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# REXEL ENTERS THE MSCI GLOBAL STANDARD INDICE

Rexel, leading distributor worldwide of electrical supplies, was included today in the MCSI Global Standard European indice, a prestigious reference for medium and large market capitalizations throughout the world.

Rexel's inclusion in the MCSI Global Standard indice reflects the attractiveness of Rexel's stock for investors and completes the list of indices in which the stock is included. Rexel is also included in the following indices:

- •The SBF120 index, composed of the 120 most actively traded and most liquid stocks in France.
- •The CAC MID100 index, a benchmark index for midcaps that is composed of the 100 largest stocks by market capitalization immediately following the 60 stocks that make up the CAC 40 and CAC Next20 indices,
- •The SBF250 index, composed of the 250 largest stocks by market capitalization traded on Euronext Paris.
- •The CAC AllShares index, composed of all the stocks listed on Euronext Paris whose annual trading volume exceeds 5% of their share capital, irrespective of market capitalization
- •The FTSE EuroMid, a benchmark for medium capitalisation pan-European equities that includes all the constituents of the FTSE World Index Europe that are not current constituents of the FTSEurofirst 300 Index.
- •The FTSE4Good, composed of listed companies that meet globally recognised corporate responsibility standards,
- •The STOXX600 index, composed of pan European stocks
- •The ASPI Eurozone, composed of the 120 Eurozone companies with the highest social responsibility ratings as established by Vigeo.

Rexel, a global leader in the distribution of sustainable and innovative products and services for automation, technical supply and energy management, addresses three main markets - industrial, commercial and residential. The Group supports customers around the globe, wherever they are, to create value and run their business better. With a network of some 2,200 branches in 37 countries, and over 28,000 employees, Rexel's sales were €12.7 billion in 2011. Its majority shareholders are an investor group led by Clayton, Dubilier & Rice, Eurazeo and BAML Capital Partners.

Rexel is listed on the Eurolist market of Euronext Paris (compartment A, ticker RXL, ISIN code FR0010451203). It is included in the following indices: SBF 120, CAC Mid 100, CAC AllTrade, CAC AllShares, FTSE EuroMid, FTSE4Good, STOXX600, ASPI Eurozone and MSCI Europe.

For more information, visit Rexel's web site at www.rexel.com

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