



BORSA ITALIANA - STAR segment

PRESS RELEASE

SUSPENSION OF THE PURCHASE OF TREASURY SHARES PROGRAM

Collegno (TO), December 17th 2018 - Prima Industrie S.p.A. announces the suspension of the purchase of treasury shares program, carried out according to the authorization approved by the Shareholders' Meeting of April 20, 2018.

The Company has in fact reached a number of shares equal to 100,000 (0.95% of the share capital), part of which may be assigned free of charge to share-based incentive plans.

Prima Industrie reserves the right to re-start making purchases in execution of the aforementioned Shareholders' Meeting authorization, whenever it should deem it appropriate and considering the maximum number of authorized shares and the period for which the purchase authorization has been granted.

PRIMA INDUSTRIE heads a leading Group in developing, manufacturing and marketing of laser systems for industrial applications, sheet metal processing machinery, as well as industrial electronics and laser technologies.

The parent company Prima Industrie S.p.A. is listed on the Italian Stock Exchange since 1999 (MTA- STAR segment).

With 40 years of experience the Group can count on about 13,000 machines installed in more than 80 countries worldwide and is among the main worldwide manufacturers in its own reference market.

The Group has about 1,800 employees and manufacturing sites in Italy (PRIMA INDUSTRIE S.p.A, PRIMA ELECTRO S.p.A), Finland (FINN-POWER Oy), USA (Convergent Photonics Llc, PRIMA POWER LASERDYNE Llc.) and China (PRIMA POWER SUZHOU Co. Ltd.). Remarkable is as well its direct commercial and after-sales presence in BRIC, NAFTA, European Union and other emerging Asian countries.

The Prima Industrie Group is structured on 2 Business Units:

Laser and sheet metal processing machines (Prima Power): including design, manufacturing and marketing of:

- Laser machines for cutting, welding and drilling of 3D and 2D components.

- Machines for sheet metal treatment by means of mechanical tools (punching machines, combined punching/shearing systems, combined punching/laser cutting systems, panel benders and automation systems).

Industrial electronics and laser technologies (Prima Electro): including development, manufacturing and marketing of power and control electronics, and of high-power laser sources for industrial applications, destined both to the Group machines and to third parties.

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