## **AkzoNobel**

# Announcing the Sale of AkzoNobel India to JSW Group

Portfolio refocus at a compelling valuation

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## Sale of AkzoNobel India – unlocking strategic value

#### **Key Metrics**

#### **Highlights**

€1.4bn

Enterprise value

22x

EV / EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>



- AkzoNobel to sell up to 75% in AkzoNobel India ("ANIL") to JSW
- Successful conclusion to strategic portfolio review of India
- Powder Coatings and International Research Center excluded
- Become technology partner to JSW for India liquid coatings

~€900m

Net cash proceeds



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- Closing expected in Q4'25

~€500m

Deleveraging

€400m

Share buyback



- €500m used for deleveraging; commitment to investment credit rating
- Post closing, launch of €400m share buyback program

## Transaction underpins strategic objectives



Milestone in portfolio review

- Monetization at compelling valuation; 22x EV/EBITDA
- Focus on leading positions in key global coatings markets



**Enhanced capital allocation flexibility** 

- Deleveraging benefit of 0.3x net debt/EBITDA
- Shareholder return; €400m share buyback program



Continued presence in India

- Powder Coatings; €50m sales at above group profitability
- International Research Center driving global color development
- GBS centre in Pune for continuous operations support



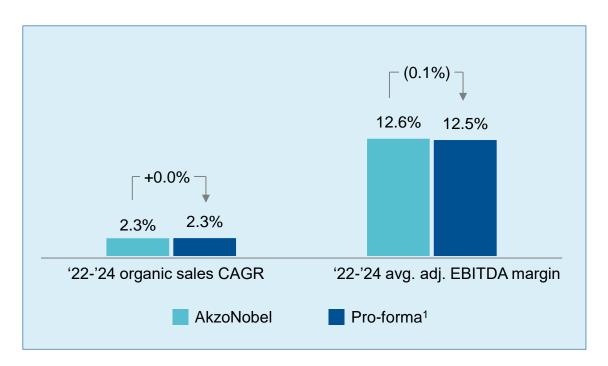
**Progress through strategic partnerships** 

- JSW best fit for Deco; local expertise & commercial synergies
- AkzoNobel as technology partner to support JSW in coatings

#### Attractive monetization; limited impact on Group financials



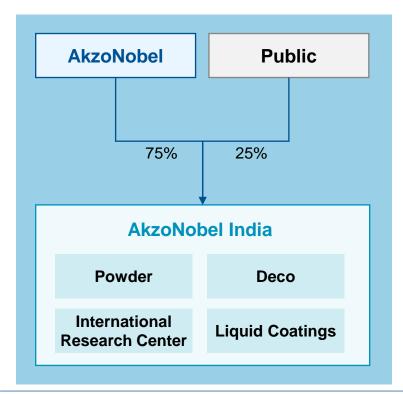




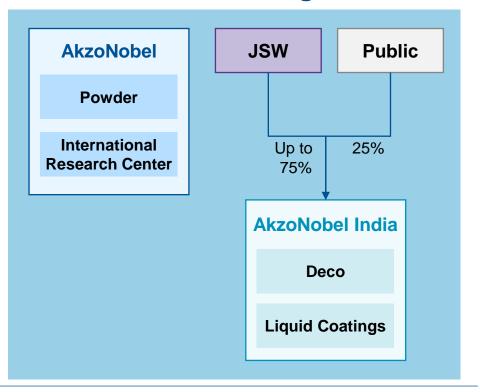
(1) Excluding ANIL.

#### Post-deal scope – continued strategic presence & commitment

#### **Current state**



#### **Post closing**



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