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#### 23 March 2021

#### PensionBee Limited

#### **Announcement of Publication of Registration Document**

Further to the announcement by PensionBee earlier today relating to the Company's expected intention to conduct an initial public offering, PensionBee confirms that its Registration Document has been approved by the FCA and has been published. The Registration Document has been submitted to the National Storage Mechanism and will be available shortly for inspection at https://data.fca.org.uk/#/nsm/nationalstoragemechanism. A copy is also available online at www.pensionbee.com/investor-relations/ipo-centre, subject to certain access restrictions.

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