

AFYON SALE TO THE CIMSA GROUP FINALIZED (TURKEY)

Paris, 31 May 2012 – Ciments Français (Italcementi Group) today closed the sale to the Cimsa Group of its 51% equity investment in the Turkish company Afyon Cimento.

In accordance with the sale agreement, the shares were transferred for a global price of 57,530,000 Turkish Lira, equivalent to approximately 25 million euros.

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