



## PRESS RELEASE

## Nearly HUF 3 billion in green investments by the AutoWallis Group

Budapest, September 27, 2023 – The AutoWallis Green Finance Committee has prepared its annual Green Bond Allocation and Impact Report on the use and environmental impact of the revenue received from the HUF 6.6 billion in green bonds issued by the company two years ago. The company, committed to sustainable operations, has carried out green investment projects totaling almost HUF 3 billion, with more in the pipeline and under preparation.

One of the main objectives of the AutoWallis Group's growth strategy is the implementation of sustainable green projects, in the interest of which it was the first company listed in the Prime Category of the Budapest Stock Exchange to develop a Green Finance Framework. The recently published AutoWallis Green Bond Allocation and Impact Report shows that the company has issued a total of HUF 6.6 billion in green bonds as part of the Growth Credit Programme (NKP) launched by the National Bank of Hungary, which amount it has used to carry out a number of green investments, with others currently under preparation and planning. These include the Jaguar and Land Rover dealership and service center in Budapest completed 2 years ago and the Sixt technical base in Vecsés that opened last year. Regarding the publication of the report, AutoWallis Plc. Investor Relations & ESG Director Gábor Székely explained that AutoWallis is committed not only to greening investments but also to focusing on sustainable operations and increasing the environmental awareness of its services, an important milestone of which was the recently announced acquisition of the Share Now car sharing company. He also added that they are continuously searching for projects that can further improve the energy efficiency of their existing real estate portfolio. To this end, energy audits of these properties are being prepared, backing ongoing decisions on new investments to support energy efficient operations.

## AutoWallis Group

The AutoWallis Group, a company listed in the Prime category of the Budapest Stock Exchange, as well as in the BUX and BUMIX indices, aims to become a major vehicle trading company and mobility service provider in the Central and Eastern European region by the end of the decade. It is important for the company to continuously expand its automotive industry investment-focused portfolio through acquisitions and to operate as a group with traditional, conservative, and ESG-compliant values and a business policy sensitive to social and environmental challenges. The AutoWallis group is present in 15 countries of the Central and Eastern European region (Albania, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Kosovo, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia), where it is engaged in the retail and wholesale of vehicles, parts, and accessories, in repair and maintenance services, as well as in short- and long-term vehicle rentals. The Group's Distribution Business Unit represents the Alpine, Dacia, Isuzu, Jaguar, Land Rover, Saab parts, Renault, SsangYong, and Opel brands, and the brands represented by its Retail & Services Business Unit include BMW passenger cars and motorcycles, Dacia, Isuzu, Jaguar, KIA, Land Rover, Maserati, MINI, Nissan, Opel, Peugeot, Renault, SsangYong, Suzuki, Toyota, Share Now and Sixt rent-a-car. AutoWallis is the two-time recipient of the "Share Capital Increase of the Year" award at Best of BSE Award Galas (2020, 2021). www.autowallis.com www.facebook.com/AutoWallis



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