of granting exceptional compensation for special services or assignments entrusted to the Chairman of the Board of Directors

These adjustments have been made to take into account points for improvement suggested by certain minority shareholders

- The **Chief Executive Officer's 2024 compensation policy remains unchanged** except for the modification of certain criteria included in his annual variable compensation
- The amendment to the **members of the Board's 2024 compensation policy** concerns the possibility for the Board to waive the 50% reduction in remuneration provided for in the event of attendance at a Board or Committee meeting by tele- or videoconference in the event of exceptional circumstances preventing the meeting from being held in person
- The 2024 compensation policies were set by the Board of Directors on February 21, 2024, following the recommendations of the Compensation Committee, and are subject to the *ex-ante* votes of this Shareholders' General Meeting
- All of the elements relating to the determination of compensation policies and their content are detailed in the 2023 Universal Registration Document (Chapter 4 Corporate Governance)



# Resolution 5: 2024 compensation policy applicable to the Chairman of the Board

|                                    | Chairman of the Board of Directors - Patrick Kron   |  |  |
|------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Annual fixed compensation          | The fixed component of remuneration is determined on the basis of the Chairman's experience and level of responsibility at the time of his appointment, and reviewed annually to ensure that it is in line with market practice for comparable companies. |  |  |
|                                    | The gross fixed annual remuneration of the Chairman of the Board is 400,000 euros, unchanged since 2022.  |  |  |
| Annual variable compensation       | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Multi-annual variable compensation | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Benefits in kind                   | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Severance package                  | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Non-compete indemnity              | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Post-employment commitments        | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Long-term incentives in shares     | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Directors' compensation            | Non applicable  |  |  |
| Exceptional components             | Non applicable  |  |  |



# **Resolution 6: 2024 compensation policy applicable to the Chief Executive Officer (1/3)**

|  | Chief Executive Officer (CEO) - Alessandro Dazza  |  |
|--|---|--|
| Annual fixed compensation                | ne fixed component of remuneration is determined on the basis of the CEO's experience and level of responsibility at the time of his appointment, and reviewed nnually to ensure that it is in line with market practice for comparable companies.  |  |
| -  | The gross fixed annual remuneration of the CEO is 920,000 euros, unchanged since 2023.  |  |
| Annual<br>variable<br>compensation       | <ul> <li>Applicable performance criteria:         <ul> <li>Quantifiable criteria:</li> <li>Group EBITDA (32.5 %), free operating cash-flow (32.5 %) and ESG criteria linked to its performance (15%) - see next slide including a new criterion linked to water management</li> <li>Targets set in line with applicable 2024 budget targets and with the Group' SustainAgility roadmap (as set by the Board)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Personal criteria (20%) - new in 2024:         <ul> <li>Pursue the Group's strategic realignment towards higher-growth end markets, implement the roadmap for lithium projects, foster growth and adapt organization and structure to production levels</li> <li>These criteria are confidential and so cannot be published in full</li> </ul> </li> <li>Calculation method:         <ul> <li>The target value of annual variable compensation is set at 110% of annual fixed compensation. Annual variable compensation can thus vary between 0% and 165% of annual fixed compensation</li> <li>For each criterion, the Board of Directors, on the recommendation of the Compensation Committee, sets:</li></ul></li></ul> |  |
| Multi-annual<br>variable<br>compensation | <ul> <li>Any multi-annual variable compensation is calculated according to quantitative and/or individual criteria set by the Board of Directors</li> <li>Multi-annual variable compensation is paid only when all the component parts are known and have been approved by the Shareholders' General Meeting ("ex post" vote).</li> </ul>   |  |
| Benefits in kind                         | <ul> <li>Contributions to unemployment insurance for corporate officers</li> <li>life insurance plans (covering death or disability)</li> <li>company car</li> <li>health insurance benefits, tax consultants, annual medical.</li> </ul>   |  |



