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Sustainable logistics for a world in motion

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#### Risks related to the Group and the market in which it operates

- Risks related to the recent outbreak of Covid-19
- Risk related to change in production patterns
- Risks relating to the industry
- Risk related to competition
- Geopolitical risk
- Risks related to piracy, armed robbery, hijackings and kidnapping ("PAHK")
- Environmental risk
- Incidents involving significant damage, loss or environmental contamination
- Risks related to customer contracts
- Risks related to disputes and litigation and anti-trust

#### Financial risks related to the group

- Currency risk
- Interest rate risk
- Restrictive covenants in the Issuer's secured loan facilities and the bond terms, financial and other restrictions
- Liquidity risk
- Credit risk
- Bunkers price risk

#### Risks related to the Bonds and the Bond Issue

- The Bonds may not be a suitable investment for all investors
- Risk of being unable to repay the Bonds
- The Bonds are effectively subordinated to the secured debt of the Issuer
- The Bonds will be unsecured obligations and structurally subordinated to the liabilities of any of the Group's subsidiaries

## Summary of risk factors (II/II)

Risks related to the Bonds and the Bond Issue (continued)

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- The trading price of the Bonds may be volatile
- Risks related to the market for the Bonds
- The Bond Terms will allow for modification of the Bonds or waivers or authorizations of breaches and substitution of the Issuer which, in certain circumstances, may be affected without the consent of bondholders.

## Investment highlights



**Global market leader in the vehicle logistics segment** 



Diversified business model with both Ocean and Landbased logistics



Diversified and solid customer base with long-term contracts



Historically resilient free cash flow mainly applied towards reducing debt



Proven track record of efficiently adjusting costs to volume development



Highly experienced management team



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## Wallenius and Wilhelmsen – a history of innovation and adaptation



## A fully integrated service provider throughout the lifecycle

### VALUE CHAIN AND PRODUCT OFFERING



### **KEY FACTS AND FIGURES**



BREAKBULK

## Ocean segment benefits from a diversified customer portfolio with longterm contracts

### CARGO SEGMENTS



- Majority of volumes from auto
- High & heavy ("H&H") and breakbulk maximize cubic utilization
- Unique handling capabilities for high & heavy and breakbulk
- Main customers include all major original equipment manufacturers ("OEMs") globally
- Contract duration is typically 1-3 years for auto and 3-5 years for H&H
- Strong customer relationships with long history with many key customers

BUBABU

The clear market leader and the #1 operator globally for the Ocean segment Four decades of leading the High & Heavy space

### **CURRENT FLEET BY OPERATOR GROUP**



### **FLEET CHARACTERISTICS**



1) Car equivalent units, a standardized capacity measurement unit

## Broad landbased services portfolio, with extensive and growing footprint



## Sustainable Logistics for a world in motion

An agile approach to creating and taking opportunities



- Syngin on-line vehicle insurance and fleet management platform
- Keen aquisition to build EPC logistics and processing capabilities
- 100 MUSD efficiency program delivering real cost savings through rationalising sailings, improved hull cleaning and digitalising vessels to optimise vessel performance
- wPCTC vessel concept designs ready by 2022
- Zero emission deep-sea vessel at sea by 2030
- Vessel optimization
- Part of the Getting to Zero Coalition

- iToms visibility and event management system
- Digitalisation of the ocean fleet
- Drone surveys for yards
- AI photo quality checks

## What is good for the environment is also good for business



Extensive sustainability reporting in place, prepared and disclosed in accordance with the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) standard, committed to report in accordance with the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD), and is in the process of finalising a new of a new corporate Sustainability Management System, including setting up short and long-term targets for all material ESG aspects<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> For more on Wallenius Wilhelmsen's sustainability initiatives and disclosures, please see the Sustainability Report: <u>https://www.walleniuswilhelmsen.com/storage/downloads/Wallenius-Wilhelmsen-Sustainability-Report-2019.pdf</u>

## Continued focus on driving sustainability – a journey to zero



20 years of responsible recycling, to the benefit of workers' health and safety, and the environment



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## Highlights second quarter 2020

