



**PRESS RELEASE**

**THE BORSA ITALIANA GROUP WILL OBSERVE  
TWO MINUTES OF SILENCE**

Borsa Italiana, Cassa di Compensazione e Garanzia, Monte Titoli as well as the other Borsa Italiana Group subsidiaries will observe two minutes of silence on July 7, at 1 pm to commemorate the victims of last year's London terrorist attacks.

Borsa Italiana has asked intermediaries to join this initiative.

The trading systems will remain open.

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