# Resolution 6: 2024 compensation policy applicable to the Chief Executive Officer (2/3)

|                                      | Chief Executive Officer (CEO) - Alessandro Dazza   |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| Severance<br>package                 |  |  |
| Non-compete indemnity                | <ul> <li>Non-compete period of one year following the date at which his duties as CEO are terminated. The Board reserves the right to decide whether or not to enforce this clause</li> <li>Legal indemnity representing the equivalent of one year's annual fixed compensation plus the average of the last two years' annual variable compensation</li> <li>No compensation would be due if the Chief Executive Officer opts to claim retirement benefits</li> </ul>   |  |
| Post-employmen ts commitments        | • Complementary defined contribution pension plans ["Art. 83"] representing 8% of the annual fixed compensation and ["Art. 82"] representing 5% of the annual fixed compensation   |  |
| Long-term<br>incentives in<br>shares | <ul> <li>85,000 performance shares, i.e. 0.1% of the share capital at December 31, 2023</li> <li>Grant caps:         <ul> <li>0.5% of the Company's share capital, and</li> <li>18 months' gross annual compensation (fixed component + maximum variable component (at IFRS2 values))</li> </ul> </li> <li>Performance conditions:         <ul> <li>Group' net current income (50%), free operating cash-flow (35%) and ESG performance criteria - see next slide</li> <li>targets are set line with (i) applicable budget targets with regard to financial criteria and (ii) with the targets set as part of the Group ESG roadmap SustainAgility</li> </ul> </li> <li>Vesting period: 3 years (2024-2026) following the grant date; no lock-up period following the vesting period</li> <li>Calculation method:         <ul> <li>performance achievement measured annually and averaged at the end of the plan period (2024-2026); may not exceed 100% achievement</li> <li>At the end of each year of the plan period/ for each of the criteria: if the criteria are met by less than 70%, the plan's annual performance would be zero; if the criteria are met at 90%, the plan's annual performance would be 50%; if the criteria are met at 100%, the plan's annual performance would be 120% (subject to the average performance ceiling at the end of the plan period).</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |  |
| Exceptional compensation             | <ul> <li>Exceptional compensation:         <ul> <li>to be paid in cash</li> <li>may be granted by the Board for special services or assignments entrusted to the Chief Executive Officer, the terms and conditions of which will be determined at the appropriate time by the Board, on the recommendation of the Compensation Committee</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sign-on bonus: could be granted to a future CEO in view of the person in question, the terms and conditions of which will be determined by the Board, on the recommendation of the Compensation Committee</li> </ul>   |  |

# Resolution 6: 2024 compensation policy applicable to the Chief Executive Officer (3/3)

|       | Objet                                   | Critère  |  |
|-------|---|--|--|
| 1     | Safety                                  | Improve Group Safety Culture Maturity to Level 3.3 across all Business Areas by the end of 2025  |  |
| 2     | Diversity and Inclusion                 | Increase the score of the Diversity & Inclusion Index to 100% by the end of 2025   |  |
| 3     | Product Sustainability                  | Assess Imerys portfolio according to the sustainability criteria to cover a least 75% (by revenue) by the end of 2025                              |  |
| 4     | Business Ethics &<br>Compliance         | Improve the external sustainability rating of the Group by 7% compared to 2022 assessment by the end of 2025                                       |  |
| 5     | Biodiversity and Land<br>Rehabilitation | Reduce impact on biodiversity by filling our act4nature commitments and conducting biodiversity audits on the 20 priority sites by the end of 2025 |  |
| 6     | Climate change mitigation               | Reduce Group scope 1 & 2 greenhouse gas emissions (tCO2eq) by 429 from 2021 base year in alignment with a 1.5°C trajectory by the end c 2030       |  |
| riter | ria applicable only to the annuc        | al variable compensation of the Chief Executive Officer  |  |
| 7     | Occupational Health                     | Increase the global Occupational Health action plan improvement rate to 75% by the end of 2025   |  |
| 8     | Diversity and Inclusion                 | Maintain the number of women in the Executive Committee above 30% by the end of 2025   |  |
| 9     | Product Sustainability                  | Ensure at least 75% of Group New Product Developments are scored as 'SustainAgility Solutions' (A+ or A++) by the end of 2025                      |  |
| 10    | Environmental<br>Management             | Improve water management by ensuring 100% of priority sites comply with new water reporting requirements by the end of 2025                        |  |



