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PROHIBITION OF SALES TO UK RETAIL INVESTORS – The Securities are not intended to be offered, sold, distributed or otherwise made available to, and should not be offered, sold, distributed or otherwise made available to, any retail investor in the United Kingdom ("**UK**"). For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is either one (or both) of the following:

- (i) not a professional client, as defined in point (8) of Article 2(1) of Regulation (EU) No 600/2014 as it forms part of UK domestic law by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (as amended, the "**EUWA**"); or
- (ii) not a qualified investor as defined in paragraph 15 of Schedule 1 to the Public Offers and Admissions to Trading Regulations 2024 (the "**POATRs**").

Consequently no key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 as it forms part of UK domestic law by virtue of the EUWA (the "**UK PRIIPs Regulation**"), or disclosure document required by the FCA Product Disclosure Sourcebook ("**DISC**"), for offering, selling or distributing the Securities or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the United Kingdom has been prepared and therefore offering, selling or distributing the Securities or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the United Kingdom may be unlawful under the UK PRIIPs Regulation or DISC and the Consumer Composite Investments (Designated Activities) Regulations 2024. Notwithstanding the above, in the case where the Pricing Supplement in respect of any Securities include a legend entitled "Prohibition of Sales to UK Retail Investors" but where the Issuer subsequently prepares and publishes a key information document under the UK PRIIPs Regulation, or a disclosure document as required by DISC, in respect of such Securities, then following such publication, the prohibition on the offering, sale, distribution or otherwise making available the Securities to a retail investor in the United Kingdom as described above and in such legend shall no longer apply. The Notes may only be publicly offered and the Offering Circular and this Pricing Supplement as well as any other offering or marketing material relating to the Notes may only be publicly offered to investors in Switzerland pursuant to an exception from the prospectus requirement under the Swiss Financial Services Act ("**FinSA**"), as such terms are defined under the FinSA. Neither this document nor the Offering Circular nor any other document related to the Notes constitute a prospectus with the meaning of the FinSA and no prospectus pursuant to the FinSA will be prepared in connection

with such public offering of the Notes.

Pricing Supplement dated July 21, 2026

GOLDMAN SACHS INTERNATIONAL

Legal Entity Identifier (LEI): W22LROWP2IHZNBB6K528

**Series P Programme for the issuance
of Warrants, Notes and Certificates**

**Issue of ZAR 200,000,000 Five-Year ZAR Autocallable Notes on the Modified Performance of the ordinary
shares of ABSA Group Limited, due July 15, 2031
(the "Notes" or the "Securities")**

Guaranteed by **The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GSG" or the "Guarantor")**

The Securities are not bank deposits and are not insured or guaranteed by the UK Financial Services Compensation Scheme, the Jersey Depositors Compensation Scheme, the United States Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the U.S. Deposit Insurance Fund or any other government or governmental or private agency or deposit protection scheme in any jurisdiction.

The payment obligations of the Issuer in respect of the Securities are guaranteed by the Guarantor (the "Guarantee"). The Guarantee will rank *pari passu* with all other unsecured and unsubordinated indebtedness of the Guarantor.

The Offering Circular referred to below (as completed by this Pricing Supplement) has been prepared on the basis that any offer of Notes in any member state of the European Economic Area or in the United Kingdom will be made pursuant to an exemption under the EU Prospectus Regulation or Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 as it forms part of UK domestic law by virtue of the EUWA and regulations made thereunder (the "**UK Prospectus Regulation**"), as applicable, from the requirement to publish a prospectus for offers of the Notes. Accordingly any person making or intending to make an offer of the Notes in any member state of the European Economic Area or in the United Kingdom may only do so in circumstances in which no obligation arises for the Issuer or any Dealer to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the EU Prospectus Regulation or the UK Prospectus Regulation in relation to such offer. Neither the Issuer nor any Dealer has authorised, nor do they authorise, the making of any offer of Notes in any other circumstances.

See "*Other Information – United States Tax Considerations – Section 871(m) Withholding Tax*" below, for an indication of whether the Notes are subject to Section 871(m) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

CONTRACTUAL TERMS

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the General Note Conditions and the applicable Specific Product Conditions each set forth in (i) the Offering Circular dated November 15, 2024 (the "**Offering Circular**") as supplemented by the supplement(s) to the Offering Circular listed in the section entitled "Supplement(s) to the Offering Circular" below (and any further supplements up to, and including, July 23, 2026) or (ii) the JSE Placement Document for the issuance of South African Securities (as defined in the JSE Placement Document) dated October 13, 2023 (the "**JSE Placement Document**"). This document must be read in conjunction with such Offering Circular as so supplemented and the JSE Placement Document. Full information on the Issuer, the Guarantor and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of this Pricing Supplement, the JSE Placement Document and the Offering Circular as so supplemented. The Offering Circular and the supplement(s) to the Offering Circular are available for viewing at www.luxse.com, and during

normal business hours at the registered office of the Issuer, and copies may be obtained from the specified office of the Luxembourg Paying Agent. The Offering Circular, JSE Placement Document and this Pricing Supplement are available for viewing on the Issuer's website at www.goldmansachs.co.za/en/services/pricingsupplements and copies of which may be obtained free of charge from the Specified Office of the South African Transfer Agent.

