

Azerion - Business Update

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Prior to the release of its formal unaudited consolidated interim financial statements for Q4 2021 and its audited consolidated Annual Report for full financial year ended 31 December 2021, and further to its Business Update released on 10 January 2022, Azerion Holding B.V. ("Azerion") is delighted to provide a further update to its stakeholders and investors on a number of performance highlights for the full financial year ended 31 December 2021 and further strategic initiatives announced since 10 January 2022.

Selected Financial Highlights for Full Year 2021¹

- Revenue for the full year 2021 expected to be at least €300 million, representing an increase of over 50% as compared to full year reported 2020 revenue, and with 2021 revenue now expected to be at least €375 million taking into account the full year pro forma effect of the acquisitions completed during 2021
- Strong results for the full year driven by a combination of continued organic growth and the ongoing integration of acquisitions completed in 2021
- Before the contribution made from the acquisitions completed in 2021, the underlying business as it stood at the year ended 2020 is expected to deliver revenue of at least €250 million, representing growth on the revenue reported for full year 2020 of approximately 28%

Selected Strategic Initiatives since 10 January 2022

Further to its Business Update announcement released on 10 January 2022, Azerion has continued to rapidly expand its strategic and commercial partnerships thereby extending its portfolio of digital gaming and entertainment content, growing its user base and distribution reach and enhancing its ability to capture a larger share of

¹ The financial highlights included in this press release may vary from the actual results and are subject to finalisation of the audit for the year ended 31 December 2021. All financial and other data included in this press release is unaudited.

available digital advertising budgets and in-game purchases. These recently announced strategic initiatives and commercial partnerships include:

Development of our Metaverse Environments

 Consolidating Azerion's position at the forefront of the metaverse and Web 3.0 through the integration of non-fungible tokens ("NFTs") into the Habbo game environment

See further https://www.azerion.com/nft-integration-habbo/

 The launching of Azerion's first metaverse concert for 2022: opening the new year with an outstanding concert series in 3D online social community <u>Hotel</u> <u>Hideaway</u>, with the first event featuring an hour-long 'galactic' mix session with DJ Irwan

See further https://www.azerion.com/hotel-hideaway-dj-sessions/

Expansion of our Platform and Distribution Channels

A deepening of Azerion's long standing partnership with Google, through the
expansion of Azerion's Improve Digital media buying services with the launch of
two new major capabilities. The new release will enable buyers from Google's
Display & Video 360 platform to access Improve Digital's native ad inventory at
scale and activate deals ("PMPs") more efficiently

See further https://www.azerion.com/display-video-360/

A new strategic partnership between Azerion and MediaMath launching a
gaming marketplace that will enable marketers to reach Azerion's audiences
across the open-web and deliver privileged access to AAA gaming partners. This
launch follows the recent announcement of a partnership between Bidstack and
Azerion, where together with MediaMath, brands and agencies will be able to
reach Azerion's audience of over 425 million monthly users within both Azerion's
ecosystem and MediaMath's transparent supply chain

See further https://www.azerion.com/mediamath/

 A new exclusive advertising monetisation partnership between Azerion and MiniJuegos through which Azerion will oversee the monetisation strategy and operations for MiniJuegos' seven casual gaming portals, extending Azerion's reach in Spain, Mexico, United States of America, Italy, Brazil, Netherlands and Poland

See further https://www.azerion.com/minijuegos

 An extension of Azerion's strategic partnership with Yandex, one of Europe's largest internet companies, enabling Azerion to extend the distribution of its content portfolio, to integrate Azerion's premium advertising platform to provide programmatic advertising monetisation and sales network support to Yandex, and the publishing of Yandex Games content within the Azerion publishing network

See further https://www.azerion.com/yandex-partnership/

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