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Plenisfer Investments SGR S.p.A. ("Plenisfer") extends its management team appointing Khalid Ataullah as Senior Credit Portfolio Manager.

With a wide experience in credit investments, Khalid will contribute to the development of the new multi-strategy total return fixed income fund that has been launched on May 15th.

Khalid is currently based in Plenisfer's London office, reporting to Mauro Ratto, Lead Portfolio Manager of this fund and Co-Founder and Co-CIO of the company.

A graduate of Imperial College London, Khalid has over 25 years of experience, many of which were spent overseas, from Singapore to New York. After starting his career in 1991 at KPMG in London, and qualifying as a Chartered Accountant, he joined the investment industry working first as a trader, and then as a portfolio manager, at Salomon Brothers/Citigroup. During his time there he founded and led the Latam Distressed debt team in New York and managed a portfolio for the Citigroup Special Situations Group. In 2005 he moved to VR Capital, investing across asset classes, first in the Moscow office and later in Buenos Aires. In 2007 he joined DA Capital, managing investments in emerging markets from London and Buenos Aires, while in 2010 he moved to Seatown, in Singapore, where he managed the Fixed Income portfolio of a \$3 billion hedge fund.

He spent the last 11 years, working for DA Capital Asia, a global investment manager specializing in credit funds and special situations. During this time, he spent 7 years in Singapore focused on global emerging markets and launched funds with a geographical focus on Brazil and Argentina.

Giordano Lombardo, CEO and Co-CIO of Plenisfer, commented: *"It's with great pleasure that I welcome Khalid on behalf of the Plenisfer team. Khalid has a wide experience in the credit sector gained globally during the last 25 years. Thanks to this experience, he has a deep knowledge of the specific dynamics of different areas in the world that we look at closely. I am sure that he will therefore be able to contribute significantly to the management of the new fixed income sub-fund that we have launched in recent days, as well as to the additional funds managed by Plenisfer. We will work together, all around the same table, according to Plenisfer's benchmark-free and teamwork approach to examine the entire capital structure of each global opportunity".*

Plenisfer Investments SGR S.p.A.

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