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REPSOL COMMITTED TO THE RE-USE OF AUTOMOTIVE PLASTICS

- **Repsol has signed a memorandum of understanding with two players from the management and recovery sector to reuse polymers at the end of their useful life.**

- **With this new project Repsol strengthens its commitment to a circular economy model for its products.**

Repsol is boosting its Reciclex project with a collaboration agreement with the plastic recycler ACTECO and the Authorized Treatment Facility (ATF) *Autodesguaces El Choque*. This agreement guarantees the supply of homogeneous materials, required to investigate the possible development and commercialization of polyolefins containing a percentage of recycled product from end-of-life vehicles.

With this project, all partners aim to create a circular economy model, to recover the polymers from cars that have reached the end of their useful life. These materials will be incorporated as raw materials in Repsol's polymers. These polymers will be marketed for new applications, including Repsol's polymer range for the automotive industry. This initiative, aims for a closed circle economy for the plastic waste, transforming it into resources that will return as raw material to the production cycle.

This agreement is framed under the "Pact for a Circular Economy" signed by Repsol in October 2017, along with the main economic and social Spanish agents, promoting the transition towards this new economic model. The company remains constantly focused in this objective, as shown by its recent adherence to PlasticsEurope, "Plastics 2030" voluntary commitment.

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NOTE TO THE EDITOR

Repsol is one of the world's leading publicly-traded oil and gas companies. The company operates in the areas with the most energy potential around the world, and has one of the most efficient refining systems in Europe. Repsol is present in 37 countries employing over 25,000 people. The company has business activity across the entire value chain, including hydrocarbon exploration and production, refining, transport, chemicals, service stations and the development of new energy solutions.

Repsol manufactures and markets a wide variety of chemical products, ranging from basic petrochemicals to derivatives. In addition, the company has three large petrochemical facilities in Europe where high added-value differentiated products are developed.

The products from Repsol's Chemicals Division are used to manufacture everyday objects that improve people's quality of life, their well-being and their safety.

"Autodesguaces El Choque", was founded in 1978 with the aim of renewing the scrapping and recovery sector. The company is highly committed with its customer service and with the improvement of the environment, offering the widest range of recycled parts for vehicles, with the highest quality and guarantee. Since 2003 they are an authorized treatment facility (ATF) which allows them to issue certificates of destruction and offer to their customers a comprehensive service. For further information: www.elchoque.com

ACTECO, is dedicated to the integral management, recovery, recycling and industrial waste recovery. Well-established in Spain, the company has large capacity transfer plants and equipment, located in Alicante, Valencia, Zaragoza and Galicia, and logistics presence in Madrid and Barcelona. Likewise, they offer an environmental consulting service (ECS) in order to help companies, obtain the necessary environmental certificates. For further information: www.acteco.es

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