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TERNIENERGIA: arbitrary exclusion from Ecopneus tenders for the shredding of ELTs, consequent actions

TerniEnergia, smart company listed on the MTA of the Italian Stock Exchange and part of the Italeaf Group, announces that today it has received information from Ecopneus about the decision taken by the same Consortium for the tracing, collection, treatment and final destination of End-of-Life Tyres to exclude the company from tenders with electronic negotiation for the shredding of ELTs for the period 2019-2021.

TerniEnergia, pointing out to be the player that in Italy has made the largest investments in this sector and to represent, with specialisation and plants in operation at Borgo Val di Taro (PR) and Nera Montoro (TR), the only operator with large size company, notes that this communication is completely arbitrary and clearly contrary to the general and mandatory principles of equal treatment between competitors and the regular, transparent and impartial conduct of the same tenders. It should also be noted that the Ecopneus Consortium plays a dominant role in the regulated sector, with the power to distort competition, determining, on the basis of unilateral and unjustified decisions, the exclusion of a company such as TerniEnergia from the sector itself. The Company will therefore take all steps in court to protect itself, will take legal action to restore its rights and for any compensation for damages suffered and to be suffered and, even before that, will contact the European Commissioner for Competition and the Antitrust Authority.

This press release is also available on the Company's website: <u>www.ternienergia.com</u>.

TERNIENERGIA (TER. MI), established in September 2005 and part of the Italeaf Group, is the first Italian global technological enabler, committed to bringing energy solutions and efficient recovery of integrated and sustainable resources to the world. Organized into two strategic business lines (Assets and Smart solutions and services), with about 300 employees and a geographical presence worldwide, with operative and commercial offices, TerniEnergia develops innovative solutions, products and services based on digital and industrial technologies for the energy supply chain, grids, smart mobility, industrial automation and the recovery of marginal resources.

TerniEnergia, also through its subsidiaries (Softeco Sismat, Greenled Industry, GreenAsm, GreenAsm, Purify, Wisave, Ant Energy), pursues the objectives of increasing energy production from renewable sources, saving energy and reducing emissions and actively participates in the energy revolution of distributed power generation and smart grids, with innovative digital solutions.

TerniEnergia is the ideal partner for large utilities, distribution operators and network operators, energy producers, public administrations, industrial customers and investors who intend to realize large projects for the production of renewable energy, modern systems and plants with high energy efficiency, solutions for the management and maintenance of infrastructure and electrical installations.

TerniEnergia has completed its transformation from a leader in the international photovoltaic market into a smart energy company and technological enabler for the sustainable use of resources through a complete commercial offer of solutions, the development and supply of digital technologies and the creation of "intelligent" services and solutions aimed at public and private customers in emerging sectors.

TerniEnergia is listed on the MTA of Borsa Italiana.



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