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# Elia Group 1H2019 performance





€ 388 million<sup>1</sup>

+13.9% yoy

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Normalised Net Profit € 154.4 million

+8.2% yoy



Reported Net Profit
Elia share²
€ 126.2 million

(11.2%) yoy



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes 100% of the investments realized by 50Hertz

<sup>3 &</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Net profit attributable to owners of ordinary shares (post non-controlling interest and post hybrid coupon) Reported net profit of Elia Group amounts to €152.1 million (+3,1%)

# On a transformation journey...

Federal Development Plan 2020-2030 approved – Elia



IO.Energy ecosystem → 8 projects progress to test phase



Additional analysis on the adequacy & flexibility needs 2020-2030 – Elia



BELGIUM 2019

CERTIFIED EXCELLENCE IN EMPLOYEE CONDITIONS



Inauguration Arkona Ostwind 1 project - 50Hertz

Go-live NEMO



Successful completion of a €434.8 MIO rights issue





### 1H2019 Key highlights



- Publication of our updated "Adequacy and flexibility study for Belgium 2020-2030" to support policy-makers in the energy debate in the context of a nuclear exit in Belgium and bringing forward of coal exit in neighboring countries
- Launch of IO. Energy, a cross-sectoral ecosystem aimed at optimizing end users' comfort and energy bills
- Good progress on internal restructuring to separate the regulated activities in Belgium from activities regulated outside Belgium or non-regulated creating a transparent Group structure.



- Investment program 2019 on track in Belgium and Germany
- Nemo Link put into operation end of January 2019
- Continued very high security of supply and reliability
- Operations performed with safety as a top priority



- First year of the new regulatory framework 2019-2023 in Germany
- The license to operate the high-voltage grid in Belgium has been renewed for 20 years
- Nemo Link in operation under a Cap & Floor regulatory framework since end of January 2019



- Group Normalised Net Profit up 8.2% to €154.4 million driven by the acquisition of Eurogrid in April 2018, timely realization of investments and solid operational performance
- Reported Net Profit Elia share down 11.2% to €126.2 million
- Completion of €434.8 million rights offering and a successful debt capital market transaction by Elia Transmission



# Significant progress on strategic investments





ALEGRO

First electricity interconnector between Belgium and
Germany















Investment 1H 2019: € 114 million



# 1H2019 Elia Group results

**Key figures** 

#### Revenues

€ 1,159.5 million +83.4% yoy

#### EBIT

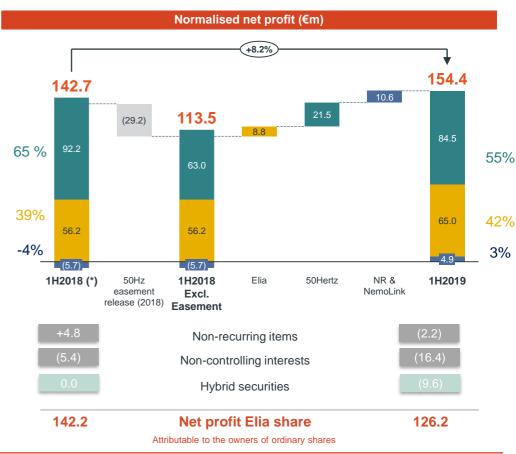
€ 281.6 million +28.5% yoy

### Normalised Net profit

€ 154.4 million +8.2% yoy

### Reported Net Profit Elia share

€ 126.2 million
(11.2%) yoy



<sup>(\*)</sup> Segment comparatives revised due to amended segment structure as from second half of financial year 2018.



# Elia Group: Solid organic growth in 1H2019



- EBIT of €281.6 million, +28.5% yoy, primarily driven by the organic growth in Belgium and the change in consolidation linked to the acquisition of Eurogrid in 2018, and offset by the release of the major part of the easement provision in 2018.
- On a rebased¹ basis, the EBIT decreases by 12.6% in 2019 and fully attributable to the release of the easement provision in 2018 and offset by the organic growth in Belgium. Germany realised a solid operational performance with an EBIT in line with 2018 despite the lower regulated return on equity.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On a rebased basis – please refer to the glossary of this presentation for definition and additional information.

