

## **Assystem will acquire RELSAFE PRA Consulting, an Internationally Reputed Nuclear Safety Consultancy**

Assystem, the multi-national organization headquartered in France and leading in nuclear engineering, digital solutions and project management services, has entered into a definitive agreement to wholly acquire India-based RELSAFE PRA Consulting Private Limited, a provider of niche services in Safety Assessment to a highly regulated nuclear energy sector.

The acquisition, to be completed in early 2023, will augment and strengthen Assystem's global nuclear risk and safety management team, bringing along specialised technical expertise and new international collaborations. It complements the services of Corporate Risk Associates (CRA), a UK-based Risk and Safety Consultancy acquired by Assystem in 2020, and contributes to Assystem's mission, i.e. accelerate the energy transition in the world by contributing to the expansion of nuclear power.

RELSAFE provides technical consulting services in Safety, Risk and Reliability Analyses to nuclear utilities (operating fleets and new builds), regulatory authorities and EPCs, predominantly in Europe & Asia. With a team of 20 highly spirited engineers, the company has diverse project experience in the areas of Probabilistic Safety Assessment, Deterministic Safety Assessment, Reliability /Availability Analysis, Quantitative Risk Assessment and Equipment Safety Classification.

Stéphane Aubarbier, Assystem's Chief Operating Officer said: "RELSAFE is an excellent addition to the Assystem Group. Their knowledge of nuclear safety will be invaluable in supporting future developments in this sector both in India and across the world."

Mrs Devi Kompella, the Founder & CEO of RELSAFE said: "We are honoured with Assystem's move to acquire RELSAFE, trusting our team's capabilities and potential. Picturing the current global energy paradigm, nuclear energy is an inevitable, reliable, sustainable, and low carbon energy source to achieve carbon neutrality. Safety assessments, as mandated by regulatory authorities, are imperative for demonstrating the safe operation of nuclear power plants and to support risk-informed decision making. We strongly perceive that teaming up with Assystem, a leading nuclear engineering firm, will not only create a conducive platform to support advances in nuclear safety but also generate exciting opportunities for diversification and expansion of our service portfolio. This new journey with Assystem is going to be fruitful and rewarding as our ambitions and ideologies are well synchronised. We assure to make diligent efforts to keep up Assystem's values, vision and mission."

### **ABOUT ASSYSTEM**

Assystem is an independent international company with one main mission: to accelerate the energy transition worldwide. With more than 55 years of experience in highly regulated sectors

with stringent safety and security constraints, the Group provides engineering, technical and programme management services as well as digital solutions and services to optimise the performance of complex infrastructure assets throughout their life cycle.

In its 12 countries of operation, Assystem's 6,500 experts are supporting the energy transition. To achieve an affordable low-carbon energy supply, Assystem is committed to the development of decarbonised electricity (nuclear, renewables and electricity grids) and clean hydrogen. The Group is also helping drive the use of decarbonised electricity in industrial sectors such as transportation. Assystem is currently ranked as the second independent nuclear engineering group in the world.

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