- Adjusted EBITDA of USD 104 million, volumes and income for the group highly impacted by impact of Covid-19 pandemic
- Earnings balanced by effective cost control, higher net freight per CBM and low net bunker costs
- Ocean volume declined 45% y-o-y, but decisive action to adjust fleet capacity and reduce costs contributed to bolster earnings
- Performance in Landbased fell as a result of lower volumes, strongly impacted by OEM plant closures and production cutbacks
- USD 539 million in cash, up from USD 451 at end of first quarter, supported by measures put in place to protect and strengthen cash flow
- Provisions increased by USD 55 million related to updated estimates of customer claims related to the antitrust case

### Ocean volumes declined 45% y-o-y in the second quarter Largest decline for Auto

VOLUME AND CARGO MIX DEVELOPMENT<sup>1,2</sup>



### COMMENTS

- Unprorated (loaded) volumes down 50% y-o-y, while prorated volumes benefitted from a relatively strong March and were down 45% y-o-y
- Impact from Covid-19 driving volume development
- High & heavy share 40.3%
- Auto volumes relatively more affected, down 57% vs H&H down 34% (unprorated)

1) Total volume based on prorated volume (WW Ocean, EUKOR, ARC and Armacup)

2) H&H share calculated based on unprorated volumes. Nominal volume for auto and H&H calculated as total prorated volume x unprorated auto share and total prorated volume x unprorated H&H share, respectively

## Managing costs

Measures underway with up to USD 210 million impact on cash in 2020

### Sticky revenue base

- Rates are fixed for the contract period, but no volume minimum
- Inland distribution and technical services typically depend on factory throughput, and terminals on ocean volumes
- The anti-cyclical storage business may experience higher volumes



Revenues depend on volume, while rates are more sticky through longterm contracts...

### Low operational leverage

- Variable costs within ocean transportation consist of cargo, bunker and voyage expenses
- Ship operating and charter expenses considered short-term fixed, and will move in steps, dependent on number of vessels operated



...large share of costs are variable short-term, even more in a longer perspective...

### Flexibility to adapt quickly

- Adjustment of speed and sailing schedules and idling of vessels
- Redelivery of chartered vessels
- Cold lay-up and defer dry-docking
- Early recycling of vessels

OPEX

CAPEX

- Employee furloughs and salary cuts
- Reduce CAPEX to critical maintenance and dockings
- Cancellation of nine scrubber installations
- Reduce CAPEX to critical maintenance, delay growth CAPEX

...enabling Wallenius Wilhelmsen to adapt to changing volumes, as demonstrated.

## Managing capacity

Adjusting our fleet to meet demand

### RECYCLING

- 1 vessel recycled in Q2
- 1 vessel to be recycled in Q3
- 2 vessels to be recycled in Q4

### **COLD LAYUP**

- 15 vessels in cold layup in Norway and Malaysia currently
- Additional 5 vessels under evaluation

### REDELIVERY

- 2020: 7 vessels redelivered
- 2021: 3 redelivery candidates
- 2022: 4 redelivery candidates

### FLEET DEVELOPMENT – VESSELS IN OPERATION





## ARC wins GHC contract with TRANSCOM

- Announced 30 April 2020
- Revenues of more than USD 2.0 billion per year as of 2022
- Margins for first 24 months in range 0-2%, improving over time
- Expected to run for over nine years, if all options and awards are exercised
- Covers ca 400 000 domestic and international shipments of household goods per year
- ARC is the primary contract holder, and will work with leaders in the moving, logistics, and technology industries
  - Deloitte, UniGroup, Atlas World Group, Suddath, and The Pasha Group
- Unsuccessful bidders have filed protests against the award, the first protest was rejected and a second protest has been lodged. Such protests are not uncommon for government awarded contracts and we are confident that TRANSCOM have run a thorough and professional process





