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Rieter at the ITMA 2015 – System Competence, Innovative Solutions, Excellent After Sales Service

Winterthur – Rieter creates value for customers by system competence, innovative solutions, excellent after sales service and global presence. To the key issues for the competitiveness of spinning mills, the company is offering value-adding innovations at the ITMA 2015. Internet usage for optimising the entire system, new machine generations for preparatory and end spinning as well as corresponding spare parts, after sales services and solutions for the optimal use of the spinning mill along the entire product life cycle will be shown.

Investment in Rieter systems and machines are extremely attractive. The complete range offered by Rieter enables the production of a consistent yarn quality with optimal cost effectiveness. Rieter systems and machines are durable and with Rieter retrofits remain competitive for a long time. However, Rieter offers even more.

Comprehensive know-how from fibre through yarn to the finished textile is the basis for innovation and ongoing optimisation in a spinning mill. Rieter supports customers from the initial investment discussions to the successful operation of their spinning mills and over the whole product life cycle. Alongside valuable systems and convincing technology, the company also offers the customer a supportive partnership. Rieter's innovations at the ITMA 2015 offer:

- high and above all consistent yarn quality,
- reduction of the manufacturing costs,
- increase in the raw material yield,
- decrease in the energy consumption,
- increased flexibility to respond to market changes.

All three business groups are showing their product and service innovations for complete systems, spinning preparation and end spinning process under their trademarks Rieter, Bräcker, Graf, Novibra and Suessen. Highlights are the extended SPIDERweb Mill Control System – an important step applying the „Internet of Things“ for optimising the spinning mill, the new E 36 / E 86 combing set, the new R 66 rotor spinning machine and the J 26 air-jet spinning machine with the Polyester option P 26. The Business Group After Sales is presenting innovative spare parts and conversions packages as well as after sales service offerings which maintain the competitiveness

of Rieter systems, reaching from technology support over maintenance audits and repair services to customer training. In addition Rieter After Sales offers end-to-end mill solutions leveraging on Rieter's system supplier expertise.

Bräcker, Graf, Novibra and Suessen are presenting components for the manufacture of high quality yarns. These are for example represented by the STARLET *plus* traveller and the FlexComb circular comb.

Attached and also on the pages of the three Business Groups under www.rieter.com you will find detailed information on the innovations at the ITMA 2015.

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About Rieter

Rieter is the world's leading supplier of systems for short-staple fibre spinning. Based in Winterthur (Switzerland), the company develops and manufactures machinery, systems and components used to convert natural and manmade fibres and their blends into yarns. Rieter is the only supplier worldwide to cover spinning preparation processes as well as all four end spinning technologies currently established on the market. With 18 manufacturing locations in ten countries, the company employs a global workforce of some 5 150, about 23 % of whom are based in Switzerland. Rieter is listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange under the ticker symbol RIEN. www.rieter.com