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Valeo joins the CAC 40 ESG index

Valeo joins the new "CAC 40 ESG" index comprising 40 companies that have demonstrated the best environmental, social and governance practices.

Jacques Aschenbroich, Valeo's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, commented: "The Group is delighted to once again be recognized as a leader in sustainable development. Valeo's inclusion in the index acknowledges the strategy, performance and transparency of a Group that has been committed to environmental, social and governance issues for more than ten years."

On February 4, 2021, Valeo committed to achieving carbon neutrality by 2050 and to reaching 45% of its objective by 2030. This "CAP 50" carbon neutrality plan includes its suppliers, its own operating activities and the end use of its products (Scopes 1, 2 and 3).

Thanks to its strategic choices, Valeo has established itself as the world leader in vehicle electrification and driving assistance systems. In 2020, 94% of the Group's original equipment sales were generated by technologies that contribute to reducing CO₂ emissions and improving road safety.

Valeo is regularly recognized for its comprehensive sustainable development (environmental, social and governance) approach. On January 25, 2021, Corporate Knights ranked Valeo as the most sustainable company in the automotive sector, among the world's 100 most sustainable listed corporations. In 2020, Valeo was also the highest rated automotive supplier by non-financial rating agencies MSCI (AAA), CDP (A), Sustainalytics and SAM (76/100). The Group also maintained its leadership position in the Dow Jones Sustainability (DJSI) World index for the fifth year in a row.

Valeo is an automotive supplier, partner to all automakers worldwide. As a technology company, Valeo proposes innovative products and systems that contribute to the reduction of CO₂ emissions and to the development of intuitive driving. In 2020, the Group generated sales of 16.4 billion euros and invested 12% of its original equipment sales in Research and Development. At December 31, 2020, Valeo had 187 plants, 20 research centers, 43 development centers and 15 distribution platforms, and employed 110,300 people in 33 countries worldwide. Valeo is listed on the Paris Stock Exchange.

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