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**ADJUSTED EBITDA** 

## Group consolidated results

TOTAL INCOME



### **COMMENTS**

- FY2019 adj. EBITDA of USD 837m, up from 2018 despite 6% y-o-y decline in Ocean volume which was more than offset by significant increase in profitability as a result of higher net freight per CBM and operational efficiencies
- Q2 2020 adjusted EBITDA of USD 104 million, impacted by lower volumes in both Ocean and Landbased
  - Adjusted EBITDA of USD 2m and USD 104m respectively, for the Landbased and Ocean segment
- Drop in revenues was partly countered by favourable cargo mix, effective cost control and low net bunker cost

# Historically resilient free cash flow generation, mainly applied towards reducing debt



### FREE CASH FLOW<sup>1,2</sup>



### NET DEBT REPAYMENT (DEBT UPTAKE LESS DEBT REPAYMENT)<sup>2</sup>

**o** 1 Free cash flow defined as Net cash flow from operating activities less Investments in vessels, other tangible and intangible assets, less Interest paid including interest derivatives.

2 Note that free cash flow is positively impacted by the implementation of IFRS16 from January 2019 as lease payments previously classified as operating expenses will be reclassified as interest expense and repayment of debt

## Solid balance sheet and strong liquidity position

### COMMENTS

- Equity ratio 34.4%
- Net debt at USD 3.4bn
- Provisions increased by USD 55 million in Q2 related to updated estimates of customer claims
- Cash increased USD 88m this quarter, of which USD 22m of cash savings linked to deferral / cancellation of capex



### LIQUIDITY POSITION 30.06.2020



Access to broad range of capital sources. Support secured from banks to manage through covid-19 impact

### COMMENTS

- Supportive and diverse group of lenders
- To ensure sufficient liquidity buffer, lenders to WW Ocean have agreed to instalment holiday for bank facilities for the second half of 2020 (approx. USD 70m)
- Additional funding of approx. USD 45m secured for EUKOR

### **GROUP NIBD 30.06.20**



### **MATURITY PROFILE**



## Financing and covenants primarily on business unit level





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## Deep sea share stable despite significant sales drop in 2020 caused by Covid19

### **Global LV markets update**



### LV Sales

IHS Markit assume 2020 global LV sales set at 70.1m for 2020, down 22% with downgrades across all major regions, and forecasts have stabilized since end April



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### Supply

Temporary plant closures took place globally. Recovery seems to take a while as a stop-start rhythm prevents efficiency, slow bands and tricky new health protocols



#### **Deepsea trade**

IHS Markit assume deepsea volume to see decline from 14.9m in 2019 to 11.4m in 2020, equal to a drop of 23%, however recover quicker than domestic produced volume



### Demand

Uncertainty to how fast consumers will turn back to dealers, governmental stimulus such as tax breaks, "cash-for -clunkers" e.g. might contribute to rebound



## Production dropped more than sales during Q2 and expected to catch up

Global LV sales and production <u>quarterly</u> walk, 2020 and 2021 figures compared to 2019



Source: IHS Markit / Market Insight Wallenius Wilhelmsen

## H&H sales expected to rebound in 2021-22 after a sharp decline in 2020

### **GLOBAL H&H MARKETS UPDATE**

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### MACHINE UTILIZATION UP

Machine utilization across North America and Europe rebounded towards the end of Q2, as construction sites were gradually reopened



### ADJUSTING TO A «NEW REALITY»

Several OEMs have lowered production levels due to softer demand and dealer inventory destocking



#### GOVERNMENT STIMULUS

Stimulus packages aimed at reinvigorating the construction industry and wider economy is expected to contribute to a faster recovery



#### **REBOUND ON THE HORIZON**

Bottom in global HH trade expected to be reached in Q2 '20, with a gradual recovery expected from Q3 '20 according to IHS Markit<sup>2</sup>

### OEM ANALYST CONSENSUS SALES ESTIMATES<sup>1</sup>



• Source: <sup>1</sup>Factset (04.08.20) | OEM Revenue Consensus Estimate (y-o-y). Construction: Volvo, Caterpillar, CNH, Komatsu, Hitachi, Deere, Terex, Doosan Infracore. Mining: Sandvik, Caterpillar, Hitachi, Epiroc. Agriculture: AGCO, CNH, Deere.

