

**Resolution no. 6 / 30 April 2024
of the Shareholders' Ordinary General Meeting of
FONDUL PROPRIETATEA S.A.**

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Today, 30 April 2024, 12:00 PM (Romanian time), the shareholders of Fondul Proprietatea S.A. (the “**Fund**” or “**Fondul Proprietatea**”) have met during the Shareholders' Ordinary General Meeting (“**OGM**”) of the Fund, at its first summoning, at “**INTERCONTINENTAL ATHÉNÉE PALACE BUCHAREST**” Hotel, Le Diplomate Salon, 1-3 Episcopiei Street, 1st District, Bucharest, zip code 010292, Romania, the OGM being opened by its Chairman, namely Mr. Johan Meyer, in his capacity of permanent representative of Franklin Templeton International Services S.À R.L., a société à responsabilité limitée qualifying as an alternative investment fund manager under article 5 of the Luxembourg law of 12 July 2013 on alternative investment fund managers, authorized by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier under no. A00000154/21 November 2013, whose registered office is located at 8a, rue Albert Borschette, L-1246 Luxembourg, registered with the Luxembourg register of commerce and companies under number B36.979, registered with the Romanian Financial Supervisory Authority under number PJM07.1AFIASMDLUX0037/10 March 2016, in its capacity of alternative investment fund manager and sole director of Fondul Proprietatea S.A. (“**Sole Director**”).

Whereas:

- The convening notice of the OGM was published on the Fund's website (www.fondulproprietatea.ro) on 25 March 2024, in the Official Gazette of Romania, Part IV, number 1523 of 27 March 2024 and in “Adevărul” newspaper number 9115 of 27 March 2024;
- The provisions of Companies' Law no. 31/1990, republished, with its subsequent amendments and supplementations (“**Companies' Law no. 31/1990**”);
- The provisions of Emergency Government Ordinance no. 32/2012 on undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities and investment management companies, as well as for the amendment and supplementation of Law no. 297/2004;
- The provisions of Regulation of the Financial Supervisory Authority no. 4/2013 regarding depositary receipts;
- The provisions of Law no. 24/2017 on issuers of financial instruments and market operations, with its subsequent amendments and supplementations (“**Issuers' Law**”);
- The provisions of Regulation of the Financial Supervisory Authority no. 5/2018 on issuers of financial instruments and market operations (“**Regulation no. 5/2018**”);
- The provisions of Law no. 243/2019 on alternative investment funds and for the amendment and completion of other legislation (“**Law no. 243/2019**”);

- The provisions of Regulation of the Financial Supervisory Authority no. 7/2020 on the authorization and operation of alternative investment funds (“**Regulation no. 7/2020**”);
- The provisions of COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2018/1212 of 3 September 2018 laying down minimum requirements implementing the provisions of Directive 2007/36/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards shareholder identification, the transmission of information and the facilitation of the exercise of shareholders rights (“**CE Regulation 1212/2018**”),

it is necessary to have a number of shareholders holding 25% of the total voting shares in order to meet the quorum conditions, in the present OGM, manifesting their vote 139 of shareholders, which represents a number of 1,541,832,850 voting rights (i.e. 43.3637% of the total voting rights at the reference date 17 April 2024, i.e. 3,555,585,304; i.e. 27.1985% of the total number of shares in issue at the reference date 17 April 2024, i.e. 5,668,806,128),

there are met the quorum for holding this meeting and the majority for shareholders to decide legally, under the legally required majority (according to art. 112 paragraph (1) of the Companies’ Law no. 31/1990 and art. 14 I paragraph (1) of the Fund’s Constitutive Act).

Following debates, the Fund’s shareholders decide as follows.

- I. The approval to cover, from Other reserves, the negative reserves of RON 908,845,063.69 incurred in 2023 financial year derived from the cancelation of the treasury shares acquired during the 13th buy-back programme, in accordance with the supporting materials and as reflected in the Annex of the herein Resolution.

This item is adopted with 1,540,341,407 votes, representing 99.9033% of the total votes held by the present or represented shareholders, in accordance with Article 14 (1), second paragraph of the Constitutive Act corroborated with Article 112 (1), second paragraph of Companies’ Law no. 31/1990.

The votes were recorded as follows:

- 1,540,341,407 votes „for”;
- 82,676 votes „against”;
- 1,405,035 abstentions;
- 3,732 votes „not given”;
- 0 votes annulled from correspondence;
- 0 votes annulled in the OGM meeting.

- II. The approval of:

- (a) The date of **16 May 2024** as the **Ex – Date**, in accordance with Article 176 paragraph (1), computed with the provisions of Article 2 paragraph (2) letter (1) of Regulation no. 5/2018;

The date of **17 May 2024** as the **Registration Date**, in accordance with Article 176 paragraph (1) of Regulation no. 5/2018, computed with the provisions of Article 87 paragraph (1) of Issuers’ Law; and of

The date of **7 June 2024** as the *Payment Date*, in accordance with Article 178 paragraph (2) of Regulation no. 5/2018, computed with the provisions of Article 87 paragraph (2) of Issuers' Law.

As they are not applicable to this OGM, the shareholders do not decide on the other aspects provided by Article 176 paragraph (1) of Regulation no. 5/2018 such as date of the guaranteed participation.

- (b) The empowerment, with authority to sub-delegate, of Johan Meyer to sign the shareholders' resolutions, as well as any other documents in connection therewith, and to carry out all procedures and formalities set out by law for the purpose of implementing the shareholders' resolution, including formalities for publication and registration thereof with the Trade Registry or with any other public institution.

