



## Shareholder Information

### Prosecution service drops case against Kovats

Vienna, 20. August 2009 – The Vienna public prosecution service has dropped the case against A-TEC Industries CEO Mirko Kovats with immediate effect. The indictment was connected with a complaint filed by the Shopping City Süd out-of-town shopping centre against E & I Immobilien Development GmbH — a company part-owned by Dr. Kovats — in 1996. The prosecution service's decision to withdraw the charges was based on an expert opinion commissioned by the Vienna provincial court which completely exonerated Dr. Kovats.

#### **About A-TEC Industries AG**

Vienna listed and headquartered A-TEC Industries AG is an international industrial group with thriving Drive Technology, Plant Construction, Machine Tools and Minerals & Metals divisions. The group currently employs around 12,200 people, and in 2008 posted revenue of EUR 3.3 billion.

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