Sales in construction/mining/agriculture equipment divisions only <sup>2</sup>IHS Markit | Global Trade Atlas Forecasting (Base case), Global agriculture and construction machinery exports (Trade Value, Real 2015 USD)

## Deep sea fleet adjusting to the market situation

Increase in recycling



- 9 vessels recycled in the quarter, 15 so far this year
- No new orders and one delivery in the quarter
- Orderbook at 14 vessels\*



- Demand growth
  Net fleet growth
- Deep-sea shipments forecasted to decline significant in 2020 before picking up
- Increased recycling/scrapping and low order activity leads to a reduction of fleet in 2020 and forward
- Today around 20% of fleet is idling / laid up



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## Focus on employees, customers, and the future

We continue to manage what we can control and have a solid plan for working through these trying times





OPERATIONS

- Focus on safe return to normal for operations and offices
- Social distancing, safe infrastructure and processes, working from home, mental health & wellness

Ocean: Dynamic vessel scheduling to match volume demand, slow steaming, reduced sailings, idling

Supporting ship managers to enable safe crew changes



Working closely with customers to support immediate needs and forward expectations

Terminals & processing centres: Ramping up workforce and capacity to meet demand

- Long-term volume outlook remains uncertain
- Q3 volumes improvement over Q2, expected to be 25% below year on year



- Exploring new service opportunities arising from current market needs
- Leveraging digitalisation opportunities for efficiency and revenue expansion
- Adapting Long Term Strategy to take advantage of new market opportunities



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#### Risks related to the Group and the market in which it operates

#### Risks related to the recent outbreak of Covid-19

After the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic, the global economy has been experiencing a period of uncertainty. Authorities worldwide have adopted strict measures to reduce and slow its spread. These measures also impact global economic activity and the Group have experienced significant negative impact on the demand for both ocean transportation and landbased services. For instance, plant closures in Asia caused parts shortages, disrupting the inbound supply chain to vehicle production leading to lower output and less volumes shipped. This has added to an already expected volume reduction due to selective contracting and already softening sales of vehicles and high & heavy.

There are great uncertainties regarding the definite consequences of the Covid-19 outbreak, and should the effects of the pandemic on global economic activity continue, it may adversely affect the Group's revenue, operations, financial condition and business.

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### Risk factors (II/VII)

#### Risk related to change in production patterns

The geographical pattern of production and sales of cars and rolling equipment may change going forward, because of, inter alia, restructuring in the industries, growing protectionism and currency concerns. A potential shift in the balance between locally produced and exported cargo may affect the overall demand for ocean transportation, and could result in lower and less efficient utilisation of the Group's fleet. Shifts in production and sales may also result in lower and less utilisation of the Group's landbased logistics facilities and transportation networks, which in turn may have a material adverse effect on the business, results of operations, cash flows and the financial condition of the Group.

The Issuer cannot predict the future level of demand for its services or future conditions in the industries it serves.

#### Risks relating to the industry

Historically, the shipping industry has been highly cyclical, experiencing volatility in profitability and asset values. This has primarily been due to changes in the level and pattern of global economic growth, the highly competitive nature of the world of the shipping industry and changes in the supply of and demand for vessel capacity.

The Group's performance and growth depends heavily on the demand for deep-sea transportation of cars, high and heavy machinery and break bulk cargo, including US governmental cargo, supply of vessels built and old vessels recycled, converted to other uses or lost, as well as government and industry regulation of maritime transportation. An increase in the supply of vessels or other vessel capacity without a corresponding increase in demand for transportation could cause freight rates to decline. An oversupply of vessels that can cause pressure on rates may materially adversely affect Group's business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition.

#### Risk related to competition

The shipping and logistics industries in which the Group operates are highly competitive. The Group obtains employment for its vessels in competitive markets, where it encounters competition from owners and operators of roll-on roll-off vessels, large car and truck carriers ("**LCTCs**"), pure car and truck carriers ("**PCTCs**") and pure car carriers ("**PCCs**"), as well as by logistics services providers. The Group's logistics services providers operate in highly competitive markets in which they face competition from landbased transportation and logistics services companies, as well as international logistics service providers.

