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MYTILINEOS S.A. Metallurgy Business Unit has joined ASI as a Production & Transformation member

Athens, Greece – 5 December 2019 – MYTILINEOS’ Metallurgy Business Unit has joined the Aluminium Stewardship Initiative (ASI) as a Production & Transformation member.

ASI is a global, multi-stakeholder, non-profit standards setting and certification organization, that has developed an independent certification program to ensure that the principles of Sustainability, Corporate Social Responsibility, Governance and Human Rights are increasingly integrated into the production, use and recycling of aluminum.

Major global aluminium / alumina producers, such as Rio Tinto, Alcoa Hydro and Rusal, have joined this initiative, with a commitment to maximize the contribution of aluminium to a sustainable society.

The ASI standards set out principles and criteria relating to society, the environment and governance in order to ensure compliance with the sustainability commitments of the aluminum value chain.

The ASI membership reflects MYTILINEOS’ commitment to sustainable production, including the objective of achieving 100% RES sourcing for the Metallurgy Business Unit by 2030, as recently announced by the Company’s Chairman and CEO, Evangelos Mytilineos, during the ceremony for the foundation of the new CCGT.

As Mr Dimitrios Stefanidis, General Manager of MYTILINEOS’ Metallurgy Business Unit stated: “Sustainable Development is a top priority for MYTILINEOS and it’s expressed through responsible production of bauxite, alumina and aluminium as well as an ongoing self-improvement and incessant learning process aimed at increasing our positive impact on the greater society. For us, joining the ASI represents a creative challenge and a solid commitment, fully aligned with the vision of the European Union, to move swiftly towards carbon neutral production.”
Having completed one of the largest private-sector investments ever to be carried out in Greece, MYTILINEOS has been established as one of the strongest players in the Metallurgy sector in the European Union. MYTILINEOS owns the largest vertically integrated bauxite, alumina and aluminium production and trading unit in the European Union and is able to drive the growth of the national and European economy as well as the country's regional economies. Currently, the Metallurgy Business Unit employs directly nearly 1.200 people and has a consolidated turnover of more than €600 millions.

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MYTILINEOS S.A. is a leading Greek industrial company active in Metallurgy, Power & Gas and EPC & Infrastructure Projects. Established in Greece in 1990, the Company is listed on the Athens Exchange, has a consolidated turnover in excess of €1.5 billion and employs directly and indirectly more than 3,380 people in Greece and abroad.

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