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• PV system commissioned at the Neodecortech plant of Casoli d'Atri (TE).

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Neodecortech S.p.A. ("NDT" or the "Company"), one of Europe's top players in the production of decorative papers for laminated panels and flooring used in interior design, listed on Euronext STAR Milan organized and managed by Borsa Italiana S.p.A. - Euronext STAR Milan segment, announces that, in line with the provisions of the ESG 2021-2023 Action Plan adopted by the Company in May 2021, it has taken a further step towards decarbonizing its industrial sites and achieving a lower and lower dependence on fossil fuels.

A new photovoltaic system with a peak capacity of 500 kWp was put into operation last 16 December at the production site located in Casoli d'Atri (TE). The system will meet approximately 20% of the plant's energy needs. The Group's path towards energy self-production thus continues, this latter system now joining the existing PV system installed in 2012 at the other production site in Filago (BG), which has a capacity of 1,000 kWp.

"This new project will enable us to reduce CO2 emissions under Scope 2 as defined by the UN Agenda in the 2030 plan, by an additional 165 tonnes/year of CO2 at the Casoli site, with significant cost saving on the electricity bill front too", says CEO Luigi Cologni.

The Group's goal is to give a strong identity to its products, in an increasingly competitive market where environmental sustainability and energy saving can become highly relevant in an international context that is hard to grasp, especially when it comes to the costs of energy raw materials.

Going further into detail on sustainability issues, CEO Luigi Cologni adds that "the commissioning of the new PV system at Casoli is part of the broader project pursued by the Neodecortech Group to achieve as many as 10 of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) as defined by the UN in the 2030 Agenda. Among these, decarbonization is without a doubt one of the most relevant goals, on which the Group is strongly active along with the truly massive adoption of circular economy principles. The pursuit of **carbon neutrality** scope 1 and scope 2, which has already taken place for the Neodecortech Spa plants, was extended to a second Group Company (Bioenergia Guarcino Srl) in 2022 and will also be extended to the third Group Company (Cartiere di Guarcino) in 2023: a major achievement indeed to combat the effects of climate change and far in advance even of the goals set by the EU for 2030".

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