The competition in the markets where the Group operates may lead to reduced profitability and/or expansion opportunities and the Group's market share and competitive position in these markets may erode in the future. Any new markets that are entered into could include participants that have greater experience or financial strength than the Group, and it may thus not be successful in entering such new markets.

If any of these risks were to materialise, it may have a material adverse effect on the Group's business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition.

#### Geopolitical risk

The Group is active in a number of regions, which expose the Group to political, governmental and economic instability, which could in turn harm operations.

Changes in the legislative, political, governmental and economic framework in the regions in which the Group carries on business could have a material impact on the business. In particular, changing laws and policies affecting trade, investment and changes in tax regulations could have a materially adverse effect on the Group's revenues, profitability, cash flows and financial condition.

Risks related to piracy, armed robbery, hijackings and kidnapping ("PAHK")

Acts of piracy and armed robbery have historically occurred in areas where the Group has operated and there is a risk that acts of PAHK will continue to occur in these areas.

### Risk factors (III/VII)

#### Environmental risk

The activities of the Group are subject to environmental regulation pursuant to a variety of international conventions and state and municipal laws and regulations. Changes in regulations concerning emission of greenhouse gases is one such risk factor for the Issuer. Compliance with such regulations may require significant expenditures, and a breach may result in the imposition of fines and penalties, some of which may be material. Environmental legislation is evolving in a manner expected to result in stricter standards and enforcement, larger fines and liability and potentially increased capital expenditures and operating the Group's units or otherwise materially adversely affect its business, profitability, cash flows and financial condition.

#### Incidents involving significant damage, loss or environmental contamination

The Group's vessels work in harsh environments, and the Group also operates and/or manages/procures transportation of cargo by truck, rail and barge. The vessels and cargoes are at risk of being damaged or lost because of events such as marine disasters, human errors, bad weather conditions, war and terrorism, grounding, fire, explosions and collisions, and faulty constructions.

#### Risks related to customer contracts

There can be no assurance that the Group will be able to renew its existing customer contracts and/or establish additional customer agreements, or that any such future agreements will be on terms equally favourable to the Group as is currently the case. The Group's business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition may be materially adversely affected if it fails to continue its current agreements or establish new agreements on similar terms.

The Issuer's subsidiary American Roll-On Roll-Off Carrier Group Inc ("ARC") was awarded the multi-year Global Household Goods Contract ("GHC") on 30 April 2020 by United States Transportation Command ("TRANSCOM"). The government procurement process includes rights and routes for protest by unsuccessful bidders, and two unsuccessful parties have filed protests concerning the GHC award. If the protests are successful, there is a risk that the award of the GHC can be delayed or overturned.

#### Risks related to disputes and litigation and anti-trust

The Group operates in various legal and regulatory environments world-wide. The Group might because of this be involved in disputes and legal, administrative and governmental proceedings in Norway and other jurisdictions. Potential outcomes of such disputes and proceedings are subject to many uncertainties which can expose the Group to losses and liabilities. The final results of such disputes and proceedings may have a material adverse effect on the business, profitability, cash flows and financial condition of the Group. The operating entities WW Ocean and EUKOR have been part of authority anti-trust investigations in several jurisdictions since 2012. WW Ocean pleaded guilty to criminal charges in the US and paid a fine in USD 98.9 million. Administrative proceedings of anti-trust investigations have been resolved in Japan (WW Ocean fined USD 33 million), China (WW Ocean fined USD 7 million/ EUKOR USD 44 million), South Africa (WW Ocean fined USD 6.4 million/ EUKOR USD 0.98 million), Mexico (WW Ocean USD fined 4.2 million), Brazil (WW Ocean and EUKOR fined USD 9 million), EU Commission (WW Ocean and EUKOR fined USD 245 million), South Korea Administrative Proceedings (EUKOR fined USD 54,000) and Chile (EUKOR fined August 2020 in USD 8 million). Proceedings are still pending in Australia where WW Ocean have pleaded guilty to criminal charges against EUKOR in Peru and individual WW Ocean and EUKOR employees in Brazil. Wallenius Wilhelmsen expects these proceedings to be largely resolved by the end of 2020. There are civil claims pending in Canada, UK, and the US and the timeline for full and final resolution of these claims is more uncertain.

