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AXIA Ventures Group named Best for Equities in Greece by Euromoney Securities Houses Awards

Athens, Greece, September 13th, 2024 – **AXIA Ventures Group (“AXIA”)**, is proud to announce that it has been named the **“Best for Equities in Greece”** by the world-renowned organization **Euromoney**. This distinction follows its recognition as **Market Leader in Investment Banking** by the same organization, further highlighting AXIA’s unparalleled expertise and leadership in financial services within the Greek market. These accolades reaffirm AXIA’s reputation for delivering customized solutions tailored to the unique needs of its clients.

AXIA’s renowned Research coverage and strong liaisons with international capital has been showcased through its active participation of almost every Equity Capital Markets transaction in Greece, playing a pivotal role in the latest landmark deals. Indicatively, AXIA acted as sole Global Coordinator & Bookrunner in **GEK TERNA’s €79.2 million** structured private placement, providing end-to-end advice with regards to structuring, marketing and execution. Additionally, AXIA participated in the **Hellenic Financial Stability Fund’s** divestment from its holdings in **National Bank of Greece** and **Piraeus Financial Holdings** amounting to **€1.1 billion** and **€1.4 billion, respectively**. Both transactions were executed through fully marketed offerings, receiving unprecedented investor interest from international and local audiences which led to approximately 8x book coverage in both transactions. In addition to the above, AXIA was involved in a number of other Equity Capital Markets transactions including IPOs and secondary offerings.

These landmark transactions coupled with the strong economic recovery and the sovereign credit rating upgrades on the back the government’s reform agenda, have been critical in reshaping Greece’s capital markets. AXIA has played an instrumental role in reviving international investors’ interest and ensuring the successful development of the country’s capital markets. The firm's deep understanding of the Greek market, alongside its ability to adapt to evolving conditions, has cemented its position as **Best for Equities in Greece, the advisor of choice for both Greek Corporates and International Institutional Investors**.

Mr. Thanos Adamantopoulos, Managing Director Capital Markets & Head of Client Coverage at AXIA stated: *“We are deeply honored and proud to be recognized as the ‘Best for Equities in Greece’ by Euromoney. This international distinction validates the excellence and highest level of service that AXIA delivers to its clients, and highlights the dedication, expertise, and commitment of our entire team. It is through our hard work, ethos, consistency, and continuous evolution that we achieve such outstanding results. AXIA remains committed to maintaining its leadership in the Greek market, delivering customized services that drive value for both our clients and the broader investment community.”*

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AXIA Ventures Group Ltd ("AXIA") is a leading regional employee-owned investment banking group, providing financial advisory and capital market-related services to corporates, governments and institutional clients. AXIA is headquartered in Nicosia, Cyprus, regulated by the Cyprus Securities and Exchange Commission (License No: 086/07) and fully licensed to provide financial advisory services in many financial markets around the world. AXIA also operates in the US under AXIA Capital Markets LLC ("ACM"), a wholly owned registered broker-dealer and member of FINRA. For more information on AXIA and its services, you can visit the AXIA website at <http://www.axiavg.com>.

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