

## AD-HOC ANNOUNCEMENT PURSUANT TO THE ART. 17 OF THE MARKET ABUSE REGULATION

## KAP BETEILIGUNGS-AG SELLS ITS INDIRECT 74% SHAREHOLDING IN KIRSON, NEUSTADT/DONAU

Mehler AG, a wholly-owned subsidiary of KAP Beteiligungs-AG, today concluded an agreement for the sale of its majority shareholding in Kirson Industrial Reinforcements GmbH, Neustadt/Donau. The sale price as well as the accounting profit are in the low double-digit € millions range. With the sale Mehler AG has brought an end to a cooperation which began in 1993. The sale is expected to be completed in the third quarter.

The buyer is a major international industrial concern that intends to continue developing Kirson Industrial Reinforcements GmbH in a sustainable manner in the coming years.

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**KAP Beteiligungs-AG** The Management Board

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