In the second quarter of 2020, the provisions set aside for antitrust claims were increased by USD 55 million. There is a risk of further civil claims which, in turn, may result in losses or liabilities or require further increase of provisions in the future.

### Risk factors (IV/VII)

#### Financial risks related to the Group

#### Currency risk

The reporting currency for the Group is USD. The Group is exposed to currency risk on revenues and expenses incurred (transaction risk) and balance sheet items (translation risk) in currencies other than USD, including CNY, EUR, GBP, JPY, KRW, NOK, SEK, as well as other currencies.

#### Interest rate risk

The Group's long-term debt is primarily based on floating interest rates, and the Group has entered into interest rate swaps to obtain a certain level of fixed rate exposure. Interest rate fluctuations will influence the level of interest expense payable on the floating rate debt. An increase in interest rates can therefore materially adversely affect the Group's financial results, cash flow and financial condition.

Interest rate fluctuations will also influence the fair value of its portfolio of financial derivatives and thereby its financial results. An increase in interest rates can therefore materially adversely affect the Group's financial condition.

#### Restrictive covenants in the Issuer's secured loan facilities and the bond terms, financial and other restrictions

The Group has a number of covenants related to its loans and other financial commitments. Similarly the bond terms (the "**Bond Terms**") will provide certain restrictions on the Group from certain actions. The restrictions in such terms and conditions may prevent the Group from taking actions that it believes would be in its best interest, and may make it difficult for the Group to execute its business strategy successfully or compete effectively with companies that are not similarly restricted. Furthermore, any additional debt financing, if available, may involve restrictive covenants. Failure to comply with financial and other covenants may result in increased financial costs, requirement for additional security or cancellation of loans, which in turn may have a material adverse effect on the Group's results of operations, cash flow and financial condition.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group may not be able to meet its liabilities as they fall due. The Group's policy on overall liquidity is to maintain a minimum liquidity to cover regular operating costs and serve as a cushion against temporary fall in revenues or unforeseen payments. The Group is actively using a system for planning and forecasting of cash flows in order to forecast long-term liquidity needs and to plan for the necessary financing to fund future operations and investments An insufficient liquidity position may have a material adverse effect on the operations and development of the Group, which in turn may have a material adverse effect on the Group's results of operations, cash flow and financial condition.

#### Credit risk

The Group routinely executes a large volume of transactions involving daily settlement of substantial amounts, many of which expose the Group to the risk of contractual default by a counterparty. Due to the current difficult market conditions and the Covid-19 pandemic, this risk has increased. The Group's profitability, cash flows and financial condition may be materially adversely effected, should its counterparties fail to meet their contractual obligations.

The Group's customer base consists of diverse customers with no single material source of credit risk. However, a downturn in financial markets and economic activity may result in a higher volume of late payments and outstanding receivables. Even though the Group routinely seeks to recover all outstanding receivables, the amounts of write-offs may increase and have a materially adverse effect on the results of operations, cash flow and financial condition of the Group.

## Risk factors (V/VII)

#### Bunkers price risk

The profitability and cash flow of the Group is influenced by the market price of bunker fuel, which is affected by numerous factors beyond the control of the Issuer. The price of fuel oil has historically been volatile. An increase in fuel prices may materially affect the Group's profitability and put pressure on the operating margins, particularly in periods with price increases, as there is a lagging effect in the bunker compensation mechanism in the Group's customer contracts. Thus, the market price of bunker fuel may have a material adverse effect on the business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition of the Group.

#### **Risks related to the Bonds and the Bond Issue**

The Bonds may not be a suitable investment for all investors

Each potential investor in the Bonds must determine the suitability of that investment in light of its own circumstances. In particular, each potential investor should:

have sufficient knowledge and experience to make a meaningful evaluation of the Bonds, the merits and risks of investing in the Bonds and the information contained in this Presentation or any applicable supplement;

have access to, and knowledge of, appropriate analytical tools to evaluate, in the context of its particular financial situation, an investment in the Bonds and the impact the Bonds will have on its overall investment portfolio;

have sufficient financial resources and liquidity to bear all of the risks of an investment in the Bonds;

understand thoroughly the terms of the Bonds; and

be able to evaluate (either alone or with the assistance of a financial adviser) possible scenarios for economic, interest rate and other factors that may affect its investment and its ability to bear the applicable risks.

