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#### **INSIDE INFORMATION**

Prisa has entered into a lock-up agreement (the "**Lock-up Agreement**") which contains a term sheet that sets out, among other aspects, the essential terms on which the group's syndicated financial debt will be restructured.

The agreement, negotiated with a representative group of its main financial creditors, concerns the debt arising from the syndicated facility agreement currently totalling €1,148m, dated 11 December 2013 (as amended on various occasions since then), that will be totally restructured in the coming months (the "**Restructuring**").

The Lock-up Agreement came into effect in respect of the banks that signed or acceded to it, which represent 79.7% of the syndicated indebtedness to be restructured. Following this, the Company will seek support for the Lock-up Agreement from the rest of the creditors (including the senior-ranking debt), or at least the minimum number needed to ensure that the arrangement can be implemented in terms that are binding for all creditors.

The terms of the Restructuring were also unanimously approved at the Company board meeting held yesterday, 18 October 2020.

The basic terms of the Restructuring consist in: (i) partial repayment of the debt to be restructured in an amount of €400 million; (ii) a significant time extension for the maturity of the remaining financial debt, until 2025; and (iii) adaptation of the financial conditions of the debt to the group's new position in terms of generating cash. On top of these essential terms, the agreed Restructuring allows Prisa to incur further senior-ranking debt to strengthen its liquidity position in the future, and to complete certain actions of business reorganisation. Finally, the basic terms include a relaxation of certain financial covenants and Prisa's commitment to achieving a leverage cap in December 2023.

The agreed Restructuring will therefore make the Group's financial indebtedness more flexible and give it a financial structure that allows the Group to fulfil its financial commitments, ensuring the Group's stability in the short and medium term.

The Restructuring is conditional on successfully completing the selling of certain Santillana K-12 and pre K-12 business assets in Spain. The Restructuring also needs to be binding on all creditors owed the financial debt to be restructured. In the event, therefore, that it is not possible to get those creditors' full support for the arrangement, the Company will take legal

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or judicial action to enable it to take effect generally. In view of the law applicable to this debt, an English-law scheme of arrangement is foreseen as the possible procedure for this.

A presentation on Restructuring is attached.

Madrid, 19 October 2020

Xavier Pujol Tobeña Board and General Secretary



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### **Debt refinancing agreement**



- Lock-up Agreement with the majority of Prisa's financing entities to amend and extend the current financial facilities
- Key agreed terms:
  - Extension of maturities until 2025
  - €400m repayment of existing syndicated loan
  - Increased Super Senior capacity. New liquidity line of c. €110m
  - Variable margin starting @ 5.5%. All-in average cost of c.7%
- Lock-up Agreement already approved by 79.7% of lenders to be processed by means of a Scheme of Arrangements if not approved by unanimity and expected to enter into force by H1 2021
- New financing package allowing management team to fully focus on business performance and operational excellence



### **Disposal of Santillana Spain**



- Agreement with Sanoma Corporation to sell Santillana's business in Spain
- Enterprise Value of €465m
  - Implied multiple of 9.6x through the cycle EV / EBITDA<sup>1</sup> above the key precedent comparable transactions
- 100% cash consideration after deducting the net debt as of 30 June of €53m<sup>2</sup>
- Strong strategic rationale:
  - Allows Santillana to fully focus in LatAm, the market with the highest growth and value potential
  - Enables to achieve a long term and more sustainable capital structure
- Transaction subject Prisa's GSM approval, antitrust clearance in Spain and implementation of refinancing
  - Expected closing in H1 2021



#### **Future roadmap**



- The combination of both transactions represents a significant step forward in the Company's strategic roadmap, allowing Management to fully focus on the execution of the Company's strategy:
  - Unlock value embedded in its Ed-tech business in LatAm, with particular focus on subscription model
  - Reinforce the digital offering and the subscription model of its Media business

