



ILPRA GROUP CENTRALIZES COMMERCIAL MANAGEMENT OF THE MIDDLE EAST MARKET IN THE BRANCH “ILPRA MIDDLE EAST Dwc-llc,” BASED IN DUBAI.

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ILPRA (ILP:MI), an innovative SME active in the packaging sector with a wide range of machines and technological solutions for the packaging of food, cosmetic, and medical products, announces that, as part of the ongoing process of optimizing and streamlining the Group's structure, it has decided to initiate the closure procedure of "ILPRA ARABIA," which is 100% owned by "ILPRA Middle East Dwc-llc."

The commercial management of the Middle East market, historically very important for ILPRA S.p.A., will be centralized at "ILPRA Middle East Dwc-llc," based in Dubai.

"ILPRA Arabia," whose closure is scheduled by the end of 2025, generated revenue of €69,000 in 2024, with an EBITDA of €1,000. As of December 31, 2024, it had a net financial debt in a cash-positive position of €21,000. The entity functioned more as a representative office rather than a true operational branch, lacking a service department and a spare parts warehouse.

ILPRA (ILP:MI) is active in the production and sale of machinery for the packaging of food, cosmetic and medical products. Founded in 1955, it is one of the main players in the *packaging* sector thanks to its wide range of machines (tray-sealers, fillers, thermoforming machines, doypacks, dosing machines, weighers, packaging machines for beauty and end-of-line) and cutting-edge technological solutions. An innovative SME, it stands out for its continuous investments in R&D (6.3 million euros in the last 3 years) which have allowed it to develop innovative technologies and packaging techniques internally capable of promptly satisfying customer needs. The ProGas technology, patented by ILPRA, is based on an exclusive work cycle that reduces the use and waste of gas and increases the productivity of machinery. With more than 20,000 machines sold, 371 employees, a vast network of salespeople and a presence in 9 countries (Italy, Spain, France, UK, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, India, Russia and South Korea), the Group achieves about 64% of its turnover abroad and directly oversees markets all over the world.

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