This item is adopted with 1,541,797,960 votes, representing 99.9977% of the total votes held by the present or represented shareholders, in accordance with Article 14 (1), second paragraph of the Constitutive Act corroborated with Article 112 (1), second paragraph of Companies' Law no. 31/1990.

The votes were recorded as follows:

- 1,541,797,960 votes „for”;
- 29,548 votes „against”;
- 1,610 abstentions;
- 3,732 votes „not given”;
- 0 votes annulled from correspondence;
- 0 votes annulled in the OGM meeting.

This OGM Resolution no. **6** is drafted on behalf of the shareholders today, 30 April 2024, in 3 original counterparts by:

Johan MEYER
Chairman

Laurențiu AVRAM
Meeting secretary

Livia DUMITRESCU
Technical secretary

Annex – The Sole Director’s proposal to cover the negative reserves incurred in 2023 financial year derived from the cancelation of treasury shares, in accordance with the supporting materials and in the Shareholders’ Ordinary General Meeting of Fondul Proprietatea S.A. of 30 April 2024

Sole Director’s Proposal for the Coverage of the Negative Reserve incurred during the financial year ended 31 December 2023

Overview and accounting treatment

Fondul Proprietatea SA (“the Fund”) recognises the treasury shares (i.e. repurchases of own shares and/ or GDRs) at trade date as a deduction to shareholders’ equity (in an equity reserve account). Treasury shares are recorded at acquisition cost, including brokerage fees and other transaction costs directly related to their acquisition. The GDRs bought back by the Fund are accounted for exactly as the own ordinary shares repurchased, as a deduction to shareholders’ equity. This is the result of the application of substance over form principle, due to the fact that buy-back via GDRs is only a technical/ legal form of the transaction, the substance of the transaction being that the Fund buys back its own shares (in view of reducing the share capital by cancelling all treasury shares in the form of shares or GDRs equivalent), giving the same rights to both the holders of the Fund’s ordinary shares and to the holders of the Fund’s GDRs, to take part in the buy-back programmes carried out by the Fund.

Upon completion of all legal and regulatory requirements (i.e. registration of the share capital decrease with the Trade Registry being the last one, also marking the moment when the cancelation becomes effective), the treasury shares are cancelled and netted off against the share capital and other reserves.

At the cancellation date, only a reallocation between the equity accounts is booked, without any impact on profit or loss or an additional total shareholders’ equity decrease (as compared to the acquisition impact). A negative reserve (equity element) arises upon cancellation of the shares acquired in a buy-back programme if the acquisition value (trade price and related costs) is higher than the nominal value. However, as mentioned before, this does not generate an additional shareholder’s equity decrease.

The accounting treatment applicable for the recording and cancellation of treasury shares is based on the provisions of the Financial Supervisory Authority Norm 39/ 2015, Annex 1, article 75.

Negative reserve incurred during 2023

The table below shows the changes in negative reserves recorded during the year ended 31 December 2023:

	<i>Amounts in RON</i>
1 January 2023 (audited)	230,576,693
Coverage of the negative reserve balance from other reserves, according to Resolution no.2 of 21 April 2023 Ordinary General Shareholders’ Meeting	(230,576,693)
Negative equity reserve arising on the cancellation of shares acquired during the 13th buy-back programme (recorded on 12 October 2023) according to share capital decrease Resolution no. 2 of 21 April 2023 Extraordinary General Shareholders’ Meeting	908,845,064
31 December 2023 (audited)	908,845,064

The table below shows additional details on the calculation of the negative reserves booked during 2023:

<i>All amounts in RON</i>		13th Buy-back programme
Period		1 Jan 2022 – 31 Dec 2022
Number of shares cancelled during 2023	(1)	549,019,085
Total acquisition cost at trade price (excluding transaction costs)	(2)	1,157,219,004
Total costs directly related to transactions, out of which:	(3)	37,115,984
• <i>Brokerage fees</i>		231,782
• <i>Financial Supervisory Authority fees</i>		7,351,853
• <i>Stock Exchanges' fees (Bucharest Stock Exchange and London Stock Exchange)</i>		1,390,647
• <i>Central Depository fees</i>		82,447
• <i>Legal advisory</i>		184,202
• <i>Other professional fees</i>		9,045
• <i>Distribution fees paid to the Sole Director in relation with the buy-backs performed</i>		27,866,008
Total buy-back cost impacting the equity of the Fund (trade price plus directly related transaction cost)	(4)=(2)+(3)	1,194,334,988
Correspondent Nominal Value ("NV") at the cancellation date (NV = RON 0.52 per share)	(5)=(1)*NV	285,489,924
Negative equity reserve arising on the cancellation of shares	(6)=(5)-(4)	(908,845,064)

Article 75 of Annex 1 from the Financial Supervisory Authority Norm 39/ 2015 mentions that the negative balance arising out of the cancellation of equity instruments may be covered from the retained earnings and other equity elements, in accordance with the resolution of the General Shareholders Meeting.

Sole's Director Proposal for covering the negative reserve

Although there is not an explicit legal or regulatory requirement to cover the negative balance arising out of the cancellation of equity instruments, it is to be noted that the Financial Supervisory Authority Norm 39/2015 specifically details how to present it in the financial statements and, further on, the sources that may be used for covering it, in accordance with the resolution of the general meeting of shareholders. From this perspective, and by applying a prudential regulatory approach, the Sole Director believes there are reasonable arguments supporting the idea that these reserves should be covered and thus proposes to shareholders the coverage of the negative equity reserves balance as at 31 December 2023 of RON 908,845,064 (as stated in the notes to the annual audited statutory IFRS financial statements and detailed in the table above) from the amounts allocated to other reserves specially for this purpose according to the Resolution no. 3 of the Shareholders' Ordinary General Meeting which was held on 21 April 2023.