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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **BE Semiconductor Industries Announces Transactions Under Current Share Repurchase Program**

Duiven, the Netherlands, November 2, 2007, BE Semiconductor Industries N.V. ("the Company" or "BesI") (Euronext: BES1), a leading manufacturer of assembly equipment for the semiconductor industry, announced that it has repurchased a total of 61,197 shares during the period from October 29, 2007 up to and including November 2, 2007. The shares were repurchased at an average price of EUR 3.9064 for a total amount of EUR 239,059.

The above-mentioned transactions are part of the Share Repurchase Program announced in the press release of September 3, 2007 according to which BesI may repurchase up to a maximum of 1.5 million shares. Since the start of the Share Repurchase Program, BesI has repurchased a total of 887,393 shares at an average price of EUR 4.3253 for a total amount of EUR 3,838,263.

#### **About BE Semiconductor Industries N.V.**

BE Semiconductor Industries N.V. designs, develops, manufactures, markets and services die sorting, flip chip and multi-chip die bonding, packaging and plating equipment for the semiconductor industry's assembly operations. Its customers consist primarily of leading U.S., European, Asian, Korean and Japanese semiconductor manufacturers and subcontractors which utilize its products for both array connect and conventional leadframe manufacturing processes. For more information about BesI, please visit our website at [www.besi.com](http://www.besi.com).

#### **Caution Concerning Forward Looking Statements**

Statements in this press release regarding BesI's intention to repurchase Ordinary Shares from time to time under the stock repurchase program, the intended use of any repurchased shares and the source of funding are forward-looking statements. There are a number of important factors that could cause actual events to differ materially from those suggested or indicated by such forward-looking statements. These include, among others, the market price of BesI's stock prevailing from time to time, the nature of other investment opportunities presented to the Company from time to time, the Company's cash flows from operations, general economic conditions, and other factors identified in the Company's Annual Report filed with the AFM.

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