#### Risk of being unable to repay the Bonds

During the lifetime of the Bonds, the Group will be required to make payments on the Bonds. The Issuer is dependent upon its and its subsidiaries' ability to generate cash flow from operations and to make distributions to the Issuer in order for the Issuer to make scheduled payments on the indebtedness, including the Bonds.

The future financial performance of the Group will be affected by a range of economic, competitive, governmental, operating and other business factors, many of which cannot be controlled, such as general economic and financial conditions in the business or the economy at large. A significant reduction in operating cash flows resulting from changes in economic conditions, increased competition or other events could increase the need for additional or alternative sources of liquidity and could have a material adverse effect on the business, financial condition or results of operations, as well as the Group's ability to service its debt, including the Bonds, and other obligations.

If the Group is unable to service its indebtedness, it will be forced to adopt an alternative strategy that may include actions such as reducing or delaying capital expenditures, selling assets, restructuring or refinancing indebtedness or seeking equity capital. The Group cannot assure investors that any of these alternative strategies could be effected on satisfactory terms, if at all, or that they would yield sufficient funds to make required payments on the Bonds and the Issuer's other indebtedness. In addition, any failure to make scheduled payments of interest and principal on outstanding indebtedness is likely to result in a reduction of credit rating, which could harm the ability to incur additional indebtedness on acceptable terms.

### Risk factors (VI/VII)

#### The Bonds are effectively subordinated to the secured debt of the Issuer

The Bonds will be the Issuer's direct senior unsecured obligations and will rank equal in right of payment (except as to claims preferred by operation of law) with all of its other existing and future senior indebtedness. The Bonds will be effectively subordinated to all of the Issuer's existing and future secured indebtedness to the extent of the assets securing such indebtedness. If the Issuer is involved in any bankruptcy, dissolution, liquidation or reorganization, the secured debt holders would, to the extent of the value of the assets securing the secured debt, be paid before the holders of the Bonds. In that event, a holder of Bonds may not be able to recover any principal or interest due to it under the Bonds.

#### The Bonds will be unsecured obligations and structurally subordinated to the liabilities of any of the Group's subsidiaries

Generally, creditors under indebtedness and trade creditors of the Issuer's subsidiaries will be entitled to payments of their claims from the assets of such subsidiaries before these assets are made available for distribution to the Issuer, as a direct or indirect shareholder. Accordingly, in the event that any of the Group's subsidiaries becomes subject to any foreclosure, dissolution, winding-up, liquidation, recapitalisation, administrative or other bankruptcy or insolvency proceeding, the Issuer's creditors (including the holders of the Bonds) will have no right to proceed against the assets of any such subsidiary, and creditors of the Group's subsidiaries, including financial indebtedness and trade creditors, will generally be entitled to payment in full from the sale or other disposal of the assets of such subsidiary before the Issuer, as a direct or indirect shareholder, will be entitled to receive any distributions from such subsidiary.

#### The Bonds will be structurally subordinated to the liabilities of the Issuer's subsidiaries

Generally, claims of creditors of a subsidiary, including lenders under indebtedness that has been guaranteed by that subsidiary and trade creditors of that subsidiary, will have priority with respect to the assets and earnings of the subsidiary over the claims of creditors of its parent entity, including by holders of the Bonds. In the event of any foreclosure, dissolution, winding-up, liquidation, reorganization, administration or other bankruptcy or insolvency proceeding of any of the Issuer's subsidiaries, holders of their indebtedness and their trade creditors will generally be entitled to payment of their claims from the assets of those subsidiaries before any assets are made available for distribution to its parent entity. The Issuer's creditors (including the holders of the Bonds) will have no right to proceed against the assets of such subsidiary. As such, the Bonds will be structurally subordinated to the creditors (including trade creditors) of the Issuer's subsidiaries.

