

PRESS RELEASE

Summary of Purchase and Disposal of Treasury Shares

Florence, October 2nd, 2008. Within the frame of the purchase and disposal buy back program, as authorized by KME Group S.p.A. Stockholders' Meeting resolution passed on September 16th, 2008, and started last September 22nd, KME Group S.p.A. communicates that in the period between 22nd and 30th September has purchased the following number of shares:

- n. 266.870 ordinary shares at the average price (including fees), of Euros 0,6813 per share, for a total amount of Euros 181.807,21;
- n. 7.040 saving shares at the average price (including fees) of Euros 1,030 per share, for a total amount of Euros 7.251,50.

As a result of the purchases above mentioned, KME Group S.p.A. holds a total of n. 266.870 ordinary shares, equal to 0,113% of the shares of the same category, and n. 28.706 saving shares (including n. 21.666 saving shares already held), that equal to 0,151% of the shares of the same category.

The total amount of treasury shares held by KME Group S.p.A. represents the 0,116% of the whole share capital.

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