1. (i) **Issuer:** Goldman Sachs International.
- (ii) **Guarantor** The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.:
 - GSG (New York law) Guaranty.
2. (i) **ISIN:** ZAE000366506
- (ii) **Stock Code:** GS222C.
- (iii) **Tranche Number:** One.
- (iv) **PIPG Tranche Number:** 779701.
3. **Specified Currency or Currencies:** South African Rand ("ZAR").
4. **Aggregate number of Notes:**
 - (i) **Series:** 200,000.
 - (ii) **Tranche:** 200,000.
 - (iii) **Trading in Units:** Applicable: One Note (of the Specified Denomination) equals one unit, and the Notes will be tradable by reference to the number of Notes being traded (each having the Specified Denomination).
5. **Issue Price:** ZAR 1,000 per Note.
6. **Inducements, commissions and/or other fees:** Not Applicable.
7. (i) **Specified Denomination:** ZAR 1,000.
- (ii) **Calculation Amount:** ZAR 1,000.
- (iii) **Minimum Number:** The Notes shall be issuable at a minimum of one Note and trading multiples of one Note in excess thereof.
8. **Issue Date:** July 23, 2026.
9. **Maturity Date:** If an Automatic Early Redemption Event does not occur, the Maturity Date shall be the later to occur of:
 - (i) July 15, 2031 (the "**Scheduled Maturity Date**"), or, if such day is not a Business Day, the next following Business Day; and
 - (ii) the tenth Business Day following the Final Averaging Date in respect of the Averaging

Observation Period (Final Redemption).

The postponement referred to in paragraph (b) of the definition of "Maturity Date" in Share Linked Condition 8 (*Definitions*) shall not apply.

Where "**Final Averaging Date**" means, in respect of each Averaging Observation Period, and each Averaging Date in such Averaging Observation Period, the Averaging Date for such Averaging Observation Period scheduled to fall latest in time, after applicable adjustments, if any.

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| 10. Last Day to Register: | Not Applicable. |
| 11. Books Closed Period: | Not Applicable. |
| 12. Record Date: | The date determined in accordance with the JSE Corporate Actions timetable. |
| 13. Last Day to Trade: | The date determined in accordance with the JSE Corporate Actions timetable. |
| 14. Ex-Date: | The date determined in accordance with the JSE Corporate Actions timetable. |
| 15. Finalisation Date: | The date determined in accordance with the JSE Corporate Actions timetable. |
| 16. Declaration Date: | The date determined in accordance with the JSE Corporate Actions timetable. |
| 17. Underlying Asset(s): | The Share (as defined in paragraph 38 below). |

VALUATION DATE PROVISIONS

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| 18. Valuation Date(s): | Not Applicable. |
| 19. Initial Valuation Date(s): | July 1, 2026. |
| 20. Averaging Date(s): | For each Averaging Observation Period, the Averaging Observation Period Start Date for such Averaging Observation Period and each Scheduled Trading Day falling in such Averaging Observation Period after the Averaging Observation Period Start Date, and each such date shall be subject to adjustment in accordance with Share Linked Condition 1.2 (<i>Single Share and Averaging Reference Dates</i>), as amended. |

Where:

"**Averaging Observation Period**" means each Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption) and the Averaging Observation Period (Final Redemption).

"Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption)"

means, in respect of each Automatic Early Redemption Date, the period commencing on, and including, the Averaging Observation Period Start Date falling immediately prior to the date on which such Automatic Early Redemption Date is scheduled to fall and ending on, but excluding, the Averaging Observation Period End Date corresponding to such Averaging Observation Period Start Date.

"Averaging Observation Period (Final Redemption)"

means, in respect of the Maturity Date, the period commencing on, and including, the Averaging Observation Period Start Date falling immediately prior to the Scheduled Maturity Date and ending on, but excluding, the Averaging Observation Period End Date falling immediately prior to the Scheduled Maturity Date.

"Averaging Observation Period End Date" means, in respect of each Averaging Observation Period, the third Scheduled Trading Day immediately following the Averaging Observation Period Start Date in respect of such Averaging Observation Period.

"Averaging Observation Period Start Date" means each date specified in the Relevant Date Table in Schedule 2, in the column entitled "Averaging Observation Period Start Date".

21. Initial Averaging Date(s):

June 30, 2026, July 1, 2026 and July 2, 2026, and each such date shall be subject to adjustment in accordance with Share Linked Condition 1.2 (*Single Share and Averaging Reference Dates*).

INTEREST PROVISIONS

22. Interest Basis:

Non-Interest bearing.

23. Interest Commencement Date:

Not Applicable.

24. Fixed Rate Note Conditions:

Not Applicable.

25. Floating Rate Note Conditions:

Not Applicable.

26. Zero Coupon Note Conditions:

Not Applicable.

27. Interest linked to one or more Underlying Assets Conditions:

Not Applicable.

