

Note on information security

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The Azimut Group is committed on a daily basis to ensuring the cybersecurity of the personal data of its Clients, financial advisors, suppliers and counterparties ("stakeholders") with the aim of preventing and intervening promptly in the event of suspicious activities by third parties.

As part of this constant monitoring activity, an unauthorized access to our systems was detected, committed by unknown parties and not due to a malfunction of the systems themselves or human error. As a result of this cyber-attack, the Azimut Group received a ransom demand, to which it did not comply by any means, considering it to be criminal and, in any case, totally against the founding principles and values of the Group, which has always been committed to combating and fighting the financing of any criminal activity.

The Azimut Group immediately took steps to inform the relevant authorities and initiated an internal security procedure that successfully limited the impact of this criminal action. In addition, the Azimut Group, with the support of legal and cybersecurity experts, carried out an in-depth analysis aimed at better understanding the nature of the attack, its extent and consequences.

We specify that the cyber-attack did not in any way affect data or information that could allow access to the personal position of Clients and/or financial advisors or the execution of unauthorized transactions, nor did it in any way compromise and/or limit business continuity.

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Azimut is an independent, global group in the asset management, wealth management, investment banking and fintech space, serving private and corporate clients. A public company listed on the Milan Stock Exchange (AZM.IM), the group is a leader in Italy and active in 18 countries around the world, with a focus on emerging markets. The shareholder structure includes over 1,900 managers, employees and financial advisors bound by a shareholders' agreement that controls ca. 21% of the company. The remaining is free float. The Group comprises various companies active in the sale, management and distribution of financial and insurance products, with registered offices mainly in Italy, Australia, Brazil, Chile, China (Hong Kong and Shanghai), Egypt, Ireland, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Portugal, Singapore, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, UAE and USA. In Italy, Azimut Capital Management SGR sells and manages Italian mutual funds, Italian alternative investment funds, as well as being active in the discretionary management of individual investment portfolios. Furthermore, Azimut Capital Management SGR distributes Group and third-party products in Italy via a network of financial advisors while Azimut Libera Impresa focuses on the alternatives business. The main foreign companies are Azimut Investments SA (founded in Luxembourg in 1999), which manages the multi strategy funds AZ Fund 1 and AZ Multi Asset, and the Irish Azimut Life DAC, which offers life insurance products.

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