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PRESS RELEASE

BANCA POPOLARE DI SONDRIO AND NEXI SIGN AN AGREEMENT CONCERNING MERCHANT ACQUIRING ACTIVITIES

Sondrio, 24 December 2025 - Banca Popolare di Sondrio S.p.A. ("**BPSO**") announces that today it has signed an agreement with Nexi S.p.A. ("**Nexi**") for the sale of the business unit relating to merchant acquiring activities (the "**Transaction**").

Along with the Transaction, the sale to Nexi of the minority stake currently held by BPSO in Nexi Payments S.p.A. ("**Nexi Payments**") was also agreed.

The Transaction, together with the sale of the stake in Nexi Payments, represents the completion of a process already initiated by BPSO under the terms and conditions communicated to the market last March during the presentation of the 2025–2027 Business Plan.

The closing is expected in early 2026 and is subject to obtaining the necessary authorisations from the competent authorities.

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