

AUGUSTA Concludes Share Buyback Program

- **Acquisition of 10 percent of the share capital**

Munich, November 24, 2008. AUGUSTA Technologie AG (ISIN DE000A0D6612), a specialist in sensor systems and automation technologies, today concluded its share buyback program by reaching the target volume of 10 percent of the share capital.

According to the resolutions of the general meetings held on June 14, 2007, and May 9, 2008, the company is authorized pursuant to § 71 (1) No. 8 German Companies Act (AktG) to acquire treasury shares amounting to up to ten percent of the current share capital. Within the framework of the share buyback program, some 838,552 treasury shares were bought back in the period from July 20, 2007, to today at an average price of EUR 14.52 per share and a total value of EUR 12,217,736. Added to this are 4,999 shares held by AUGUSTA prior to the start of the share buyback program. Thus, AUGUSTA currently holds a total of 843,551 treasury shares, which represents 10 percent of the share capital.

Shares were purchased exclusively on the stock exchange by M.M. Warburg & CO.

The company plans to use the repurchased shares to expand its room for maneuver with regard to mergers, acquisitions or the purchase of holdings for implementing its buy-and-build strategy. The repurchased shares can also be put to appropriate use for transformations pursuant to the Transformation Act. The repurchased shares can also be withdrawn or sold to third parties. At present there are no specific plans to use the treasury shares.

Details of the course of the share buyback program pursuant to Art. 4 (3) and (4) of EU Commission regulation No. 2273/2003 dated December 22, 2003 in conjunction with Art. 20 (1) of Council Directive 93/22/EEC dated May 10, 1993, on securities services are available on our home page at www.augusta-ag.com.

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The Company

AUGUSTA Technology AG is an integrated technology group with a focus on the niche markets of sensor and automation technology.

In the area of **sensors**, the company develops, produces and sells sensor systems for customer-specific applications. The product portfolio ranges from the sale of individual pressure sensors to the development of complex sensor and measuring systems. The main areas of application are medical technology, industrial plant construction, the automotive industry, and the aviation and aerospace industries.

The company's **controls** segment delivers solutions for process flow automation and quality management. The application areas range from industrial image processing to automation solutions for logistics and special vehicles.

In the fiscal year 2007, AUGUSTA's sales totaled EUR 119.3 million, with earnings before interest and tax (EBIT) of EUR 17.5 million.