SOKRATHERM to acquire Viessmann Kraft-Wärme-Kopplung GmbH and strengthen its position as one of Germany's leading CHP specialists

Strategic acquisition of Carrier Climate Solutions Europe's heat and power manufacturing and service business expands manufacturing capacity, service capabilities and installed base and secures full continuity for customers, partners and suppliers.

Hiddenhausen / Landsberg am Lech, November 16, 2026. SOKRATHERM has signed an agreement to acquire Viessmann Kraft-Wärme-Kopplung GmbH, located in Landsberg am Lech (Germany), from Carrier Climate Solutions Europe, its heat and power manufacturing and service business. Closing is subject to customary conditions and is expected by the end of 2026.

With the planned acquisition, SOKRATHERM intends to expand its market presence, significantly enlarge its service organization and installed base, and consolidate its position as one of the leading combined heat and power (CHP) specialists in Germany. The transaction brings two established CHP businesses together under one roof, with proven manufacturing capacities, experienced teams, in-depth engineering and service expertise, and a substantial installed base with long-standing customer relationships.

Combined heat and power remains a proven and indispensable technology for efficient, decentralized energy supply. CHP systems generate electricity and heat simultaneously at very high overall efficiency. They support grid stability, reduce primary energy consumption and emissions, and provide a flexible complement to volatile renewable energy sources.

"CHP is a permanent building block of an efficient, decentralized energy system," said Johannes Meinhold, Managing Partner of SOKRATHERM. "With this acquisition, we are investing in the long-term future of CHP. Bringing our two businesses together creates a stronger platform for service excellence and sustainable growth."

Business continuity is a central priority throughout the process. SOKRATHERM is committed to the continued development of high-efficiency CHP systems and to the long-term support of all Viessmann Vitobloc units in the field. All existing supply, service and maintenance contracts, including spare parts supply and warranty obligations for the installed base in Germany, continue without interruption. In addition, a dedicated OEM agreement secures the supply of CHP units to Carrier's customers as well as ongoing support and spare parts for existing installations in Europe. Customers and supply chain partners will continue to be served by their familiar, experienced contacts in Landsberg am Lech, both during the transition and after closing.

About SOKRATHERM

SOKRATHERM is a leading German manufacturer of combined heat and power (CHP) systems, based in Hiddenhausen, North Rhine-Westphalia. Founded in 1977, the family-owned and owner-managed company has been dedicated to CHP technology for nearly 50 years. Its ready-to-connect CHP compact modules cover electrical

outputs from 50 kW to 1 MW and run on natural gas, propane, biomethane, biogas, sewage gas, landfill gas or hydrogen. The product range is complemented by large heat pumps, fully integrated into SOKRATHERM's own control and remote monitoring system, gas2power solutions or turnkey energy centers, and gas engine compressor modules that generate compressed air and heat. SOKRATHERM also provides project planning, commissioning, full-service maintenance, spare parts supply and remote monitoring. More than 2,500 modules have been delivered to over 20 countries in Europe and South America. Typical applications include commercial real estate, hospitals, municipal utilities, district heating networks, industrial facilities, hotels, swimming pools and residential complexes. SOKRATHERM stands for engineering quality, operational reliability and long-term customer partnerships. In this release, SOKRATHERM refers to the group of companies. The acquiring entity is Meinholding GmbH, the owner of SOKRATHERM GmbH Energie- und Wärmetechnik.

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