



Ansaldo STS S.p.A.

Via Paolo Mantovani, 3 – 5, 16151 Genoa - Italy

Issued Capital 70.000.000,00 € fully paid up
R.E.A. n.421689
Company Registration number Genoa Chamber of Commerce
Fiscal Code and Value Added Tax n. 013760662

Direction and coordination of Finmeccanica S.p.A.

Press Office
Phone +39 010 6552234 - Fax +39 010 6552939

www.ansaldo-sts.com

Annual KWD Webranking for the best corporate websites

**Ansaldo STS' new website wins
KWD Webranking Best Improver 2011 award**

**The company achieved the biggest improvement in its score
compared with the previous year's survey**

Genoa, 28 November 2011 - Ansaldo STS' new website, launched in June this year, has been awarded the KWD Webranking Best Improver 2011 award.

The award was bestowed by KWD, in collaboration with Lundquist and CorrierEconomia, the digital division of Hallvarsson & Halvarsson (H&H), on the website that showed the biggest improvement in its score in the survey on corporate communication via the web compared with 2010. The KWD survey included the websites of the 101 largest Italian companies by market capitalisation.

Today, at the headquarters of the Corriere della Sera newspaper will take place the awards ceremony of the Italian Webranking Awards. This Award reflects the increasing importance of the internet communication strategies and social media activities for multinationals.

The considerable advance by the new website of Ansaldo STS (www.ansaldo-sts.com) – which improved its score by 12.5 points compared with 2010 in the overall assessment of corporate communication via the web compiled by the digital division of the Swedish consultancy company H&H – comes thanks to the complete restyling of its graphics, content and user services as part of a general overhaul to best show off the company's qualities, governance, shareholder relations and corporate policy.

PRESS OFFICE

When browsing the website, users can rely on a uniform, consistent structure: all the information is easy to find wherever they are within the new site. The developers of the site took full advantage of the opportunities offered by the web: a presence on social media, the creation of tools such as the interactive calendar and RSS services, information for users and the press, the reworking of the search engine and the creation of a documentation directory to make it easy to find any document published on the site.

Sergio De Luca, CEO of Ansaldo STS, commented, “the recognition obtained by our new website from KWD Webranking shows how the work carried out on our Group’s online platform, aimed at responding in real time and with the utmost transparency and user-friendliness to requests for information from the market, is of extremely high quality. The website is the first impression that every company makes to the outside world, and it is even more important for us as an international group listed on the stock market and belonging to Italy’s blue-chip index. We will, in future, update and review our current web applications, should the market require it, to maintain and, where necessary, achieve the required standards of quality and excellence that inspire our day-to-day operations.

Media Contact :

Ansaldo STS
Roberto Alatri, tel. +39 347 4184430
roberto.alatri@ansaldo-sts.com

Investor Relations Officer:

Andrea Razeto, tel. +39 010 6552068
andrea.razeto@ansaldo-sts.com

PMS

Giancarlo Fre, tel. +39 06 48905000
g.fre@pmsgroup.it

Andrea Faravelli, tel. +39 02 48000250
a.faravelli@pmsgroup.it