Rebased figures are only presented as a basis for assessing growth rates on a comparable basis, and not as a measure of our pro forma financial performance

### 1H2019 Elia Group: net debt evolution

**Key figures** 

#### Net debt

€ 4,486.0 million (2.6%) yoy

### Leverage

1.53

Debt / Equity (incl. NCI & hybrid)

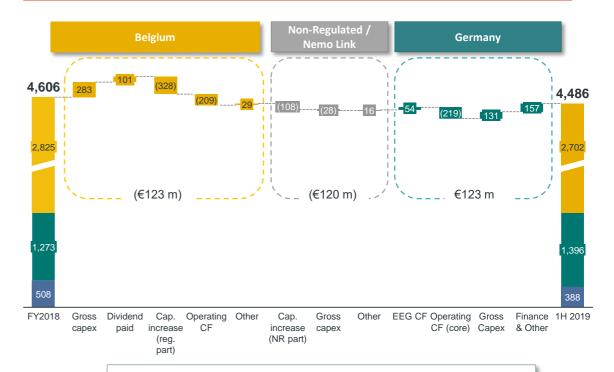
#### Fixed debt ratio

98.6%

Calculated on gross debt

Avg. Cost of Debt 2.42%

#### Net debt evolution (€m)



S&P rating: BBB+/Stable outlook

Hybrid bond accounted as Equity (50% equity component S&P)



# Elia Transmission: Realisation strategic investments driving results

**Key figures** 

#### Revenues

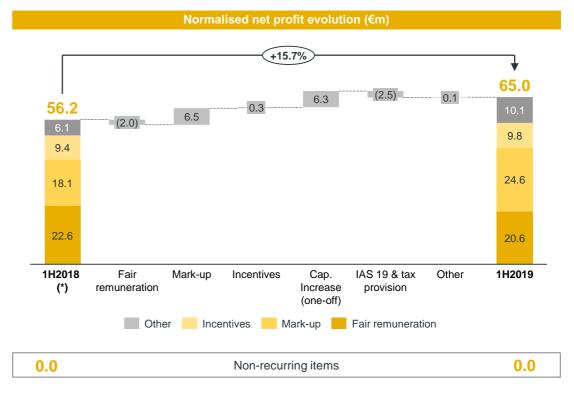
€ 499.0 million +15.2% yoy

#### Normalised Net profit

€ 65.0 million +15.7% yoy

### Reported Net profit

€ 65.0 million +15.7% yoy



Increase in net profit thanks to realization of investments and one-off effect from equity raise



<sup>(\*)</sup> Segment comparatives revised due to amended segment structure as from second half of financial year 2018.

