

Evolvere Capital Purchases Emerson's Network Power Business in Venezuela

Caracas, Venezuela [April 15, 2016] – Evolvere Capital, a private equity firm, announced today the purchase of Emerson's Network Power business in Venezuela. Going forward, the business will be a distributor for Network Power in the Venezuelan market.

"We are very excited to acquire the business in Venezuela of the world's leading provider of critical infrastructure technologies and life cycle services for information and communications technology systems, which has the great responsibility of providing all-embracing solutions to the most critical needs of leading companies in the country, both local and multinationals," according to a statement from Evolvere Capital in Venezuela. "We have been working together with the local team to give the company greater operational flexibility, strategic guidelines in accordance to the current business environment and other resources to achieve a better competitive position.

With this partnership, we guarantee that Emerson Network Power will maintain and enhance its proven track record in the Venezuelan market at the same time that the local company will be able to retain its human capital in the current Venezuelan environment. We are highly optimistic with our first transaction in Venezuela," the statement concluded.

"We are very excited for our team in Venezuela and this new phase of our business. Evolvere Capital will bring years of successful management to our leadership team in Venezuela and their solid business ethics make them the best partners we could expect," said Raphael Garcia, Vice President of Sales for Latin America, Emerson Network Power. "We foresee full continuity of business in Venezuela and Emerson Network Power will remain 100 percent committed to serve the Venezuelan market under the new distribution agreement. The new business model will allow Soluciones Integrales para Sistemas Críticos C.A. (SOLSICA), our exclusive distributor in Venezuela, to navigate the current economic environment in Venezuela."

About Evolvere Capital

Evolvere Capital is a Private Equity firm that focuses on acquiring medium-size companies with solid competitive advantages, significant opportunities for growth and value creation in the Andean region, with clear market-leadership in their respective sectors and consolidated management teams. The firm leverages over 100 years of collective experience of its partners in Private Equity, in the senior management of companies and industry portfolios, and as entrepreneurs and

financial advisors in order to generate significant economic value to investors and portfolio companies, always adhering to the highest ethical principles and standards of excellence. Since 2013, Evolvere Capital has made transactions in Colombia in excess of USD 150 million; acquiring companies such as Publicar, HIBU's Latin America operations, Sistemcobro and Azabache Energy.

About Emerson Network Power

Emerson Network Power, a business of Emerson (NYSE: EMR), is the world's leading provider of critical infrastructure technologies and life cycle services for information and communications technology systems. With an expansive portfolio of intelligent, rapidly deployable hardware and software solutions for power, thermal management and infrastructure management, Emerson Network Power enables efficient, highly available networks. Learn more at www.EmersonNetworkPower.com/CALA.

About Emerson

Emerson (NYSE: EMR), based in St. Louis, Missouri (USA), is a global leader in bringing technology and engineering together to provide innovative solutions for customers in industrial, commercial, and consumer markets around the world. The company is comprised of five business segments: Process Management, Industrial Automation, Network Power, Climate Technologies, and Commercial & Residential Solutions. Sales in fiscal 2015 were \$22.3 billion. For more information, visit Emerson.com.