Based on an average EBITDA of €48.7m between 2017 and 2019

Based on a locked-box mechanism as of June 2020





Maturity

**Extension of debt maturity until March 2025** 

Syndicated Debt repayment

€400m prepayment of Syndicated Senior Debt primarily funded through proceeds from disposals of Santillana Spain and Media Capital

Financial covenant

Commitment to reduce net leverage below 4.25x in September 2023

**Debt margin** 

Variable margin starting @ 5.5%. All-in average cost of c.7%

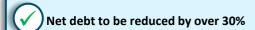
**Additional liquidity** 

Incremental super senior basket capacity of c. €110m

Refinancing process

Lock-up Agreement already approved by 79.7% of lenders to be processed by means of a Scheme of Arrangements, if not approved by unanimity, and expected to enter into force by H1 2021

### Long term and sustainable capital structure



Longer term maturities alleviating current financial constrains

Over €275m¹ of consolidated cash balances / RCF lines for liquidity needs and the development of the company's roadmap

Enables to continue executing Prisa's Roadmap of differentiated businesses: Education and Media



### **Description**

### Disposal of Santillana Spain business to Sanoma Corporation

## Price consideration

### Enterprise Value of €465m

 Implied through the cycle EV / EBITDA of 9.6x¹ above the key precedent comparable transactions in the education sector

### **Payment**

### Consideration at closing to be fully paid in cash

Net debt as of 30 June of €53m to be deducted from final consideration<sup>2</sup>

## Transaction rationale

Allows Santillana to fully focus in LatAm, the market with the highest growth and value potential Enables to achieve a long term and more sustainable capital structure

## Transaction financial impacts

- Deconsolidation of Santillana Spain business
- Estimated capital gain of c. €385m at consolidated level

# Condition precedents

### Prisa's GSM approval, antitrust clearance in Spain and implementation of refinancing

- Anti-trust risk between signing and closing assumed by Sanoma

#### **Timetable**

Completion expected by H1 2021

Based on an average EBITDA of €48.7m between 2017 and 2019

<sup>2.</sup> Based on a locked-box mechanism as of June 2020. Pre carve-out and transaction costs









subscription models

Focus on market share improvements in key countries in Private LatAm **Education** 

Maximisation of results in LatAm public markets

Media business to capture growth in the future

Acceleration of the subscription model and digital transition in Media

Consolidation of audiences, leveraging on Brand Portfolio strength

- Average monthly figures
- As of September 2020
- Proforma for the sale of Santillana Spain. Excludes corporate and others

### Santillana at a glance Ed-Tech Pan-LatAm platform suited for growth and value creation





Sole Pan-LatAm Platform with presence throughout the large and growing LatAm (private K-12 market of 18 million students)



Scalable technological platform ready to benefit from the acceleration of digital transformation as a result of COVID-19



+1.7M students under subscription models with c.25% YoY growth



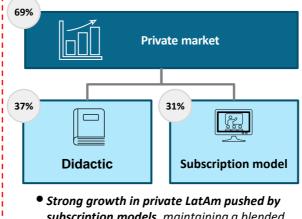
Leading positions in private and public markets across geographies



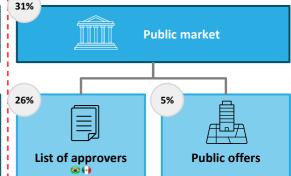
**Unparalleled distribution network** of c. 1,800 sales representatives with broad experience and specialization







- subscription models, maintaining a blended value proposition with greater relevance of digital components
- Migration of students from didactic business to subscription models
- Market share capture in key markets



 Maximisation of results in LatAm public markets, for Central Government programs, as well as State, Regional and Local Governments, preparing the path to changes toward a greater relevance of digitalization