### Elia: Balance sheet aligned for next regulatory period (2020)





### 50Hertz Transmission: Asset growth driving result

**Key figures** 

### Revenues

€ 664.7 million +10.9% yoy

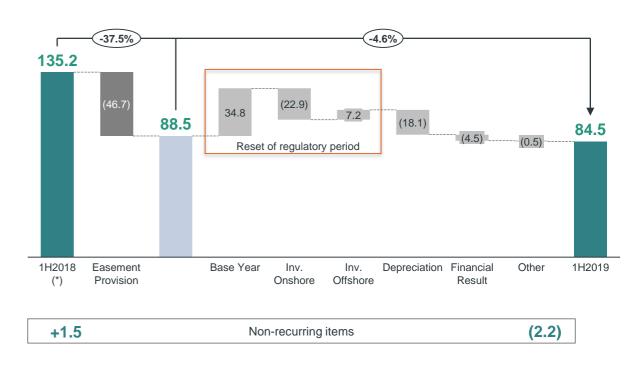
#### Normalised Net profit

€ 84.5 million (37.5%) yoy

#### Reported Net profit

€ 82.3 million (39.8%) yoy

#### Normalised net profit evolution (€m)

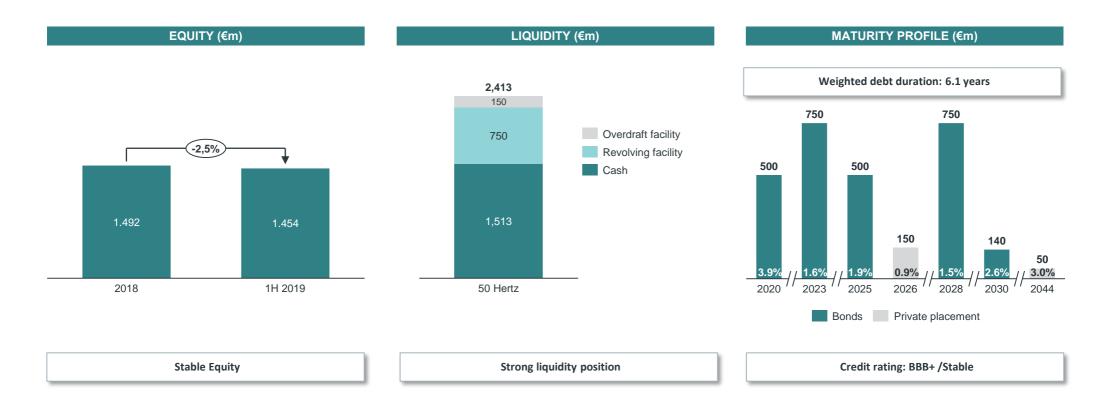


Asset growth and operational performance compensating lower regulatory return



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### 50Hertz Transmission: Strong balance sheet to finance investments





# Non-regulated (incl. NemoLink)

Key figures

#### Revenues

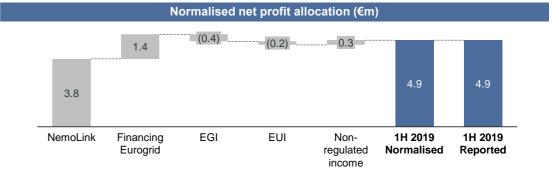
€ 4.2 million (28.8%) yoy

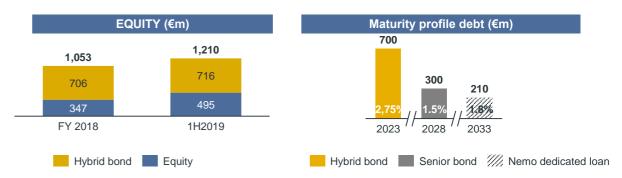
### Normalised Net profit

€ 4.9 million

### Reported Net profit

€ 4.9 million





Nemo Link in operation since January 2019 leading to first operational profit Hybrid security accounted in Equity



# NemoLink – 5 months of operations

Com. Flows into UK

2,732.3 GWh

Com. Flows into BE

9.8 GWh

Revenue Elia share (50%) 15.3 m€

Availability 98.5%





### FY 2019 outlook reiterated



OUTLOOK 2019



RoE adj. 7%-8%

RAB 2019: 8.9B€



• On track to realise a RAB of €8,9 B€



CAPEX 700 M€

Regulated RoE between 5%-6%

- Good progress on strategic interconnection projects (Brabo, ALEGrO) and MOG.
- Total investment for 2019 around € 700 million
- Expected regulated return between 5% and 6% despite the decrease in Belgian 10-year OLO



Capex 420 M€

**RoE 8%-10%** 

- Capex on track to achieve the announced € 420 million investment programme
- Confident in our ability to deliver a return on equity between 8%-10%





### Rebased figures

Rebased financial statement – Purely for comparative purposes some key figures of the 2018 financial statements have been rebased like if the acquisition and change in consolidation would have occurred on January 1<sup>st</sup> 2018, hence a Full Consolidation method for Eurogrid as from this date, identical to the change in consolidation method as applied as from May 1st, 2018. We have not adjusted preacquisition periods (i) with effects directly related to the transaction (e.g. purchase cost, financing, goodwill, business combination impacts (IFRS 3)...) (ii) to eliminate non-recurring items or give retro-active effect to any changes in estimates that might have been implemented in 2018, but not known before. The rebased figures are only presented as a basis for assessing growth rates on a comparable basis, and not as a measure of our pro forma financial performance.



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