FLEX ACQUIRES STAKE IN ROCTOOL

RocTool, specialist in the design and development of technologies for rapid molding of composites and plastic injection, today announced that Flex, a leading sketch-to-scale™ solutions company that designs and builds intelligent products for a connected world, had acquired a minority stake in RocTool. Flex has completed the acquisition of shares representing approximately 14.76% of RocTool’s share capital and 13.62% of voting rights. The amount of the investment is not disclosed.

This acquisition demonstrates Flex strong belief in RocTool technology and its ambition to support the Company’s development and growth. RocTool will continue to fully operate independently and serve its existing and new clients from its network of five offices in the USA, France, Germany, Japan and Taiwan.

About Flex: Flextronics International, Ltd. (Reg. No. 199002645H) is a leading sketch-to-scale™ solutions company that designs and builds intelligent products for a connected world. With more than 200,000 professionals across 30 countries and a promise to help make the world Live smarter™, the company provides innovative design, engineering, manufacturing, real-time supply chain insight and logistics services to companies of all sizes in various industries and end-markets. For more information, visit www.flextronics.com or follow us on Twitter @Flextronics.

About RocTool: Created in 2000, RocTool revolutionizes fast molding processes for composites, plastic injection and very soon metal. The processes developed by RocTool are used by major brands in innovative industries: Consumer Electronics (Motorola, Flextronics), Automotive (Mini Cooper, Volvo cars), Sports & Leisure… They hold many advantages including reduced cycle times, enhanced quality of parts produced, therefore resulting in an overall cost reduction of the produced parts for manufacturers. Built around an ecosystem including software suppliers, machine manufacturers, mold makers and resin providers, the industrial strategy RocTool Ready is a “plug and play” concept with an all-inclusive package (study, license, material and installation), making RocTool process accessible to both major companies and SME’s.

RocTool is listed on Alternext in Paris. Its headquarters and R&D center is situated at Savoie Technolac, Le Bourget du Lac (France). The company also opened three subsidiaries in the USA, Germany and Taiwan and boasts test & demonstration platforms in Germany, Japan and Italy.

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