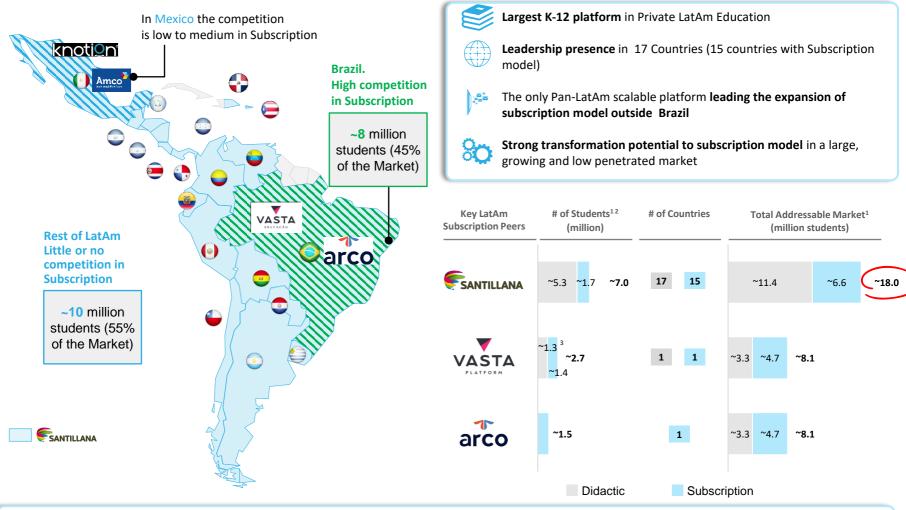
% of Group Proforma<sup>1</sup> Revenue LTM Q1'20

Best-in-class Pan-LatAm platform with a full focus on crystallizing value in growing education market segments

## Santillana within the Private LatAm Market



Irreplicable position to accelerate subscription model transformation in a promising market



Santillana is the only player with a Pan-LatAm platform that is present in all LatAm countries and that is expanding the subscription model outside Brazil, benefiting from a larger and less penetrated addressable market

Source: Companies information

Number of didactic students for Q12020 as per Vasta IPO prospectus

Subscription model students are exclusive students of one education provider. Didactic students can be supplied by the different education providers with different degrees of penetration from one book to the complete curriculum

## Santillana Private strategic priorities



~3.2m

~0.7m

~11.4m

~6.6m

~1.9m

~0.4m

~5.3m

~1.7m

**Didactic** 

**Subscription** 

**Didactic** 

**Subscription** 



1 Undisputable leadership across countries with room to further capture market share							2 Leading the transition into profitable subscription model with a proven track-record of growth										
			Addressable Market <sup>1</sup> (m students)	Santillana <sup>1 2</sup> (m students)	Market Share (%)		#Students (k) CAGR 11' - Q1 20': 60%			s in the Subs		scriptio 32,3%	n <b>Mod</b> e	<b>el</b> 40,2%	45.6% <b>—</b>		
	Brazil (~8.0m Students)	Didactic	~3.3m	~1.3m	22% (2)	<b>-</b>		4,5%	16,0%	26,7%	_	<b>964</b> 687	1.234	1.434	1.716		
		Subscription	~4.7m	~0.6m	13% (3)		n.a.	4,5%	436	628	835		872	1.007	1.126		
	Mexico (~3.2m Students)	Didactic	~2.7m	~0.7m	15% 1		<b>56</b> 56	<b>123</b> 43 80	271 165	419 209	<ul><li>577</li><li>258</li></ul>	277	362	427	590		
		Subscription	~0.5m	~0.2m	49% 1		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2018	2019	Q1 2020		
	Colombia (~1.8m Students)	Didactic	~1.2m	~0.8m	37% 1		# Rest of LatAm Students (k) # Brazil Students (k)										
		Subscription	~0.6m	~0.5m	80% 1		Subscription model ensures attractive economics										
	Peru (~1.1m Students)	Didactic	~1.0m	~0.6m	33% 1	1											
		Subscription	~0.1m	~0.1m	60% 1			sed Avera per Stude aber vs. die	nt	Elimination of double use/no use practices			Higher Profitability (c. 30% EBITDA margin)				
					(>		(Higher vs. didactic)										

Clear proposition to accelerate our growth and leadership in Private LatAm with a full focus on the attractive and profitable subscription model

High Visibility of

Earnings:

long term contracts

of 3-4 years with schools

**Higher Contact and** 

Knowledge of

Final Client

(>90% renewal rate)

