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### NuRAN Receives US\$ 1M from FEI, a Cygnum Capital's fund

Quebec, QC, Canada, September 29, 2025 – NuRAN Wireless Inc. ("NuRAN" or the "Company") (CSE: NUR) (OTC: NRRWF) (FSE: 1RN), a leading supplier of mobile and broadband wireless infrastructure solutions, is pleased to announce that it has received approval for the third drawdown of US\$ 1M from the Facility for Energy Inclusion ("FEI"), a fund managed by Cygnum Capital.

This follows the first drawdown of [US\\$ 2.5M received on July 16, 2024](#), and the second drawdown of [US\\$ 1.05M received on February 28, 2025](#), under the [US\\$ 5M loan facility agreement initially announced on April 26, 2024](#). The third drawdown was made possible following the recent amendment signed with Orange for NuRAN's operations in the Democratic Republic of the Congo ("DRC") and approval of the award of its infrastructure license. The remaining US\$ 450,000 will be disbursed upon the delivery of an additional 50 sites.

Funds from this drawdown will mainly be used for expanding mobile sites in Africa and restarting NuRAN's operations in the DRC, supporting its NaaS model and financial growth. The financing will cover operational and construction costs for rural infrastructure, helping NuRAN advance toward its 2025 goal of activating sites across sub-Saharan Africa and connecting thousands in remote areas.

#### About Cygnum Capital

Cygnum Capital Group is an investment bank and asset manager, operating across frontier and emerging markets. Cygnum Capital Asset Management manages six pioneering funds: five debt funds including: (i) the African Local Currency Bond Fund ("ALCBF"), a ground-breaking investment vehicle established to support local currency capital markets, (ii) Off-Grid Energy Access Fund ("OGEF") which supports companies in off-grid energy such as SHS and small- medium mini-grids, (iii) FEI which support companies that provide a range of renewable energy solutions such as medium-large mini- grids, C&I and IPP with a maximum capacity of 25 MW, (iv) AfricaGoGreen Fund ("AGG") which supports companies combating climate change by reducing the use of fossil fuels through new technologies and that increase energy efficiency and promote economic development in high impact target sectors, (v) Africa Agriculture Trade Investment Fund ("AATIF") which is dedicated to uplift Africa's agricultural potential through improving food security and providing additional employment and income to farmers, entrepreneurs and labourers by investing in efficient local value chains; and a VC private equity fund and (vi) E3 Low Carbon Economy Fund for Africa ("E3 LCEF") which invests in climate-smart services, digital connectivity & applications, low-carbon productivity enablers. Cygnum Capital Asset Management has over USD 1.1 billion in assets under management with investments in 37 African countries.



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### About the Facility for Energy Inclusion

FEI is designed to support small-scale independent power producers delivering power to the grid, mini-grids, commercial and industrial, and captive power projects. FEI was set up by the African Development Bank ("AfDB") as part of its New Deal for Africa initiative. In addition to the investment by the AfDB, FEI received equity funding from the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development through KfW and Norfund and loan commitments from the Austrian Development Bank and the International Finance Corporation (IFC). The AfDB also invested on behalf of the Clean Technology Fund and the European Commission.

The transaction was supported by FEI's Project Preparation Facility ("PPF"), funded by the Global Environment Facility, through the AfDB. The PPF provides returnable grant funding for last-mile processes crucial to closing transactions and to fund due diligence and preparatory costs incurred in establishing innovative structures or transactions that FEI seeks to lend to.

### About NuRAN Wireless

NuRAN Wireless is a leading rural telecommunications company that meets the growing demand for wireless network coverage in remote and rural regions around the globe. With its affordable and innovative scalable solutions of 2G, 3G, and 4G technologies, NuRAN Wireless offers a new possibility for more than one billion people to communicate effectively over long distances efficiently and affordably. "Bridging the Digital Divide, One Connection at a Time."

### Additional Information:

For further information about NuRAN Wireless: [www.nuranwireless.com](http://www.nuranwireless.com)

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