REDEMPTION PROVISIONS

28. Redemption/Payment Basis:

Share Linked.

29. **Redemption at the option of the Issuer:** Not Applicable.
30. **Redemption at the option of Noteholders:** Not Applicable.
31. **Automatic Early Redemption:** Yes – General Note Condition 12(s) is applicable in respect of each Applicable Date.

- (i) **Automatic Early Redemption Event:** The Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Early Redemption) of the Share in respect of an Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption) is equal to or greater than the Trigger Level, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

Where:

"Dividend Adjusted Price" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in paragraph 1 (*Determination of the Dividend Adjusted Price*) of Schedule 1 (*Other Applicable Terms*) hereto.

"Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Early Redemption)" means, in respect of an Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption) and the Share, the arithmetic mean of the Dividend Adjusted Price observed across each Averaging Date in such Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption).

"Reference Price" means, in respect of any relevant day, the official closing price of the Share on the Exchange on such day, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"Reference Price (Initial)" means ZAR 222.9733, being an amount equal to the arithmetic average of its Reference Price for each of the Initial Averaging Dates, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"Trigger Level" means ZAR 222.9733, being an amount equal to 100 per cent. (100%) of the Reference Price (Initial), as determined by the Calculation Agent.

- (ii) **Automatic Early Redemption Date(s):** The Automatic Early Redemption Dates shall be each date as set forth in the "Relevant Date Table" in Schedule 2 attached hereto in the column entitled "Automatic Early Redemption Date" (each, a **"Scheduled Automatic Early Redemption Date"**), or, in each case, if later, the day falling the number of Business Days equal to the Automatic Early Redemption Delay after the Final Averaging Date in respect of the Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption) corresponding to such Automatic Early Redemption Date.

Where **"Automatic Early Redemption Delay"** means, in respect of each Automatic Early Redemption Date, the

number of Business Days as set forth in the "Relevant Date Table" in the Schedule attached hereto in the column entitled "Automatic Early Redemption Delay" in the row corresponding to the date on which such Automatic Early Redemption Date is scheduled to fall (specified in the column entitled "Automatic Early Redemption Date").

The adjustments referred to in the definition of "Automatic Early Redemption Date" in Share Linked Condition 8 (*Definitions*) shall not apply.

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| (iii) Automatic Early Redemption Amount: | In respect of each Note and the Automatic Early Redemption Date following the first Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption) for which an Automatic Early Redemption Event occurs, an amount in the Specified Currency equal to the <i>product</i> of (i) the Specified Denomination, <i>multiplied</i> by (ii) the Automatic Early Redemption Value corresponding to such Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption), as determined by the Calculation Agent. |
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Where "**Automatic Early Redemption Value**" means, in respect of each Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption), the percentage amount (expressed as a decimal amount for the purposes of calculation, such that, for example, 127.1 per cent. (127.1%) shall be 1.271) as set forth in the Relevant Date Table in Schedule 2 hereto, in the column entitled "Automatic Early Redemption Value", in the row corresponding to the Averaging Observation Period Start Date (specified in the column entitled "Averaging Observation Period Start Date").

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| (iv) Applicable Date: | The Averaging Dates for each Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption). |
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32. Final Redemption Amount of each Note:

In cases where the Final Redemption Amount is Share-Linked, Index-Linked, Commodity-Linked, FX-Linked, Inflation Linked, Bond Linked or other variable-linked:

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| (i) Underlying Asset(s): | The Share (as defined in paragraph 38 below). |
| (ii) Conditions for determining Final Redemption Amount where calculated by reference to Share and/or Index and/or Commodity and/or FX Rate and/or Inflation Index and/or Bond and/or other variable: | Unless an Automatic Early Redemption Event has occurred on an Applicable Date or the Notes are otherwise redeemed early, are purchased and cancelled, or are adjusted, in each case in accordance with the Conditions, each Note shall be redeemed on the Maturity Date by payment of the Final Redemption Amount, |

which shall be determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with paragraph (i), (ii) or (iii) below, as applicable:

- (i) if the Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Final Redemption) is equal to or greater than the Trigger Level, an amount in the Specified Currency equal to the *product* of (a) the Specified Denomination, *multiplied* by (b) 2.355, being ZAR 2,355;
- (ii) if the Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Final Redemption) is less than the Trigger Level but equal to or greater than the Barrier Level, an amount in the Specified Currency equal to the Specified Denomination, i.e., ZAR 1,000; or
- (iii) if the Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Final Redemption) is less than the Barrier Level, an amount in the Specified Currency determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$SD \times \frac{\text{Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Final Redemption)}}{\text{Reference Price (Initial)}}$$

Where:

"Barrier Level" means ZAR 156.08131, being an amount equal to 70 per cent. (70%) of the Reference Price (Initial), as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"Dividend Adjusted Price (Averaged) (Final Redemption)" means, in respect of the Averaging Observation Period (Final Redemption) and the Share, the arithmetic mean of the Dividend Adjusted Price observed across each Averaging Date in the Averaging Observation Period (Final Redemption).

"SD" means the Specified Denomination, as specified in paragraph 7(i) above.

