



## PRESS RELEASE

### **ESI: GREEN LIGHT FOR THE 20 MW PHOTOVOLTAIC PLAN WITH A € 1.7 MILLION FINANCING FOR LA CAVA SRL BACKLOG UPDATE**

**Rome, 7 July 2025** – ESI S.p.A., an Italian company active in the renewable energy market, operating as an EPC (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) and System Integrator in Italy and abroad, listed on Euronext Growth Milan (“EGM”), a multilateral trading facility organized and managed by Borsa Italiana S.p.A. (“the Company”), announces that La Cava Srl, a vehicle company owned by ESI S.p.A., obtained on 4 July financing of € 1.7 million aimed at building a 3 MW photovoltaic plant in the municipality of Monterosi (Viterbo, Lazio, Italy).

The financing, provided by Blu Banca — an institution with which ESI maintains strong collaborative relations, for a total of credit lines amounting to approximately €3.5 million, and which has always supported the Company's growth prospects — represents a strategically important milestone. In fact, the operation represents the first concrete step in ESI's three-year development strategy, aiming to install a total of 20 MW of new photovoltaic capacity by the end of 2027.

The construction of the Monterosi plant will be entrusted to ESI under an EPC contract already signed for a value of €2.25 million, with the objective of completing the works by 2026. The contract will also help increase ESI's overall backlog, strengthening medium-term visibility.

Considering the production already achieved as of 31 December 2024 and the new projects acquired during 2025, ESI's total backlog amounts to approximately € 34.8 million, confirming its ability to ensure continuity and solidity of its order book.

The company also reports that the 9.8 MW photovoltaic project in the province of Foggia, announced on 30 November 2023 and subject to project financing, cannot be carried out due to the financing process not being completed for the client company. Nevertheless, ESI has maintained a stable backlog by securing a new EPC contract, signed in January 2025, for the turnkey construction of a photovoltaic plant of approximately 10 MW in Anagni (Frosinone, Lazio, Italy), with a contract value of €8 million. The project, however, remains subject to obtaining all necessary permits before construction can begin.

**Stefano Plocco**, CEO of ESI S.p.A., commented:

*“The financing obtained from Blu Banca for our first plant through La Cava Srl represents a fundamental milestone in ESI's development strategy. It is the first piece of our 20 MW pipeline, confirming the banking system's confidence in ESI's solidity and the quality of its projects.”*

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*ESI is active, as EPC, in the segments of photovoltaic, wind, off-grid, mini-grid (electricity supply in remote areas), and hybrid systems for the construction, in any environmental context, of large-scale photovoltaic plants and power stations (wind farms), which increasingly require sophisticated construction technologies.*

*As a System Integrator, ESI is able to make different BESS (Battery, Energy, Storage, and System) systems communicate with each other with the aim of creating a functional structure that fully exploits the potential of power stations, generating additional efficiencies for the entire energy system.*

*ESI is also the main Italian operator specialized in the revamping of large-scale traditional photovoltaic systems. The Company operates in Italy and in international markets, directly or through subsidiaries, serving public and private clients (foreign governments, investment funds and NGOs, renewable energy multinationals).*

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