**GUALA CLOSURES ACHIEVED ‘GOLD MEDAL’ FROM ECOVADIS FOR SUSTAINABILITY PERFORMANCE**

*The Group is now in the top 3% of the best companies analysed in the field worldwide.*

*Milan, 18th October 2024* – Guala Closures, a world leader in the production of closures for the spirits, wine, water, beverage and edible oil markets, is proud to announce that it has received the **gold medal from EcoVadis**, a leading global corporate sustainability assessment platform based on international standards.

Since 2023, Guala Closures has participated in the EcoVadis assessment at Group level on an annual basis, covering all its sites around the world. Compared to last year, the company's score has improved significantly from 69 to 76, placing it in the top 3% of all companies assessed in its industry.

This result represents a significant milestone in the Spinetta Marengo-based company's efforts to improve its environmental, social and ethical performance, compared to its previous silver medal.

‘*Obtaining the EcoVadis gold medal represents not only a prestigious achievement for us, but also the concrete recognition of our strategies regarding the environment, ethics, labour practices, respect for human rights and sustainable supply chain. For Guala Closures, sustainability is not just about the environment: the company's commitment also fully embraces social and ethical aspects*,’ comments **Paolo Lavazza, Group Quality and Sustainability Director of Guala Closures.**

The Gold Medal reflects the Group's commitment to sustainability, showcased in the third *Sustainable Together 2030* programme. The programme aims to integrate business growth and financial solidity with social and environmental sustainability, creating long-term value for people, territories and all stakeholders, and responsibly addressing the challenges posed by the current and future macroeconomic context.

***About Guala Closures***

*Guala Closures offers premium and innovative closure solutions that provide protection and convenience to consumers while enhancing customers’ brands. With 35 production plants worldwide, Guala Closures is a world leader in the production of closures for spirits, wines, beverages, oil, and condiments, that guarantees proximity to its customers, with a localized and customized offer of services and solutions. Guala Closures today employs over 5,000 people.*

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