The insolvency laws of Norway may not be as favourable to you as insolvency laws in other jurisdictions with which you may be familiar and may preclude the holders of the Bonds from recovering payments due on the Bonds

The Issuer is organized under the laws of Norway. The Issuer's subsidiaries are incorporated in other jurisdictions and are subject to the insolvency laws of such jurisdictions. The insolvency laws of these jurisdictions may not be as favourable to your interests as creditors as the bankruptcy laws of certain other jurisdictions. The insolvency, administration and other laws of other jurisdictions in which subsidiaries are organized or operate may be materially different from, or conflict with, each other. Any conflict between them could call into question whether, and to what extent, the laws of any particular jurisdictions will be applied in relation to one another. Any such conflict may result in greater uncertainty and delay regarding enforcement of your rights.

#### The trading price of the Bonds may be volatile

Historically, the market for non-investment grade debt has been subject to disruptions that have caused substantial volatility in the prices of securities similar to the Bonds. Any such disruptions could adversely affect the prices at which investors may sell their Bonds. In addition, subsequent to their initial issuance, the Bonds may trade at a discount from their initial placement, depending on the prevailing interest rates, the market for similar securities, the performance of the Issuer and other factors, many of which are beyond the Group's control.

### Risk factors (VII/VII)

#### Risks related to the market for the Bonds

The Bonds are a new issue of securities with no established trading history. Even though the Group will apply for listing of the Bonds on Oslo Børs (or any other regulated market), no assurance can be made that the Bonds will be successfully listed.

The Group has not entered into any market-making scheme to ensure liquidity of the Bonds. A liquid trading market for the Bonds may not develop or be maintained and investors may not be able to sell the Bonds quickly or at a favourable price. If an active market does not develop or is not maintained, the price and liquidity of the Bonds may be adversely effected. The Group cannot assure investors as to the future liquidity of the Bonds and as a result, investors bear the financial risk of their investment in the Bonds.

The Bond Terms will allow for modification of the Bonds or waivers or authorizations of breaches and substitution of the Issuer which, in certain circumstances, may be affected without the consent of bondholders.

The Bond Terms will contain provisions for calling meetings of bondholders to consider matters affecting their interests generally. These provisions permit defined majorities to bind all bondholders, including bondholders who did not attend and vote at the relevant meeting and bondholders who voted in a manner contrary to the majority.

Nordic Trustee AS, as trustee on behalf of the bondholders, (the "**Trustee**"), may, without the consent of the bondholders, agree to certain modifications of the Bond Terms and other finance documents (as such term will be defined in the Bond Terms) which, in the opinion of the Trustee, are proper to make. Such modifications which will be binding upon the bondholders and will be further described in the Bond Terms.



# Appendix



### The Wallenius Wilhelmsen group in numbers



### Continued focus on driving sustainability – a journey to zero



### Vehicle production restarting and meets current demand

protocols

### **COVID-19 status update Auto**



### Supply

Temporary plant closures has taken place in all major regions, however today production has recovered and meet almost all demand

Recovery seems be on track despite a stop-start rhythm prevents efficiency, slow bands and tricky new health protocols. New routines and equipment has added extra costs for OEMs

The OEMs are seeing outbound issues including longer transit time partly caused by stricter controls between countries

Today there are examples of models/trims with shortage of supply

OEMs prioritize the most profitable models



New plastic sheeting installed, to shield workers from each other

# Deepsea share of LV sales high in NA and low in China

LV deepsea volume pr region, volume and share of sales



- NA sales 1.5m below 2019 level in 2023
- Deepsea share continues to be high, 23% in 2023





- European deepsea share outperform domestic production
- Import increase from China and NA

**China sales, domestic produced and import** LV mill units 2019-2023, % share import



- China by far largest sales region
- Deepsea share significant below NA and Europe

### Strong management team with +20 years industry experience

### Wallenius Wilhelmsen Senior Management team





Craig Jasienski President & CEO



ARC



**Simon White** Group Digital & IT





Erik Noeklebye CEO



Wallenius Wilhelmsen Ocean & Solutions



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