- (iii) Conditions for determining Final Redemption Amount where calculation by reference to Share and/or Index and/or Commodity and/or FX Rate and/or Inflation Index and/or Bond and/or other variable is impossible or impracticable or otherwise disrupted: See paragraph 38 below.
- (iv) Minimum Redemption Amount: Not Applicable.

- (v) Maximum Redemption Amount: Not Applicable.
33. **Procedure in the event that a Holder of Security fails to exercise its rights prior to the Expiry Date** Not Applicable.
34. **Cash Payment(s):** Applicable.
35. **Physical Settlement:** Not Applicable.
36. **Non-scheduled Early Repayment Amount:** Fair Market Value.
- Adjusted for Issuer Expenses and Costs: Applicable.
- SHARE LINKED NOTE / INDEX LINKED NOTE / COMMODITY LINKED NOTE / FX LINKED NOTE / INFLATION LINKED NOTE / TOTAL/EXCESS RETURN CREDIT INDEX LINKED NOTE / CREDIT LINKED NOTE / BOND LINKED NOTE / OTHER VARIABLE LINKED NOTE**
37. **Type of Notes:** The Notes are Share Linked Notes – the Share Linked Conditions are applicable, subject to the terms herein.
38. **Share Linked Notes:** Applicable.
- (i) Single Share or Share Basket: Single Share.
- (ii) Name of Share(s): The ordinary shares of ABSA Group Limited (*Bloomberg code: ABG SJ Equity; Reuters screen: ABGJ.J; ISIN: ZAE000255915*) (the "**Share**" or "**Underlying Asset**").
- See also the Annex (*Information relating to the Underlying Asset*) hereto for an indication as to where information about the past and the further performance of the Underlying Asset and its volatility can be obtained.
- (iii) Exchange(s): Johannesburg Stock Exchange.
- (iv) Related Exchange(s): All Exchanges.
- (v) Options Exchange: Related Exchange.
- (vi) Valuation Time: As specified in Share Linked Condition 8 (*Definitions*).
- (vii) Market Disruption Events: As specified in Share Linked Condition 8 (*Definitions*).
- (viii) Single Share and Reference Dates – Consequences of Disrupted Days: Not Applicable.
- (ix) Single Share and Averaging Reference Dates – Consequences of Disrupted Days: Applicable in respect of each Initial Averaging Reference Date and each Averaging Reference Date - – as specified in Share Linked Condition 1.2 (*Single Share and Reference Dates*), provided that, in respect of each Automatic Early Redemption Date and the Maturity

Date, the provisions of Share Linked Condition 1.2 shall only be applied to the Averaging Reference Dates falling in the Averaging Observation Period corresponding to such Automatic Early Redemption Date or the Maturity Date, as the case may be.

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| (a) | Omission: | Not Applicable. |
| (b) | Postponement: | Not Applicable. |
| (c) | Modified Postponement: | Applicable. |
| (d) | Maximum Days of Disruption: | As specified in Share Linked Condition 8 |
| (e) | No Adjustment: | Not Applicable. |
| (x) | Share Basket and Reference Dates – Basket Valuation (Individual Scheduled Trading Day and Individual Disrupted Day): | Not Applicable. |
| (xi) | Share Basket and Averaging Reference Dates – Basket Valuation (Individual Scheduled Trading Day and Individual Disrupted Day): | Not Applicable. |
| (xii) | Share Basket and Reference Dates – Basket Valuation (Common Scheduled Trading Day but Individual Disrupted Day): | Not Applicable. |
| (xiii) | Share Basket and Reference Dates – Basket Valuation (Common Scheduled Trading Day and Common Disrupted Day): | Not Applicable. |
| (xiv) | Fallback Valuation Date: | Not Applicable. |
| (xv) | Observation Period: | Not Applicable. |
| (xvi) | Change in Law: | Applicable. |
| (xvii) | Extraordinary Event – Share Substitution: | Applicable. |
| (xviii) | Additional Disruption Events: | Not Applicable. |
| (xix) | Correction of Share Price: | Applicable. |
| (xx) | Correction Cut-off Date: | Applicable – in respect of the Share, and: |
| | (i) | each Initial Averaging Date and each Averaging Date falling in an Averaging Observation Period (Early Redemption), the second Business Day prior to the Automatic Early Redemption Date |

falling immediately after such date; and

- (ii) each Averaging Date falling in the Averaging Observation Period (Final Redemption), the second Business Day prior to the Maturity Date.

- (xxi) Depositary Receipts Conditions: Not Applicable.
- (xxii) Dividend Amount Conditions: Not Applicable.
39. **Index Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.
40. **Commodity Linked Notes (Single Commodity or Commodity Basket):** Not Applicable.
41. **Commodity Linked Notes (Single Commodity Index or Single Commodity Strategy):** Not Applicable.
42. **FX Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.
43. **Inflation Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.
44. **Total/Excess Return Credit Index Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.
45. **Credit Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.
46. **PSL Notes:** Not Applicable.
47. **Bond Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.
48. **Other Variable Linked Notes:** Not Applicable.

GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES

49. **FX Disruption Event / FX Linked Conditions Disruption Event / CNY FX Disruption Event:** FX Disruption Event is applicable – General Note Condition 15 shall apply.
50. **Hedging Disruption:** Applicable.
51. **Additional Business Centre(s):** Not Applicable.
52. **Form of Notes:** Registered Notes.
- Global Registered Note registered in the name of a nominee for a common depositary for Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg exchangeable for Individual Note Certificates in the limited circumstances described in the Global Registered Note.
53. **Additional Financial Centre(s) or other special provisions relating to Payment Business Days:** Not Applicable.

54. **Principal Financial Centre:** Non-Default Principal Financial Centre is applicable, the Principal Financial Centre in relation to ZAR is Johannesburg.
55. **Details relating to Instalment Notes: amount of each instalment date on which each payment is to be made:** Not Applicable.
56. **Minimum Trading Number:** One Note.
57. **Permitted Trading Multiple:** One Note.
58. **Date approval for issuance of Notes obtained:** Not Applicable.
59. **Other terms or special conditions:** Applicable – see Schedule 1 (*Other Applicable Terms*) hereto.
60. **Governing Law:** English law.
61. **Calculation Agent:** Goldman Sachs International.

DISTRIBUTION

62. **Method of distribution:** Non-syndicated.
- (i) If syndicated, names and addresses of Managers and underwriting commitments: Not Applicable.
- (ii) Date of Subscription Agreement: Not Applicable.
- (iii) Stabilising Manager(s) (if any): Not Applicable.
- (iv) If non-syndicated, name of Dealer: Goldman Sachs International ("**GSI**") (including its licensed branches) shall act as Dealer and purchase all Securities from the Issuer, provided that Goldman Sachs Bank Europe SE may act as Dealer in respect of some or all of the Securities acquired by it from GSI.
63. **Additional selling restrictions:** Not Applicable.
64. (i) **Prohibition of Sales to EEA Retail Investors:** Applicable.
- (ii) **Prohibition of Sales to UK Retail Investors:** Applicable.
65. **Prohibition of Offer to Private Clients in Switzerland:** Applicable.
66. **Supplementary Provisions for Belgian Securities:** Not Applicable.
67. **Swiss Public Offer requiring a** No.

Prospectus:

**68. Admission to trading of Securities in No.
Switzerland:**

**DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 3(5) OF THE COMMERCIAL
PAPER REGULATIONS IN RELATION TO SOUTH AFRICAN SECURITIES ISSUED BY GSI**

Paragraph 3(5)(a)

The ultimate borrower is the Issuer.

Paragraph 3(5)(b)

The Issuer is a going concern and can in all circumstances be reasonably expected to meet its commitments, thereby reflecting the adequacy of the liquidity and solvency of the Issuer.

Paragraph 3(5)(c)

The auditor of the Issuer is PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP.

Paragraph 3(5)(d)

As at the Issue Date:

- (i) the Issuer has issued ZAR 21,435,000,000 of Commercial Paper (as defined in the Commercial Paper Regulations) (exclusive of the Notes issued in terms of this issue and any other Notes issuing on the same Issue Date) in South Africa; and
- (ii) to the best of the Issuer's knowledge and belief, the Issuer estimates that it will still issue Commercial Paper of up to an amount of ZAR 6,370,000,000 (exclusive of the Notes issued in terms of this issue and any other Notes issuing on the same Issue Date) during the current financial year ending December 31, 2026.

Paragraph 3(5)(e)

All information that may reasonably be necessary to enable the investor to ascertain the nature of the financial and commercial risk of its investment is contained in the JSE Placement Document, Offering Circular and this Pricing Supplement.

Paragraph 3(5)(f)

There has been no material adverse change in the Issuer's financial position since the date of its last audited financial statements.

Paragraph 3(5)(g)

This Series of Notes will be listed on the Main Board of the JSE.

Paragraph 3(5)(h)

The proceeds of the issue of this Series of Notes will be applied by the Issuer for its general corporate purposes.

Paragraph 3(5)(i)

The obligations of the Issuer in respect of this Series of Notes are unsecured, however, they are guaranteed by

the Guarantor.

Paragraph 3(5)(j)

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP has confirmed that, based on their procedures performed, nothing has come to their attention which indicates that this issue of Notes does not comply in all material respects with the relevant provisions of the Commercial Paper Regulations.

PURPOSE OF PRICING SUPPLEMENT

This Pricing Supplement comprises the Pricing Supplement required for issue, and admission to trading on the Main Board of the JSE Limited, of the Notes described herein pursuant to the Series P Programme for the issuance of Warrants, Notes and Certificates of Goldman Sachs International, Goldman, Sachs & Co. Wertpapier GmbH, Goldman Sachs Finance Corp International Ltd and Goldman Sachs Bank Europe SE.

RESPONSIBILITY

The Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Pricing Supplement. To the best of the knowledge and belief of the Issuer (which has taken all reasonable care to ensure that such is the case) the information contained in the Offering Circular, as completed and/or amended by this Pricing Supplement in relation to the Series of Notes referred to above, is true and accurate in all material respects and, in the context of the issue of this Series, there are no other material facts the omission of which would make any statement in such information misleading.

