



## **Adhoc Release**

### **A-TEC Industries increases stake in Montanwerke Brixlegg AG from 92% to 98%**

Vienna, 1 August 2007: A-TEC Industries (ISIN AT00000ATEC9) today discloses the acquisition of a further 6% of shares of Montanwerke Brixlegg AG. Therefore the company now holds 98% of the shares of Montanwerke Brixlegg AG.

The remaining approximately 2% of shares are held by the management and employees as well as retired employees.

Montanwerke Brixlegg AG, Austria's only copper producer, joined A-TEC Industries AG in mid 2004 and is one of the leading secondary smelters in Europe.

**About A-TEC Industries AG:** Vienna listed A-TEC Industries AG is a Vienna-based international industrial group with successful operations in drive systems, plant engineering, machine tools and metallurgy. The Group currently employs around 11,000 people, and the financial results for 2006 show sales revenues of EUR 1.6 bn.

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