

Desert Control AS: Purchase of 63 000 shares by Chief Technology Officer

Sandnes, Norway, 5 July 2021: Tor Mæhlum Karlsen, Chief Technology Officer in Desert Control AS ("**Desert Control**" or the "**Company**") have on 5 July 2021 purchased shares in the company.

On 5 July 2021, Tor Mæhlum Karlsen, of the Company management team, participated in a share issue in the Company for shares at par value NOK 0.003. The share issue is initiated as a part of the Company's incentive program for management. Following the transaction Tor M Karlsen holds a total of 73,000 shares in the Company.

Primary insider notification pursuant to the market abuse regulation article 19 are attached.

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About Desert Control AS

Agriculture and food production consume more than 70% of all available freshwater. When topsoil degrades, water consumption increases further as it permeates through sandy soils like a sieve. Simultaneously, population growth drives the need for more food over the next 40 years than was produced in the last 500 years, putting even more pressure on scarce resources such as water. This is the problem Desert Control is determined to solve. There are tremendous growth opportunities in a market that is growing rapidly. Annually, 12 million hectares of fertile land perish to desertification.

Desert Control is a climate technology company specialized in reclaiming degraded soil and turning desert sand into fertile soil. The patented product LNC (Liquid Natural Clay) is a liquid clay compound that enables sand and degraded soil to retain water and nutrients. LNC thus increases crop yields, while consumption of water and fertilizer decreases by up to 50%.

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