The Issuer certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief there are no facts that have been omitted from the JSE Placement Document or this Pricing Supplement which would make any statement false or misleading, that all reasonable enquiries to ascertain such facts have been made and that the JSE Placement Document together with this Pricing Supplement, contain all information required by law and the Debt & Specialist Securities Listings Requirements of the JSE. The Issuer accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in the JSE Placement Document, this Pricing Supplement and all documents incorporated by reference and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents (see the section of the JSE Placement Document headed "*Documents Incorporated by Reference*").

The JSE takes no responsibility for the contents of the JSE Placement Document, the annual financial statements, annual report, this Pricing Supplement and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents. The JSE makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness of the JSE Placement Document and the annual financial statements, the annual report or this Pricing Supplement of the Issuer and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents and expressly disclaims any liability for any loss arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the aforementioned documents. The JSE's approval of the registration of the JSE Placement Document and listing of the Notes is not to be taken in any way as an indication of the merits of the Issuer or of the Notes and, to the extent permitted by law, the JSE will not be liable for any claim whatsoever.

MATERIAL CHANGE

As at the date of this Pricing Supplement, and after due and careful enquiry, there has been no material change in the financial or trading position of the Issuer and its Subsidiaries since the date of the Issuer's latest audited annual financial statements. As at the date of this Pricing Supplement, there has been no involvement by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP in making the aforementioned statement.

Where the Issuer makes statements that "*there has been no material adverse change*" and "*no significant change in the financial position or financial performance*" of the Issuer, references in these statements to the "*financial or trading position*" of the Issuer is specifically to its respective ability to meet its full payment obligations

under the South African Securities in a timely manner. Material information about the financial condition of the Issuer is included in each of the Issuer's annual and interim reports, which are incorporated by reference into the JSE Placement Document.

REPRESENTATION

Each Holder will be deemed to have agreed that it will not offer, sell or deliver the Notes in any jurisdiction except under circumstances that will result in compliance with the applicable laws thereof, and that such Holder will take at its own expense whatever action is required to permit its purchase and resale of the Notes.

Signed on behalf of Goldman Sachs International:

By: L. A. Donnelly

Duly authorised

Name: Lisa Donnelly

Date: 21 July 2026

By: K-182

Duly authorised

Name: Kunal Shah

Date: 21 July 2026

OTHER INFORMATION

LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING

Application will be made by the Issuer (or on its behalf) for the Securities to be listed on the Main Board of the JSE Limited and admitted to trading through the CSD with effect from, at the earliest, the Issue Date. No assurances can be given that such application for listing and admission to trading will be granted (or, if granted, will be granted by the Issue Date).

The Issuer has no duty to maintain the listing (if any) of the Securities on the relevant stock exchange(s) over their entire lifetime. Securities may be suspended from trading and/or delisted at any time in accordance with applicable rules and regulations of the relevant stock exchange(s).

REASONS FOR THE ISSUE, ESTIMATED NET AMOUNT OF PROCEEDS AND INTERNATIONAL ISSUE

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| (i) Reasons for the issue: | Not Applicable. |
| (ii) Estimated net amount of proceeds: | Not Applicable. |
| (iii) International issue, simultaneous public and private placement of bonds: | Not Applicable. |

OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear Bank S.A./N.V. and Clearstream Banking S.A. and the relevant identification number(s):	Strate Proprietary Limited (the "CSD").
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Delivery:	Delivery against payment.
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Names and addresses of additional Paying Agent(s) (if any):	Not Applicable.
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Operational contact(s) for Fiscal Agent:	eq-sd-operations@gs.com.
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Intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility:	No.
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Whilst the designation is specified as "no" at the date of this Pricing Supplement, should the Eurosystem eligibility criteria be amended in the future such that the Notes are capable of meeting them the Notes may then be deposited with one of the ICSDs as common safekeeper. Note that this does not necessarily mean that the Notes will then be recognised as eligible collateral for Eurosystem monetary policy and intra day credit operations by the Eurosystem at any time during their life. Such recognition will depend upon the ECB being satisfied that Eurosystem eligibility criteria have

been met.

UNITED STATES TAX CONSIDERATIONS

Section 871(m) Withholding Tax

The U.S. Treasury Department has issued regulations under which amounts paid or deemed paid on certain financial instruments that are treated as attributable to U.S.-source dividends could be treated, in whole or in part depending on the circumstances, as a "dividend equivalent" payment that is subject to tax at a rate of 30 per cent. (or a lower rate under an applicable treaty). We have determined that, as of the issue date of the Notes, the Notes will not be subject to withholding under these rules. In certain limited circumstances, however, it is possible for United States alien holders to be liable for tax under these rules with respect to a combination of transactions treated as having been entered into in connection with each other even when no withholding is required. United States alien holders should consult their tax advisor concerning these regulations, subsequent official guidance and regarding any other possible alternative characterisations of their Notes for United States federal income tax purposes. See *"United States Tax Considerations – Dividend Equivalent Payments"* in the Offering Circular for a more comprehensive discussion of the application of Section 871(m) to the Notes.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTING THE NOTES ON THE MAIN BOARD OF THE JSE LIMITED

