



PRESS RELEASE

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De' Longhi S.p.a.: consolidated revenues of the first half 2009 at about € 590 million (-14%). The Household division confirms to be more dynamic, while the slowing down of the Professional division is more marked.

The consolidated revenues of the De' Longhi Group in the first half 2009 amounted to about € 590 million, thus decreasing by about € 96 million vs. the same period of 2008 (-14%). The decrease in the second quarter was about 16%.

The trend of sales, substantially in line with the management's guidance, has been reflecting a slowing global economic scenario, without significant signs of deterioration in respect of the first quarter's evidence.

The Household division confirmed to be more resilient to the negative trend of consumption, while the Professional segment was more heavily affected by the stagnating real estate and industrial investments businesses.

Generally speaking, the European markets were weaker than Northern America and Far East.

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Declaration of the manager responsible for the company's accounts.

The manager responsible for the preparation of the company's accounts, Stefano Biella, hereby declares, as per article 154 bis, paragraph 2, of the "Testo Unico della Finanza", that all information related to the company's accounts contained in this press release are fairly representing the accounts and the books of the company.



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