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aireg e.V. welcomes Deutsche Aircraft GmbH as newest member

aireg and its members are pleased to welcome Deutsche Aircraft GmbH as a new member. Founded on the proud heritage of Dornier and Germany's reputation for engineering design, quality and innovation, Deutsche Aircraft is the new purpose-driven German Aircraft Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM). As Dornier 328 type certificate holder, Deutsche Aircraft will enable future development of the D328eco platform, and exploit future technologies and capabilities to produce a more efficient, economic and environmentally friendly aircraft, and to drive the future of aviation towards climate-neutral flight. Together with the participation of the German Government, Deutsche Aircraft is leading the way in a new era of a cleaner, safer and more efficient aviation.

Commenting on the membership, Melanie Form, member of the board and managing director, says: "We are very pleased to welcome Deutsche Aircraft GmbH on board of aireg. Deutsche Aircraft and its technology roadmap are a journey, rather than a 'next big thing' destination. It transitions from environmentally damaging to lower CO₂ emission aviation, using sustainable aviation fuels and investigating alternative propulsion technologies such as hydrogen."

"Deutsche Aircraft believes that aviation has a key role to play in fighting climate change. Thus, we have set ambitious goals and are adopting an integrated approach to embed more sustainable practices at all levels of lifecycle of our aircraft. Developing the D328eco™ platform is the first stepping stone in our journey towards sustainability. Our vision is to work collaboratively with the whole industry to achieve sustainable, affordable and effective aviation. The aireg e.V. membership is part of this wider strategy. It will allow us to collaborate with key industry players to deliver aviation solutions that benefit everyone", said Dave Jackson, CEO of Deutsche Aircraft.

About Deutsche Aircraft

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About aireg e.V.

aireg - Aviation Initiative for Renewable Energy in Germany e.V. was founded in 2011 as an association of companies and organizations from industry, research and science. As a non-profit initiative, aireg is committed to the availability and use of renewable energies in aviation in order to achieve the ambitious CO₂ reduction targets of the aviation industry. The members come from all areas of the value chain of renewable energies for aviation: This ranges from research at universities and large research institutions, plant manufacturers and operators, biorefineries, the petroleum industry, engine and aircraft manufacturers, government organizations, non-governmental organizations and airports to

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airlines. The industrial members cover a broad international spectrum from start-ups to large corporations.

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