

Bugugiate, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Dear colleagues and friends,

on Friday April 14<sup>th</sup>, the Italian Prime Minister has confirmed, by issuing an additional Decree, the application of all present measures and restrictions aimed at containing the Covid-19 epidemic outbreak on all national territory **until May 3rd**.

Up to this date, production activity not specifically listed as indispensable to guarantee essential supplies and services, will be staying on hold, or allowed in "smart working" modality only.

The activities acknowledged as essential listed in the above-mentioned Decree include "the manufacturing of plastic parts" registered with the ATECO economic activity code 22.2 and the related production chain, which is the economic activity code registered by Tecniplast.

In compliance with the provisions of this recent Decree, **Tecniplast Spa informs that we and the related production chain will remain open and will be operational also during the prolonged restriction period**; work activities will regularly proceed to support the supply of products and services to our related strategic supply chains, though our subsidiaries, distributors and customers. Being part of this strategic supply chains, IWT and the other Italian companies of the Group, CBS srl and KIRA srl, will therefore remain operational.

According to the latest ministerial regulation (art. 2 paragraph 12 of DPCM 10/04/2020) Tecniplast undertakers to organize the operations aimed at shipping and receiving goods, also included those in connection with production activities currently suspended.

Moreover, both Tecniplast and IWT ensure all usual support to our subsidiaries, distributors, and customers to strengthening the technical-commercial support to the benefit of all supply plans and programs.

Being the safety and health of our staff priority and essential objectives, since several weeks Tecniplast and all the other Italian companies of the Group, have been adopting all possible Covid-19 anti-contagion precaution and prevention measures at our different sites; this in full compliance with the Ministerial indications received on the matter. As a Company, we are all strongly committed to regulating access of employees and outsiders to our premises, enforcing good hygiene practices, maintaining interpersonal safety distances, using individual safety aids, limiting internal movements, as well as applying "smart working" and agile work.

The Management and the whole Tecniplast Team express heartfelt condolences for the many victims of this epidemic and feel close to the families of those who suffer or who will suffer from these terrible circumstances. We also express full support and help to the Authorities and to all those who continue to fight at all levels and in emergency conditions against this virus.

Please reach out to me with anything set out above that can provide more clarification on.

Best regards,

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