

## PRESS RELEASE

### Leclanché announces notification of purchase from shareholder Bright Cap Sicav SA and a sales notification from Golden Partner SA

- One of Leclanché's investor's Bright Cap Sicav SA increases its position in The Company's capital. Bright Cap Sicav SA now owns 12.73 % of Leclanché's Capital
- Golden Partner SA, one of Leclanché's main investors, sold some of its shares, and now owns 16.54% of the capital of The Company

**YVERDON LES BAINS, Switzerland, 25<sup>th</sup> of July 2016:** Leclanché SA received a purchase notification from Bright Cap Sicav SA, an entity managed by FEFAM<sup>1</sup>, Luxembourg. Bright Cap Sicav SA has increased its position in Leclanché capital and owns 12.73% of The Company's equity.

Leclanché SA has also received a sale notification from its Shareholder Golden Partner SA. Golden Partner SA now owns 16.54 % of The Company's equity.

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#### **About Leclanché**

Headquartered in Switzerland, Leclanché SA is a leading provider of high quality energy storage solutions designed to accelerate our progress towards a clean energy future.

Leclanché's history and heritage is rooted in over 100 years of battery and energy storage innovation and the Company is a trusted provider of energy storage solutions globally. This coupled with the Company's culture of German engineering and Swiss precision and quality, continues to make Leclanché the partner of choice for both disruptors, established companies and governments who are pioneering positive changes in how energy is produced, distributed and consumed around the world.

The energy transition is being driven primarily by changes in the management of our electricity networks and the electrification of transport, and these two end markets form the backbone of our strategy and business model. Leclanché is at the heart of the convergence of the electrification of transport and the changes in the distribution network.

Leclanché is the only listed pure play energy storage company in the world, organised along three business units: stationary storage solutions, etransport solutions and specialty batteries systems. Leclanché is listed on the Swiss Stock Exchange (SIX: LECN).

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<sup>1</sup>FEFAM means: AM INVESTMENT SCA, SICAV-SIF - Liquid Assets Sub-Fund, together with FINEXIS EQUITY FUND - Renewable Energy Sub-Fund, FINEXIS EQUITY FUND - Multi Asset Strategy Sub-Fund, FINEXIS EQUITY FUND - E Money Strategies Sub-Fund (also called Energy Storage Invest) and, all these funds being in aggregate the main shareholder of Leclanché, hereunder referred to as "FEFAM".

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