#### Resolution 7: 2024 compensation policy applicable to the members of the Board

The 2024 compensation policy (excluding any possible exceptional compensation) applicable to the members of the Board of Directors (other than the Chairman of the Board) will be determined on the basis of the following **allocation bands** and within the limit of an annual amount set at **€1,200,000**:

| Board of Directors                    | Vice-Chairman (if any)                                   | <ul> <li>Fixed compensation: €30,000 / year</li> <li>Variable compensation: €4,000 € / meeting attended</li> </ul>                                |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|--|
|                                       | All members of the Board (other than the Chairman)       | <ul> <li>Fixed compensation: €10,000 € / year</li> <li>Variable compensation: €4,000 € / meeting attended</li> </ul>                              |  |
| Strategy and Sustainability Committee | Chair  | • Fixed compensation: €30,000 € / year  |  |
| Committee                             | All members of the Committee                             | Variable compensation: €3,500 € / meeting attended  |  |
|                                       | All other members of the Board (other than the Chairman) | <ul> <li>Variable compensation: €3,500 (avec présence) / annual Strategy and Sustainability Committee's<br/>strategic session attended</li> </ul> |  |
| Audit Committee                       | Chair  | Fixed compensation: €30,000 / year  |  |
|                                       | All members of the Committee                             | Variable compensation: €4,000 / meeting attended  |  |
| Appointments Committee                | Chair  | Fixed compensation: €10,000 / year  |  |
|                                       | All members of the Committee                             | Variable compensation: €3,000 / meeting attended  |  |
|                                       | Chair  | Fixed compensation: €10,000 / year  |  |
| Compensation Committee                | All members of the Committee                             | Variable compensation: €3,000 / meeting attended  |  |
| ESG Referent Director                 | t Director - Fixed compensation: €20,000 / year          |   |  |

- □ Variable remuneration (per meeting) reduced by half in the event of participation by telephone or videoconference. **The Board may decide not to apply this reduction in the event of tele- or videoconference meetings**, due to applicable health regulations or new for 2024 in the event of exceptional circumstances preventing the Board or Committee from meeting properly (such as natural disasters, major strikes, large-scale events or demonstrations, critical IT incidents, etc.).
- Possibility to award an exceptional compensation, for specific services or assignments entrusted to the member of the Board concerned



### **Resolution 8: Report on 2023 compensation**

- Approval of the information referred to in Article L. 22-10-9 I of the French Commercial Code, notably concerning:
  - the **2023 compensation of all corporate officers**, and
  - the **pay ratios** between the compensation of executive and non-executive corporate directors and the average and median compensation of the Company's employees
  - → This information is provided in the 2023 Universal Registration Document (Chapter 4 Corporate governance Section 4.3)



# Resolution 9: Approval of components of compensation granted or paid to the Chairman of the Board in 2023

| Granted in 2023                       | Paid in 2023                          |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| • Fixed annual compensation: €400,000 | • Fixed annual compensation: €400,000 |



# Resolution 10: Approval of components of compensation granted or paid to the Chief Executive Officer in 2023

| Granted in 2023  | Paid in 2023  |  |
|--|---|--|
| • Fixed annual compensation: €920,000  | • Fixed annual compensation: €920,000   |  |
| • Variable annual compensation: €946,849   | <ul> <li>Variable annual compensation, including an exceptional compensation, of €910,000 - paid</li> </ul>   |  |
| <ul> <li>85,000 performance shares</li> <li>Benefits in kind including company housing (until August 2023) and complementary pension plans valued at €109,516</li> </ul> | following the 2023 General Meeting approval relating  |  |
|  | <ul> <li>to 2022 financial year</li> <li>Benefits in kind including company housing (until August 2023) and complementary pension plans valued at €109,516</li> </ul> |  |





