

News Release

NTI NANOFILM FURTHER STRENGTHENS EUROPEAN PRESENCE WITH STRATEGIC ACQUISITION OF EUROPCOATING GROUP

- NTI Nanofilm to fully acquire shares in EuropCoating Group, enhancing its European footprint and customer base.
- Acquisition accelerates market access in decorative coatings for luxury and consumer goods applications, alongside medical and functional coatings.
- EuropCoating Group's well-established facilities and industry-recognised certifications enhance NTI Nanofilm's capabilities to meet growing European demand.
- Strengthened synergies with the earlier acquired AxynTeC's industrial coating expertise create a comprehensive portfolio to address consumer and industrial markets in Europe.

SINGAPORE, Date – SGX Mainboard-listed Nanofilm Technologies International Limited (the "Company" or "纳峰科技有限公司" and together with its subsidiaries, "NTI Nanofilm" or the "Group"), a leading provider of nanotechnology solutions, is pleased to announce the signing of a strategic acquisition of EuropCoating Group with its legal entities EC EuropCoating GmbH and MC EuropCoating GmbH ("EuropCoating Group"), incorporated in Germany. This acquisition marks an important second step for NTI Nanofilm as it continues to expand its footprint in Europe, building its presence in the decorative coatings market to a growing customer base.

This acquisition builds on the synergies established through NTI Nanofilm's successful integration of AxynTeC in 2024, leveraging its industrial coating expertise to expand in Europe. With the addition of EuropCoating Group's specialization in decorative coatings, NTI Nanofilm now broadens its market presence and deepens engagement across consumer and industrial sectors. Together, these strengths create a cohesive portfolio that supports the Group's strategic growth objectives in Europe.

EuropCoating Group's well-established manufacturing facilities in Northern, Southern, and Eastern Germany, equipped with certifications ISO 9001 and ISO 13485 for medical devices, provide a strong foundation for production and quality assurance. With proven expertise in decorative coatings, including luxury and consumer goods applications such as watches, jewellery, kitchenware, and sanitaryware, EuropCoating Group complements NTI Nanofilm's portfolio and enhances its ability to penetrate these markets. Leveraging EuropCoating Group's established customer relationships and R&D capabilities, NTI Nanofilm is well-positioned to drive growth, innovation, and expanded market presence across Europe.

This strategic acquisition underscores NTI Nanofilm's commitment to investing in and growing its global business, creating new opportunities for customers, employees, and shareholders alike. By combining EuropCoating Group's strong operational footprint with NTI Nanofilm innovation in PVD and Filtered Cathodic Vacuum Arc (FCVA) coating



technologies and global production capabilities, the Group is poised to advance its leadership aspirations in Europe's decorative coating market and beyond.

"As we advance our vision of becoming a global leader in nanotechnology, the acquisition of EuropCoating Group marks a pivotal step in expanding our foothold in Europe. By strengthening our decorative coating capabilities and expanding into the medical coatings segment, this acquisition enhances our ability to deliver innovative, market-disrupting solutions. Together with EuropCoating Group's expertise, we are well-positioned to drive sustainable growth and technological excellence across diverse industries.", said **Dr. Shi Xu, Founder, Executive Chairman, and Group CEO of NTI Nanofilm.**

"I am very pleased to have found a strong partner in NTI Nanofilm to secure EuropCoating Group's future as a key player in thin film technology across Europe. I am truly impressed by the technological and commercial achievements that NTI Nanofilm has accomplished so far, and I am delighted that EuropCoating Group is now part of this thriving organization. Connecting a strong Asian leader like NTI Nanofilm with a European player of EuropCoating Group's rich heritage will undoubtedly bring significant benefits to both partners. With NTI Nanofilm's robust European sales team and unique technological capabilities, I am confident that EuropCoating Group will accelerate its growth in key markets within and beyond Germany. I look forward to an exciting and prosperous future together!" said **Dipl.-Ing. Burkhard Scholz, EuropCoating Group's Managing Director.**

"The acquisition of EuropCoating Group marks an exciting milestone in our growth journey. By integrating their expertise and operational strengths with NTI Nanofilm's innovative technologies, we are building a comprehensive offering that addresses both industrial and consumer needs. This partnership not only enables us to penetrate new market segments but also positions us to deliver greater value to our European customers through an expanded product and service portfolio.", said Ian Howe, NTI Nanofilm's Group Chief Commercial Officer.



About EuropCoating Group

With over 30 years of expertise and established facilities in Hohenlockstedt, Tuttlingen, and Zittau, EuropCoating Group specializes in advanced thin-film coating technologies. Offering solutions in Physical Vapor Deposition (PVD), anodic oxidation, and Diamond-Like Carbon (DLC) coatings, the company serves diverse industries, including industrial, decorative, and medical. EuropCoating's in-house R&D capabilities and certified quality systems ensure precise, high-performance solutions that address the unique challenges of its customers.

About NTI Nanofilm

Founded in 1999 and headquartered in Singapore, NTI Nanofilm is a leading provider of nanotechnology solutions, specializing in coatings, advanced materials, thin-film equipment, nanofabrication, and hydrogen fuel cell solutions. Its proprietary technologies enhance product performance and sustainability across industries worldwide. NTI Nanofilm's European presence includes its Netherlands-based entity and German subsidiary, AxynTeC, which specializes in plasmaIMPAX DLC coatings for industrial and medical applications. With expertise in pulsed laser deposition, contract manufacturing, engineering development, and coating equipment supply, AxynTeC strengthens NTI Nanofilm's position in Southern Germany, Austria, and Switzerland. Listed on the Singapore Exchange since 2020, NTI Nanofilm employs over 3,000 people across Asia and Europe, driving innovation and sustainability globally.

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