



Stock exchange announcement

A-TEC Industries preferred bidder for EUR 450 million Turkish project

Vienna listed A-TEC Industries is holding exclusive talks with Turkish power generator Enerjisa on the EUR 450 million (m) contract for the construction of a gas-fired combined cycle power plant. The generating station, to be located in Bandirma, between Izmir and Istanbul on the south coast of the Marmara Sea, is to be built by A-TEC Power Plant Systems (PPS) — an A-TEC Plant Construction Division company — and Mitsubishi Heavy Industries (MHI).

Vienna, 8 October 2007 – Under an agreement signed with Enerjisa today, A-TEC Power Plant Systems (PPS), an A-TEC Industries subsidiary forming part of the group's Plant Construction Division, has been named as a preferred bidder. Enerjisa is a joint venture between Sabanci Holding A.S. and Austria's Österreichische Elektrizitätswirtschafts-Aktiengesellschaft (Verbund). The deal opens the way for A-TEC PPS and consortium partner Mitsubishi Heavy Industries (MHI) to enter exclusive negotiations on the construction of a gas-fired combined cycle generating station with a capacity of over 900 MW. Both sides are aiming at the award of this major contract to A-TEC Industries in August 2008. This is the second contract for a gas-fired combined cycle power station to be won by A-TEC's Plant Construction Division this year, following an order for a 150 MW turnkey plant from an Australian client.

In this case A-TEC will be responsible for engineering design, equipment procurement, construction and commissioning, while MHI will supply two of its recently introduced F-type gas turbines and a 300 MW steam turbine generator set. Completion and commissioning of the station are scheduled for 2010. A-TEC will be the consortium leader, and its share of the work will represent 70 percent of the EUR 450m contract.

Enerjisa owns and operates four hydro and four gas-fired generating stations in Turkey, with a combined capacity of 455 MW. The decision to build its first gas-fired combined cycle power plant was taken in response to the growing energy needs of Turkish industry. It is aimed at extending the company's leadership of the Turkish electricity market.

Commenting on the agreement, A-TEC Industries CEO Mirko Kovats said: "Enerjisa's decision to enter exclusive negotiations with us is a major breakthrough for A-TEC Power Plant Systems AG. It means that our Plant Construction Division has once again won through against tough international competition. Coming after AE&E's recent success in capturing the contract for the construction of a hard coal-fired power station in Lünen, Germany, the invitation to A-TEC PPS to hold exclusive talks on the gas-fired

combined cycle station in Bandirma, Turkey is further proof of the vast potential of our largest division. The agreement demonstrates the strength of our market position in Europe, and we are well prepared for the continued expansion that global energy demand growth will bring.”

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About A-TEC Industries

Vienna listed and domiciled A-TEC Industries AG is an international industrial group with flourishing Drive Technologies, Plant Construction, Mechanical Engineering and Metal Industry divisions. The group currently employs around 11,000 people, and posted revenue of EUR 1.6 billion in 2006.

About A-TEC Power Plant Systems AG

A-TEC Power Plant Systems AG (A-TEC PPS) is responsible for gas-fired combined cycle generating station engineering, procurement and commissioning (EPC) within A-TEC Industries' largest division — Plant Construction.