# **The Board of Directors**



### **Resolutions 11 to 13: Composition of the Board of Directors**

- Marie-Françoise Walbaum, Chair of the Appointments and Compensation Committees has informed the Board of Directors of her wish not to seek reappointment as a director following the expiration of her term of office as of today
- Shareholders are requested to vote on the following proposals:
  - **renewal,** of the term of office for a 3-year period of:
    - → Patrick Kron (resolution 11)
    - → Paris Kyriacopoulos (resolution 12)
  - appointment, as director, for a term of office of a 3-year period of:
    - → **Laurent Favre** (*resolution 13*) whose biography follows
- Full details of the Directors proposed for renewal or appointment are given in the 2023 Universal Registration Document (Chapter 4 Corporate governance Section 4.1)



#### **Resume of Laurent Favre - Director candidate**

- 52 years old
- French national

#### **Laurent Favre**

Laurent Favre has an engineering degree from the École Supérieure des Techniques Aéronautiques et de Construction Automobile (ESTACA).

He began his career in the automotive industry, in Liechtenstein. For more than 20 years he has held various positions of responsibility with German automotive equipment manufacturers such as ThyssenKrupp (steering systems), ZF (gearboxes and steering columns) and Benteler (structural components), where he was Chief Executive Officer of the Automotive Division.

Laurent Favre is the Chief Executive Officer of OPmobility (formerly Plastic Omnium).



#### The new Board of Directors

Composition of the Board of Directors following the Shareholders' General Meeting, subject to approval of the resolutions submitted to the vote

| Patrick Kron                     | Director and Chairman of the Board  | Independent director             |
|----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Stéphanie Besnier                | Director and Member of the Audit Committee, Appointments Committee and Compensation Committee                                       | Independent director             |
| Bernard Delpit                   | Director and Member of the Strategy and Sustainability Committee  | Non-independent director         |
| Laurent Favre                    | Director and Member of the Strategy and Sustainability Committee  | Independent director             |
| lan Gallienne                    | Director, Chairman of the Strategy and Sustainability Committee and Member of the Appointments Committee and Compensation Committee | Non-independent director         |
| Paris Kyriacopoulos              | Director and Member of the Strategy and Sustainability Committee  | Non-independent director         |
| Annette Messemer                 | Director, Chair of the Appointments Committee and Compensation Committee and Member of the Strategy and Sustainability Committee    | Independent director             |
| Laurent Raets                    | Director and Member of the Audit Committee  | Non-independent director         |
| Lucile Ribot                     | Director and Chair of the Audit Committee   | Independent director             |
| Véronique Saubot                 | Director and Member of the Strategy and Sustainability Committee and Audit Committee and ESG Referent Director                      | Independent director             |
| Dominique Morin                  | Director and Member of the Compensation Committee   | Employee representative director |
| Carlos Pérez Manuel<br>Fernandes | Director  | Employee representative director |
| Rein Dirkx                       | Non-voting observer   | -                                |
|                                  |   |                                  |

- → 10 directors (excluding employee representative directors), with:
  - 4 women / 6 men, i.e. 40% of women sit on the Board
  - 6 independent directors, i.e. 60% of the Board members





# Certification of sustainability information



### **Resolution 14 to 15: Certification of sustainability information**

- In accordance with applicable regulations, are submitted to the vote the appointments of **Deloitte & Associés** and **PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit** as Auditors:
  - <u>assignment</u>: certification of sustainability information as from the 2024 financial year
  - <u>term of office</u>: 4 years, i.e. until the close of the Annual General Meeting 2028 convened to approve the financial statements for fiscal 2027, in line with the duration of their mandates for certifying financial statements
  - <u>appointment proposed</u> at the General Meeting by the Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, following a call for tenders





