

Press Release

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In accordance with the provisions of article L.621-8 of the Monetary and Financial Code and article 231-26 of its general regulations, the AMF affixed visa no. 15-227 dated May 28, 2015 on the response offer document prepared by Lafarge relating to the public exchange offer initiated by Holcim for the shares of Lafarge.

In accordance with the provision of article 231-28 of the AMF general regulations, information relating in particular to the legal, financial and accounting aspects of Lafarge, was filed with the AMF on May 28, 2015 and made available to the public as of today.

The response offer document and the information relating in particular to the legal, financial and accounting aspects of Lafarge are available on the Internet websites of Lafarge (www.lafarge.com) and the AMF (www.amf-trance.org), and may be obtained free of charge from:

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Prior to the opening of the Offer acceptance period, the AMF and Euronext Paris will respectively publish a notice announcing the opening and the timetable of the public exchange offer (*avis d'ouverture et de calendrier*) and a notice announcing the terms and timetable of the public exchange offer.



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A world leader in building materials, Lafarge employs 63,000 people in 61 countries, and posted sales of €12.8 billion in 2014. As a top-ranking player in its Cement, Aggregates and Concrete businesses, it contributes to the construction of cities around the world, through its innovative solutions providing them with more housing and making them more compact, more durable, more beautiful, and better connected. With the world's leading building materials research facility, Lafarge places innovation at the heart of its priorities in order to contribute to more sustainable construction and to better serve architectural creativity. More information is available on Lafarge's website: www.lafarge.com

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