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## National Electrical Manufacturers Association and Orgalim Sign Memorandum of Understanding

Arlington, Virginia and Brussels, Belgium – The National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA), the leading trade association of the electrical manufacturing industry in the United States, and Orgalim, the association representing Europe's technology industries, announced today that they have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to deepen their coordination in promoting the shared interests of their respective members in the United States and Europe.

At this pivotal moment of economy-wide electrification in both the US and Europe amid a global competitive and geopolitical realignment, this agreement will strengthen efforts in both markets to promote emerging technologies, renewables, energy and material efficiency, international standards and conformity assessment and market access.

"International collaboration, information sharing and harmonization will accelerate our progress in the energy transition and we look forward to our partnership with Orgalim to advance our common objectives," said NEMA President and CEO Debra Phillips.

"In our cooperation, we are driven by a shared objective: building a more resilient and integrated transatlantic market for manufacturing advanced and clean technologies. This is vital for Europe and the United States to achieve their climate goals," said Orgalim Director General Malte Lohan.

The MoU reflects the mutual interest of NEMA and Orgalim to increase cooperation and information exchange on matters including trade, regulatory affairs, electrical standards, and technology innovation.

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*Orgalim represents Europe's technology industries, comprised of 770,000 innovative companies spanning the mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, electronics, ICT and metal technology branches. Together they represent the EU's largest manufacturing sector, generating annual turnover of over €2,497 billion, manufacturing one-third of all European exports and providing 10.97 million direct jobs. Orgalim is registered under the European Union Transparency Register – ID number: 20210641335-88.*

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### About Orgalim

Orgalim represents Europe's technology industries, comprised of 770,000 companies that innovate at the crossroads of digital and physical technology. Our industries develop and manufacture the products, systems and services that enable a prosperous and sustainable future.

Ranging from large globally active corporations to regionally anchored small and medium-sized enterprises, the companies we represent directly employ 10.97 million people across Europe and generate an annual turnover of €2,497 billion.

Orgalim is the foremost voice of Europe's technology industries at the EU level, working with policymakers to strengthen their sectors' growth and global leadership, maximise their contribution to Europe's economy and society and foster a new relationship of trust between businesses and citizens. We are shaping a future that's good.

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