# **Share buyback program**



#### **Resolution 16: Share buyback program**

- Proposal to renew the share buyback program, on identical terms to the current program:
  - Objectives of the share buyback program:
    - → subsequent cancellation of shares purchased
    - → implementation and coverage of stock purchase option plans and/or free share grants
    - participation in employee share schemes
    - → grant or exchange of shares purchased on exercise of rights or issue of shares or securities carrying rights to Imerys shares
    - maintain the liquidity of the market as part of the liquidity agreement
    - → hold the purchased shares before using them at a later date as payment for or in consideration of external growth operations
    - any other authorized purpose
  - Conditions and implementation restrictions:
    - → Duration: 18 months
    - → Quantum:
      - purchase up to 10% of the Company's outstanding share capital at January 1, 2023 (i.e. 8,494,095 shares) (or 5% of such share capital if the shares are acquired by the Company with a view to holding before using them at a later date as payment for or in consideration of a merger, demerger or contribution)
      - holding of treasury shares up to 10% of the share capital
    - → Purchase price: may not exceed €85 per share, representing a maximum total investment of €721,998,075





# **Statutory Auditors' Reports**

**Cédric Hasser** - Signatory Partner, PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit

On behalf of the Company' Statutory Auditors



#### **Statutory Auditors' 2023 Reports**

Report on the consolidated financial statements: certification without qualification

#### Key audit matters:

- Measurement of the recoverable amount of goodwill
- Valuation of provisions for the industrial sites dismantling and mining sites restoration
- Assessment of the financial impacts relating to the talc litigation
- Report on the statutory financial statements: certification without qualification

#### **Key audit matters:**

Valuation of equity interests

#### Information given in the management report and in the other Documents Addressed to Shareholders

- No matters to report as to the fair presentation and the conformity with the financial statements of the information given in this report
- → This information is provided in the Universal Registration 2023 document (p. 335 to 343)
- Verification report on the consolidated declaration of non-financial performance
  - Absence of any material anomaly with regard to the conformity of the declaration or the accuracy of the information
  - → This information is provided in the Universal Registration 2023 document (p. 148 à 150)



### **Special report on related party agreements**

- Agreements submitted for the approval of Shareholders
  - no agreement authorized and concluded during 2023
- Agreements already submitted and approved by the Shareholders
  - no agreement authorized, concluded and previously approved and whose implementation continued in 2023

→ This information is provided in the Universal Registration 2023 document (p. 344)





# **Questions and answers**

Patrick Kron – Chairman of the Board of Directors

Alessandro Dazza – Chief Executive Officer

Marie-Françoise Walbaum – Chair of the Appointments and Compensation Committees

**Sébastien Rouge** – Chief Financial Officer

**Emmanuelle Vaudoyer** – Group General Counsel & Secretary to the Board





# Vote of the resolutions

**Emmanuelle Vaudoyer** – Group General Counsel & Secretary to the Board



Approval of the Company's management and statutory financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023





Approval of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023





Appropriation of profit and setting the dividend with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023





Statutory Auditors' special report governed by article L. 225-40 of the French Commercial Code





Approval of the compensation policy applicable to the Chairman of the Board of Directors with respect to the year ended December 31, 2024





Approval of the compensation policy applicable to the Chief Executive Officer with respect to the year ended December 31, 2024





Approval of the compensation policy applicable to members of the Board of Directors with respect to the year ended December 31, 2024





Approval of the information relating to the compensation of corporate officers with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023, presented in article L. 22-10-9 I of the French Commercial Code





Approval of the fixed, variable and exceptional components of the total compensation and benefits paid or granted to the Chairman of the Board of Directors with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023





Approval of the fixed, variable and exceptional components of the total compensation and benefits paid or granted to the Chief Executive Officer with respect to the year ended December 31, 2023





Re-appointment of Patrick Kron as a director





Re-appointment of Paris Kyriacopoulos as a director





Appointment of Laurent Favre as new director





Appointment of Deloitte & Associés as Statutory Auditor to certify the sustainability information





Appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit as Statutory Auditor to certify the sustainability information





**Purchase by the Company of its own shares** 





## Powers to carry out formalities





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# **New resolution A**





# **New resolution B**





# **New resolution C**





# **New resolution D**





# **New resolution E**



