

Press Release

THE SONIC HEALTHCARE GROUP CHOOSES DIASORIN FOR ITS LABORATORIES

Saluggia (Italy) January 2010. DiaSorin S.p.A. has recently signed a long-term worldwide incentive agreement with Sonic Healthcare which applies to usage of DiaSorin products in Sonic Healthcare laboratories. Sonic Healthcare is a large medical testing company with operations in USA, Australia, New Zealand, Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, UK and Ireland.

"This agreement," said Carlo Rosa, DiaSorin's Chief Executive Officer, "formally recognizes the strategic importance of a relationship that has existed for some time between the two organizations. For DiaSorin, this agreement also provides a further confirmation of the high quality standard of its products and will be a source of stability underpinning the Group's future growth."

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About DiaSorin

DiaSorin S.p.A., an international player in the market for in vitro diagnostics, develops, produces and markets reagent kits for clinical laboratory diagnostics. The DiaSorin Group is comprised of 23 companies based in Europe, North, Central and South America, Africa and Asia. It has about 1,500 employees, including more than 110 research and development specialists, and operates six manufacturing and research facilities in Saluggia (Vercelli, Italy), Dietzenbach (Germany), Stillwater (USA), Dublin (Ireland), Dartford (UK) and Kyalami (SA). The last two were part of the Murex business operations, recently acquired from the Abbott Group. Thanks to its direct sales organization and an international network of over 80 independent distributors, the Group is present in more than 60 countries, offering a broad array of high quality products that includes comprehensive lines for each of the clinical segments in which the Group operates: infectious and viral diseases, management of bone and calcium related diseases, thyroid pathologies, oncology and fertility testing.

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