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### **General Oceans - Mandatory notification of trade from primary insiders and close associates**

Oslo, 24 March 2026: Reference is made to the announcements by General Oceans ASA (the "Company", and including its consolidated subsidiaries, the "Group") on 24 March 2026 regarding the successful completion of the bookbuilding of the initial public offering of shares in the Company (the "Offering").

The following primary insiders of the Company and close associates of primary insiders have been allocated the following number of offer shares in the Offering (the "Offer Shares") at a price of NOK 21.00 per Offer Share, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the prospectus dated 16 March 2026 (the "Prospectus"):

- Nordbrand Invest AS (a company in which Trond Brandsrud, chair of the board of directors, holds a 70% ownership interest) has been allocated 9,523 Offer Shares for a total amount of NOK 199,983.
- Kvinnesiden AS (a company fully owned by Siw Ødegaard, member of the board of directors) has been allocated 47,619 Offer Shares for a total amount of NOK 999,999.
- Sesiso AS (a company fully owned by Kim Steinsland, member of the board of directors) has been allocated 30,000 Offer Shares for a total amount of NOK 630,000.
- Bjørn Ladegård (Executive Vice President of the Company's subsidiary, Nortek AS) has been allocated 40,000 Offer Shares for a total amount of NOK 840,000.
- Anton Van Heerden (CFO of the Company) has been allocated 50,000 Offer Shares for a total amount of NOK 1,050,000.

Further as set out in the Prospectus, primary insider Atle Lohrmann (President of the Company and selling shareholder in the Offering) and Ferd GO Holding AS, close associate to board member and primary insider Gustav Martinsen have agreed to sell 16,610,637 Offer Shares and 9,579,840 Offer Shares respectively in the Offering, for a total amount of approximately NOK 550 million. In addition, Atle Lohrmann and Ferd GO Holding AS have agreed to grant an option to the Managers to borrow 2,421,121 and 2,578,879 existing shares respectively, as further described in the Prospectus.

Please see attached primary insider notification forms for the above-mentioned transactions.

Primary insiders of the Company applying for Offer Shares have received full allocation for their applications in the Offering.

The primary insiders will have their shares subject to a 365 calendar days lock-up following the Listing. Ferd GO Holding AS will have its shares subject to a 180 calendar days lock-up following the Listing.

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### About General Oceans

General Oceans is a global provider of advanced underwater technology delivering sensors, systems and robotic solutions used in demanding marine environments. The Group produces technology for measuring and understanding the ocean, imaging & navigation systems, and autonomous/remotely

operated vehicles with associated manipulators and control systems. Underwater acoustics is the core of the Group's technology, complemented by optical technology, environmental sensors and software capabilities.

### Advisors

ABG Sundal Collier ASA and DNB Carnegie, a part of DNB Bank ASA, act as Joint Global Coordinators and Joint Bookrunners in the Listing and the Offering, while Arctic Securities is acting as Joint Bookrunner (collectively the "Managers"). Advokatfirmaet Schjødt AS acts as legal advisor to the Company, and Advokatfirmaet Wiersholm AS acts as legal advisor to the Managers.

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