



**PRESS RELEASE**

**COFIDE: BUYBACK OF SHARES**

*Milan, February 26 2018* – In compliance with the authorization approved by the Shareholders' Meeting and according to the notice published on April 28 2017, COFIDE-Gruppo De Benedetti S.p.A. announces that between February 19 and 23 it bought back 142,706 own shares at an average price of € 0.5246, for a total amount of € 74,858.83.

Breakdown of the transactions on a daily basis:

Date	No. of shares bought back	Average price	Total amount (in euro)
2018/02/19	22,646	0.5250	11,889.15
2018/02/20	26,139	0.5264	13,759.57
2018/02/21	37,191	0.5242	19,495.52
2018/02/22	23,600	0.5256	12,404.16
2018/02/23	33,130	0.5225	17,310.43
<b>Total</b>	<b>142,706</b>	<b>0.5246</b>	<b>74,858.83</b>

COFIDE S.p.A. now holds a total of 20,403,984 own shares, equal to 2.8370% of its share capital.

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