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Tenth of Ramadan for Pharmaceutical Industries and Diagnostic Reagents (Rameda) S.A.E. announces the fixed offer price of its initial public offering of ordinary shares on the Egyptian Exchange

27 November 2019 | Cairo, Egypt

Tenth of Ramadan for Pharmaceutical Industries and Diagnostic Reagents (Rameda) S.A.E. (the "Company", and, together with its consolidated subsidiaries, "Rameda" or the "Group"), the fastest growing generic pharmaceutical company among the top players in Egypt, announces today that it will proceed with its initial public offering (the "IPO" or the "Offering"). The Company's ordinary shares were listed and admitted to trading on the Egyptian Exchange (the "EGX") on 20 November 2019.

The Offering will consist of the sale of a total of 376,606,000 secondary shares by Greville Investing Limited (the "Selling Shareholder") with:

- i. 357,775,700 shares to be offered via an international offering to qualified institutional investors in a number of countries including Egypt (the "International Offering"); and
- ii. 18,830,300 shares to be offered via a retail offering to retail investors in Egypt (the "Egyptian Retail Offering")

The shares offered in the International Offering and the Egyptian Retail Offering (the "Combined Offering") will be offered at a price of EGP 4.66 per ordinary share (the "Offer Price").

Alongside the Combined Offering, a closed subscription will take place, whereby the Selling Shareholder is subscribing for 125,000,000 newly-issued shares in Rameda at the Offer Price (the "Closed Subscription"). Upon completion of the Closed Subscription the Company will receive EGP 582.5 million in gross proceeds. The Selling Shareholder will not utilize the proceeds from the Combined Offering to fund its participation in the Closed Subscription, but will instead make use of a bridge loan availed to the Selling Shareholder to be later repaid using a portion of the proceeds from the Combined Offering.

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The Group's senior management intends to use the net proceeds of the Closed Subscription to fund the Group's operational expansion, principally through molecule acquisitions but also through opportunistic acquisition of pharmaceutical companies.

At the Offer Price, the market capitalization of the company will be c. EGP 3.6 billion (c. USD 222 million) following the completion of the Combined Offering and the Closed Subscription.

Trading in the shares on the EGX is expected to commence on Wednesday, 11 December 2019 under the symbol RMDA.CA The commencement of trading is subject to completion of the Closed Subscription and receipt of any remaining customary regulatory approvals from the Egyptian Financial Regulatory Authority ("FRA") and the EGX.

The Company has engaged HSBC Bank plc ("HSBC") and Investec Bank plc ("Investec") to act as Joint Global Coordinators and Joint Bookrunners, CI Capital Investment Banking S.A.E. ("CI Capital") to act as a Joint Bookrunner for the transaction and Compass Capital for Financial Investments ("Compass Capital") as IPO advisor. For the avoidance of doubt, HSBC and Investec have been appointed as Joint Global Coordinators and Joint Bookrunners in connection with the International Offering only.

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About Rameda

The Group is the fastest growing pharmaceutical company in Egypt measured by its sales value CAGR from 2013 to 2018, ranking first among the top 25 pharmaceutical companies in Egypt. The Group is principally engaged in the manufacture and sale of a wide range of branded generic pharmaceutical products (both prescription and over-the-counter), as well as over-the-counter nutraceuticals, cosmeceuticals, food supplements, medical devices and veterinary products. The Group has developed an attractive portfolio which includes 97 marketed products relating to 67 molecules (including registered molecules and those in the customary process of re-registration) and a pipeline of 354 products relating to 219 molecules, across 11 of the 16 therapeutic areas in the Egyptian pharmaceutical industry. The Group is predominately focused on six therapeutic areas: systemic anti-infectives, alimentary tract and metabolism, genitourinary system and sex hormones, cardiovascular system, nervous system, and blood and blood-forming organs, with the last three being areas the Group has identified as emerging therapeutic areas experiencing high growth rates in Egypt.

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