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FRIEM and Società Chimica Bussi: a successfull partnership in the production of chlorine and its derivatives

(June 1th, 2023 – Segrate, Milan) FRIEM, technology provider leader for electric energy conversion, confirms the long-lasting partnership with Società Chimica Bussi, company operating in the chemical industry sector, especially in the production of chlorine and its derivatives.

The industrial area of twenty-three hectares, located in Bussi sul Tirino (PE), hosts <u>Società</u> <u>Chimica Bussi</u>, a pioneer company in the chemical industry sector since 1903. The area includes plants of basic and fine chemicals, and of hydropower.

Three FRIEM's high-power rectifiers rated 1000.000A and 245V in total, are running since 1961. From the original installation, one rectifier is still operating to support the chemical production, especially in the chlorine and its derivatives.

Last month, a technical team has performed some scheduled maintenance service on the equipment. The maintenance services have been performed with expertise and will guarantee efficiency and reliability to the installed rectifiers, also by limiting the losses due to the shut-down operations.

We are glad to confirm our partnership with Società Chimica Bussi: even thanks to their professional collaboration we can contributing together in the growth of the Italian industry, dedicated to the production of chlorine and its derivates.



FRIEM S.p.A

FRIEM is an Italian technology manufacturer founded in 1950, which specialises in the design and production of electrical converters for special applications. As one of the top global players in the high-power rectifier industry, FRIEM has reached a turnover of approximately 35 million euros (out of which over 90% of the amount stems from abroad), 1.5 GW of production capacity, while employing over 100 people worldwide.

FRIEM, being a European leader in the green hydrogen production using electrolysis for large power plants, supports the energy transition by assuming a central position in the value chain.

The group consists of the parent company FRIEM S.p.A., with its headquarters in Segrate (Milan); two subsidiaries based in the United States FRIEM America Ltd, FRIEM LATAM Eireli in Brazil; a commercial office in Indonesia; and DynAmp, an American producer of high-DC current measurement systems, and with the Italian TCE Consultore, it provides power electronics consultancy. In April 2022, Fondo Italiano d'Investimento has entered FRIEM's capital through FITEC, with a minority share to accelerates growth and investments.