

## **SOMEK: THE BLUESTEEL SUBSIDIARY AWARDED WITH AN ORDER WORTH OVER 12 MILLION EURO IN LONDON**

**The company will supply bespoke façades and other architectural elements for a 13-storey building to be constructed opposite Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament**

San Vendemiano (Treviso, Italy), 26 June 2023 – Somec S.p.A. (Euronext Milan: SOM), specialising in the design, production and installation of complex turnkey works in the civil and naval fields, has announced that its subsidiary Bluesteel S.r.l. has been awarded a new contract worth 10.5 million GBP (over 12 million euros at current exchange rates) for a prestigious architectural project in central London.

Bluesteel, a European player in the realisation and installation of curtain walls and window systems, will be involved in the construction of a 13-storey building, part of a large Thames-side development that sits opposite the Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament. The new construction will host both residential spaces, with over 100 homes spread over approximately 16,000 square meters, as well as shops and commercial activities.

The construction site will start in December 2023 and end in January 2025 and Bluesteel will be in charge of the design, production and installation of a bespoke unitized façades system for the building, as well as other components such as glazed balustrades, cladding, sliding systems and fixed glazed parts.

Oscar Marchetto, Chairman of Somec, declared: *“Just over a year after Bluesteel joined Somec, the company was awarded one of the most significant orders in its history, in a context of absolute prestige in the heart of London. Let’s also remember that, just a few days ago, our subsidiary Fabbrica obtained another important order in New York City, worth over 23 million dollars, thus underlining the value of our expansion strategy in civil glazing, launched in 2018 precisely with the acquisition of Fabbrica in the United States.*

*Today it’s the turn of the United Kingdom, a market with great potential in which we are investing with conviction and which we have entrusted to the new managing director, Stefano Trevisan, assisted by an expert and recently reinforced management team. My personal applause and that of the Group goes to Stefano and to the entire Bluesteel team”.*

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### **Somec**

*The Somec Group specialises in the engineering, design and deployment of complex turnkey projects in civil and naval engineering by relying on three business units: Engineered Systems of Naval Architecture and Building Façades, Professional Kitchen Systems and Products, Mestieri: Design and Production of Bespoke Interiors.*

*The Group’s companies operate in an integrated and synergetic manner, according to strict quality and safety standards while guaranteeing a high level of customisation and specific know-how on the processing of different materials, a key requirement when delivering high value-added projects.*

*In over 40 years of history and by relying on rigorous certification and accreditation processes, Somec has achieved a reputation for quality and operational and financial reliability on a global scale.*

*Headquartered in San Vendemiano (Treviso), the Group's footprint spans 12 countries and 3 continents, employing over 900 people and with revenues totalling 329 million Euro in 2022.*

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