Source: Company information

Rest of LatAm

(~3.9m Students)

**Total** 

(~18.0 m Students) 57% 1

24% 1

30%

**Fully Invested Digital** 

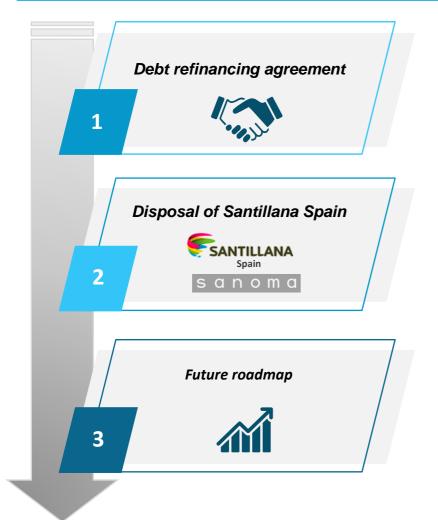
**Platform** 

<sup>.</sup> Figures as of June 2020

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### **Key Takeaways**





- ✓ Net debt to be reduced by over 30%
- ✓ Extension of maturities until 2025
- Sufficient liquidity for executing future roadmap
- ✓ Allows Santillana to fully focus in LatAm
- Enables achieving a more sustainable capital structure
- **✓** Attractive exit multiple at the right time for Prisa
- ✓ Differentiated management of the businesses
- ✓ Santillana: Unlock value embedded in LatAm Ed-tech, with particular focus on subscription model
- Media: Reinforcement of the digital offering and the subscription model

Building the pillars of Prisa's future



## Santillana Spain and Sanoma Corporation overview





Founded in 1960, Santillana Spain is the largest provider of learning materials, primarily textbooks, for primary and secondary education in Spain (K-12)

- Strong position thanks to its content quality, its proactive approach with teachers and its digital capabilities
- Primarily focused on Standard Education (textbooks) and with an increasing presence in Languages and children's literature
- In 2019, a peak-year in the education cycle, Santillana Spain reported sales of €128m

### sanoma

Founded 130 years ago as an independent News Media
Company. Sanoma is an innovative and agile learning and media
company listed at Helsinki Nasdaq

- Sanoma Learning is a growing European education company with presence in 11 countries through a portfolio of modern, blended course materials in primary, secondary and vocational education (K-12)
- Sanoma Media Finland is the leading media company in Finland, reaching 97% of all Finns weekly through multiple media platforms

## Subscription model product offering



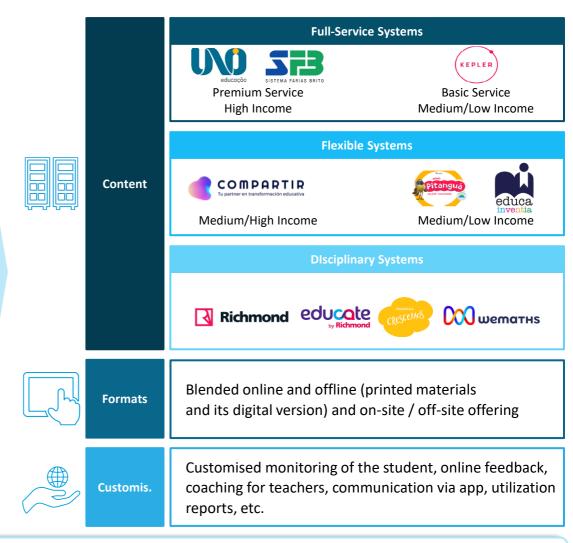


Santillana has a complete portfolio of **10 brands in the subscription model** ...

... enabling the company
to adapt its strategy
for client capture and development
in each country and competitive
environment

Fully digital blended offering to benefit from

... COVID-19 acceleration of technology adoption and penetration of technological platforms at schools



Extensive digital offering covering all segments and methodologies optimally positioned to benefit from the acceleration of the K-12 technology in LatAm



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