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<u>Preliminary results for the tender offer on the outstanding €833 million 4.40% exchangeable bonds</u> <u>due 2014 exchangeable into ordinary shares of Gedeon Richter</u>

12 November 2013

Magyar Nemzeti Vagyonkezelő Zrt. (The Hungarian National Asset Management Inc.) ("MNV"), today announces that as of 4.00 p.m. (London time) on 11 November 2013 it has received valid tenders for €790.5 million principal amount of its €833 million 4.4% exchangeable bonds due 2014 (ISIN: XS0451905367) (the "Existing Bonds") in connection with the invitation to tender outstanding bonds published on 6 November 2013 and made on the terms and subject to the conditions contained in the tender and consent memorandum dated 6 November 2013 (the "Tender and Consent Memorandum"), and that the Minimum Tender Amount Condition and the New Issue Condition have been satisfied. Capitalised terms used in this announcement but not defined have the meaning given to them in the Tender and Consent Memorandum.

Deutsche Bank AG, London Branch ("Deutsche Bank") and UniCredit Bank AG, London Branch ("UniCredit") are acting as Joint Dealer Managers in the Offer.

A complete description of the terms and conditions of the Offer is set out in the Tender and Consent Memorandum. Questions and requests for assistance in connection with the Offer may be directed to the Joint Dealer Managers.

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No offer or invitation to acquire or exchange any securities is being made pursuant to this announcement. Nothing in this announcement or the Tender and Consent Memorandum constitutes an invitation to participate in the Offer (an "Invitation") or an offer to buy or a solicitation of an offer to sell Bonds in any jurisdiction in which, or to or from any person to or from whom, it is unlawful to make such an invitation or such offer or solicitation is unlawful under the laws and regulations of such jurisdiction (including but not limited to relevant securities or "blue sky" laws). Tenders of Bonds in the Offer will not be accepted from Holders, in any jurisdiction in which such offer or solicitation is unlawful.

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United Kingdom

The communication of this announcement, the Tender and Consent Memorandum and any other documents or materials relating to the Offer is not being made and such documents and/or materials have not been approved by an authorised person for the purposes of section 21 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (the "FSMA"). Accordingly, such documents and/or materials are not being distributed to, and must not be passed on to, the general public in the United Kingdom. The communication of such documents and/or materials is exempt from the restriction on financial promotions under section 21 of the FSMA on the basis that it is only directed at and may be communicated to (1) those persons who are existing members or creditors of the Issuer or other

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Italy

None of the Offer, this announcement, the Tender and Consent Memorandum or any other documents or materials relating to the Offer have been or will be submitted to the clearance procedure of the Commissione Nazionale per le Società e la Borsa ("CONSOB") pursuant to Italian laws and regulations.

The Offer is being carried out in the Republic of Italy as an exempted offer pursuant to article 101-bis, paragraph 3-bis of the Legislative Decree No. 58 of 24 February 1998, as amended (the "Financial Services Act") and article 35-bis, paragraph 3 of CONSOB Regulation No. 11971 of 14 May 1999, as amended (the "Issuers' Regulation").

Accordingly, the Offer is only addressed to holders of Bonds located in the Republic of Italy who are "qualified investors" (*investitori qualificati*) as defined pursuant to and within the meaning of Article 100 of the Financial Services Act and article 34-ter, paragraph 1, letter b) of the Issuers' Regulation ("Eligible Italian Investors"). Holders of Bonds located in Italy that do not qualify as Eligible Italian Investors may not participate in the Offer and none of this announcement, the Tender and Consent Memorandum or any other documents or materials relating to the Offer may be distributed or otherwise made available to them, as part of the Offer.

Eligible Italian Investors can tender Bonds through authorised persons (such as investment firms, banks or financial intermediaries permitted to conduct such activities in the Republic of Italy in accordance with the Financial Services Act, CONSOB Regulation No. 16190 of 29 October 2007, as amended from time to time, and Legislative Decree No. 385 of 1 September 1993, as amended) and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations or with requirements imposed by CONSOB or any other Italian authority.

Each intermediary must comply with the applicable laws and regulations concerning information duties vis-à-vis its clients in connection with the Bonds, the Offer, this announcement or the Tender and Consent Memorandum.

France

The Offer is not being made, directly or indirectly, to the public in the Republic of France ("France"). Neither this announcement, the Tender and Consent Memorandum nor any other documents or materials relating to the Offer have been or will be distributed to the public in France and only (i) providers of investment services relating to portfolio management for the account of third parties (personnes fournissant le service d'investissement de gestion de portefeuille pour compte de tiers) and/or (ii) qualified investors (investisseurs qualifiés), all as defined in, and in accordance with, Articles L.411-1, L.411-2 and D.411-1 to D.411-3 of the French Code monétaire et financier, are eligible to participate in the Offer. This announcement and the Tender and Consent Memorandum have not been and will not be submitted to nor approved by the Autorité des Marchés Financiers.

United States

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