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PLASTIC OMNIUM JOINS FORCES WITH EDF GROUP TO COVER HALF OF ITS ELECTRICITY NEEDS WITH RENEWABLE ENERGY IN FRANCE

Plastic Omnium has signed a contract with EDF Renewables that will cover around 50% of its electricity needs with low-carbon electricity by 2025. The renewable electricity will be produced at five new photovoltaic power plants developed, built and operated in France by EDF Renewables and its Luxel subsidiary. This strategic choice sees Plastic Omnium reach a new milestone on its path to carbon neutrality in scopes 1 and 2 by 2025.

The 20-year power purchase agreement (PPA¹) will see direct purchases of renewable electricity, including a total annual production capacity of 45 GWh of electricity², enough power to meet the needs of a population of 20,000. The five photovoltaic power plants will provide power to Plastic Omnium's 14 sites in France.

Plastic Omnium has succeeded in delivering a 26% cut in CO_2 emissions from its in-house activities (Scope 1) and its energy use (Scope 2) since 2019. These efforts form part of its Top Planet program, first rolled out in 2006 with the goal of cutting the environmental impacts of production at its plants.

Laurent Favre, Chief Executive Officer of Plastic Omnium, says: "This new production capacity for low-carbon electricity will allow Plastic Omnium to significantly ramp up the share of renewables in its energy mix. The landmark contracts we are signing today with EDF Group mark a major milestone in delivering our ambitious carbon neutrality roadmap, while also locking in our long-term energy costs."

As energy supplier to Plastic Omnium, EDF Group has the in-depth knowledge of its activities and processes needed to help Plastic Omnium meet its decarbonization goals, which are setting the standard for energy transition in the automotive industry.

EDF Group and its subsidiaries cover the complete PPA value chain, with EDF Renewables developing, constructing, and operating photovoltaic power plants, and Agregio Solutions aggregating renewable electricity production and incorporating it into the power supplied to its customers.

⁽¹⁾ A power purchase agreement (PPA) is a long-term contract for the delivery of renewable electricity. The electricity can be produced by photovoltaic panels or wind turbines installed directly at Plastic Omnium sites, or at sites used exclusively for producing electricity.

⁽²⁾ Equivalent to an installed capacity of 38 Mwc.





About Plastic Omnium

Plastic Omnium is a world leader in innovative solutions for a unique mobility experience that is safer and more sustainable. Innovation-driven from the outset, Plastic Omnium develops and produces intelligent exterior systems, customized complex modules, lighting systems, energy storage systems, and electrification solutions for actors from every mobility sector. With ≤ 9.5 billion economic revenue in 2022, an international footprint of 150 plants and 43 R&D centers, Plastic Omnium relies on its 40,500 employees to meet the challenges of transformations in mobility.

Plastic Omnium is listed on Euronext Paris, compartment A. It is eligible for the Deferred Settlement Service (SRD) and is part of the SBF 120 and CAC Mid 60 indices (ISIN code: FR0000124570). <u>www.plasticomnium.com</u>

About EDF Group

As a major player in energy transition, EDF Group is an integrated energy company active in all businesses: generation, transmission, distribution, energy trading, energy sales and energy services. EDF Group is a world leader in low-carbon energy, having developed a diverse production mix based mainly on nuclear and renewable energy (including hydropower). It is also investing in new technologies to support the energy transition. EDF's raison d'être is to build a net-zero energy future with electricity and innovative solutions and services, to help save the planet and drive well-being and economic development. The Group is involved in suppling energy and services to approximately 40.3 million customers worldwide,⁽¹⁾ 28 million of them in France.⁽²⁾ It generated consolidated sales of €143.5 billion in 2022.

⁽¹⁾ Customers are counted per delivery site. A customer can have two delivery sites, one for electricity and another for gas.

⁽²⁾ Including ÉS (Électricité de Strasbourg) and SEI (Island Energy Systems).

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