



## PRESS RELEASE

Extension of the "Presentation of requests period" relating to the completion of the Compulsory Purchase pursuant to article 108, paragraph 2, of Legislative Decree No. 58 of February 1998 ("CFA") by Fondiaria-SAI (the "Bidder") on the residual ordinary shares of Immobiliare Lombarda S.p.A. (the "Issuer")

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Milan, August 26, 2008

It is announced that, following the justified request made by the Bidder and having consulted with Borsa Italiana, CONSOB today announced the extension, pursuant to article 40, paragraph 2, final part, of the Regulations approved by Resolution No. 11971/1999 as supplemented, of the "Presentation of requests period", relating to the compulsory purchase, as described above, to **September 15, 2008**.

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