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| 1. South African Paying Agent: | The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division |
| 2. South African Transfer Agent: | Computershare Investor Services Proprietary Limited |
| 3. South African Issuer Agent: | The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division |
| 4. Applicable Credit Rating: | Standard & Poor's: "A+" as of April 24, 2025
Moody's: "A1" as of September 23, 2024
Fitch: "AA-" as of May 12, 2026. |
| 5. Date of the JSE approval of the JSE Placement Document: | October 31, 2023 |
| 6. Exchange Control Approval: | Yes |
| 7. Unwind Level | The Unwind Level is available for viewing at https://www.goldmansachs.co.za/en/services/indicative-quotes . |

SCHEDULE 1

OTHER APPLICABLE TERMS

1. Determination of the Dividend Adjusted Price

The "**Dividend Adjusted Price**" shall be, in respect of each Averaging Date, an amount determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$\text{Max}[0; (\text{RP}(t) + \text{AADA}(t) - \text{APDA}(t))]$$

2. Definitions

For these purposes, the following words and expressions shall have the following meanings:

"**AADA(t)**" or "**Aggregate Actual Dividend Amount (t)**" means, in respect of an Averaging Date and the Dividend Period ending on (and including) such Averaging Date, the *aggregate* of each Actual Dividend Amount corresponding to such Dividend Period, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"**Actual Dividend Amount**" means, in respect of each Averaging Date and the corresponding Dividend Period for such Averaging Date and subject to the provisions in paragraph 3 (*Dividend Adjustment*) of this Schedule 1 below, each (i) Gross Cash Dividend and/or (ii) Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend declared by the Share Issuer to any holder of record of a single share of the Share on the relevant record date in respect of such Gross Cash Dividend and/or Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend, where the Ex-Dividend Date for such Gross Cash Dividend and/or Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend falls in such Dividend Period, provided that:

- (a) if holders of record of the Share may elect between receiving a Gross Cash Dividend or a Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend for an Ex-Dividend Date, the Actual Dividend Amount for such Ex-Dividend Date shall be deemed to be the Gross Cash Dividend; and
- (b) where any Gross Cash Dividend and/or Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend is declared in a currency other than the Share Currency or determined to have a value in a currency other than the Share Currency (the "**Dividend Currency**" for such Gross Cash Dividend and/or Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend), then the Actual Dividend Amount for such Averaging Date shall be such amount determined by the Calculation Agent to be such Gross Cash Dividend and/or Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend converted into the Share Currency at a rate equal to the FX Rate in respect of such Dividend Currency on the Ex-Dividend Date for such Gross Cash Dividend and/or Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend.

"**APDA(t)**" or "**Aggregate Pre-Defined Decrement Amount (t)**" means, in respect of an Averaging Date and the Dividend Period ending on (and including) such Averaging Date, the *aggregate* of the Pre-Defined Decrement Amount for each Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date falling in such Dividend Period, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"**Applicable Authority**" means any applicable authority having power to tax in respect of any dividends, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"**Dividend Period**" means, in respect of the Share and each Averaging Date, the period commencing on (but excluding) the Initial Valuation Date and ending on (and including) such Averaging Date.

"**Ex-Dividend Date**" means, in respect of the Share and any amount in cash declared as a dividend by the Share Issuer of the Share or any stock dividend declared by the Share Issuer of the Share, the date on which the Share has commenced trading ex-dividend such dividend on the Exchange, as determined by the

Calculation Agent.

"Extraordinary Dividend" means, in respect of the Share, any amount in cash or shares per the Share which the Calculation Agent determines and characterises to be an extraordinary dividend.

"FX Rate" means, in respect of any relevant Dividend Currency and any relevant day, the official mid exchange rate (expressed as the number of units of such Dividend Currency per one unit of the Share Currency), published by Refinitiv Benchmark Services Limited at or around 4:00 p.m., London time, on such day on the relevant Reuters screen, as determined by the Calculation Agent, provided that if such exchange rate is not published on, or cannot be obtained from, such Reuters screen, then such FX Rate shall be such rate as determined by the Calculation Agent, acting in good faith and in a commercially reasonable manner.

"Gross Cash Dividend" means, in respect of the Share, any amount in cash per share of the Share declared by the Share Issuer, before the withholding or deduction of taxes at the source by or on behalf of any Applicable Authority, and shall exclude:

- (i) any imputation or other credits, refunds or deductions granted by an Applicable Authority (the **"Credits"**);
- (ii) any taxes, credits, refunds or benefits imposed, withheld, assessed or levied on the Credits; and
- (iii) any Extraordinary Dividend.

"Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend" means, in respect of the Share, any amount per share of the Share equal to the cash value of any stock dividend (whether or not such stock dividend comprises of shares of the Share) declared by the Share Issuer of the Share, provided that:

- (i) if the Share Issuer does not declare a cash value for such dividend, the Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend shall be an amount determined by the Calculation Agent on the basis of the closing price of the share comprising such stock dividend as published by the relevant primary exchange of such Share on the Ex-Dividend Date (the **"Stock Dividend Closing Price"**);
- (ii) if the Stock Dividend Closing Price is not available for any reason, the Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend shall be determined by the Calculation Agent, acting in good faith and in a commercially reasonable manner; and
- (iii) the Gross Cash Equivalent Dividend shall exclude any Extraordinary Dividend.

"Max" followed by a series of amounts (or values) inside brackets, means whichever is the greater of the amounts (or values) separated by a semi-colon inside those brackets.

"Pre-Defined Decrement Amount" means, in respect of the Share and each Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date, the amount set forth in the "Pre-Defined Decrement Table" in paragraph 4 of this Schedule 1 below, in the column entitled "Pre-Defined Decrement Amount", in the row corresponding to the date on which such Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date is scheduled to fall.

"Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date" means each date set forth in the "Pre-Defined Decrement Table" in paragraph 4 of this Schedule 1 below, in the column entitled "Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date", or, if such day is not a Scheduled Trading Day, the next following Scheduled Trading Day.

"RP(t)" or "Reference Price (t)" means, in respect of each Averaging Date, the Reference Price (as defined in paragraph 31(i) of the Contractual Terms above) of the Share on such Averaging Date, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"Share Currency" means ZAR.

"Share Issuer" means ABSA Group Limited.

3. Dividend Adjustment

If, in respect of any Averaging Date, the corresponding Dividend Period for such Averaging Date, and any Actual Dividend Amount for such Averaging Date and the corresponding Dividend Period for such Averaging Date, a Dividend Adjustment Event occurs prior to the payment date determined by reference to such Averaging Date, then such Actual Dividend Amount may be adjusted by the Calculation Agent, acting in good faith and in a commercially reasonable manner, to reflect such Dividend Adjustment Event, and any determination in respect of such Averaging Date and such payment date shall be based on such adjusted Actual Dividend Amount.

HOLDERS SHOULD NOTE THAT, IF ANY SUCH ADJUSTMENT OCCURS, THEN SUCH ACTUAL DIVIDEND AMOUNT IS LIKELY TO BE ADJUSTED TO ZERO.

Where:

"Actual Dividend" means, in respect of any Actual Dividend Amount, the amount actually paid or delivered by the Share Issuer of the Share to holders of record of the Share in respect of such Actual Dividend Amount, as determined by the Calculation Agent.

"Dividend Adjustment Event" means, in respect of each Averaging Date, the corresponding Dividend Period for such Averaging Date, and any Actual Dividend Amount for such Averaging Date and the corresponding Dividend Period for such Averaging Date (and a Dividend Adjustment Event shall be deemed to have occurred if):

- (i) the Actual Dividend corresponding to such Actual Dividend Amount is different from such Actual Dividend Amount; or
- (ii) the Share Issuer of the Share declares an intention to adjust such Actual Dividend Amount,

in each case, as determined by the Calculation Agent. The determination of a Dividend Adjustment Event shall be prior to the application of paragraph (b) of the proviso to the definition of "Actual Dividend Amount" in paragraph 2 of this Schedule 1.

4. Pre-Defined Decrement Table

Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date	Pre-Defined Decrement Amount
September 9, 2026	ZAR 8.73
April 21, 2027	ZAR 9.46
September 8, 2027	ZAR 9.59
April 26, 2028	ZAR 10.38
September 6, 2028	ZAR 10.45
April 25, 2029	ZAR 11.32
September 12, 2029	ZAR 11.86
April 24, 2030	ZAR 12.84
September 11, 2030	ZAR 12.74

Pre-Defined Ex-Decrement Date	Pre-Defined Decrement Amount
April 23, 2031	ZAR 13.8

SCHEDULE 2

Relevant Date Table			
Averaging Observation Period Start Date	Automatic Early Redemption Date	Automatic Early Redemption Delay	Automatic Early Redemption Value
June 28, 2027	July 15, 2027	11 Business Days	127.1%
June 28, 2028	July 17, 2028	11 Business Days	154.2%
June 28, 2029	July 16, 2029	10 Business Days	181.3%
June 27, 2030	July 15, 2030	10 Business Days	208.4%
June 27, 2031	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

ANNEX

INFORMATION RELATING TO THE UNDERLYING ASSET

Information on the Share and the issuer of the Share may be obtained from: <https://www.absa.africa/investor-relations/shareholders/> (but the information appearing on such website does not form part of this Pricing Supplement).

Supplement(s) to the Offering Circular

The Offering Circular dated November 14, 2025 has been supplemented by the following Supplement(s):

Supplement(s)	Date
Supplement No. 1	November 20, 2025
Supplement No. 2	December 12, 2025
Supplement No. 3	January 29, 2026
Supplement No. 4	March 17, 2026
Supplement No. 5	April 8, 2026
Supplement No. 6	May 7, 2026
Supplement No. 7	May 28, 2026
Supplement No. 8	June 24, 2026