



NEXTCHEM (MAIRE) OPENS A NEW OFFICE IN BEIJING TO STRENGTHEN ITS ROLE IN INDUSTRIAL TRANSFORMATION AND SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGIES IN CHINA AND ASIA, BUILDING ON TECNIMONT'S PRESENCE IN THE COUNTRY SINCE 1994

Beijing/Milan – 07 April 2026 – Nextchem, MAIRE's subsidiary leading the Sustainable Technology Solutions business unit, **has inaugurated its new office in Beijing**, further strengthening the Group's long lasting presence in the Country since 1994 through **Tecnimont** (Integrated E&C Solution business unit), thus reinforcing its long-term commitment to the Chinese market and the broader Asian region, a key hub in global industrial value chains.

The inauguration ceremony was attended by representatives of the Italian diplomatic community, Chinese institutional and industrial partners, as well as MAIRE's and Nextchem's top management, including **Fabrizio Di Amato, Founder and Chairman of MAIRE**. Among the distinguished guests was **Cristina Carenza, Deputy Head of Mission of the Italian Embassy in China**.

The opening of the Beijing office represents a significant milestone in MAIRE's growth strategy and reflects Nextchem's ambition to be at the forefront of global industrial transformation in a context characterized by rapidly evolving value chains, reinforcing the technological innovation in the energy and critical raw materials sectors.

With this new office, Nextchem aims to work even closer to Chinese customers and partners, thanks to its broad portfolio of sustainable technologies with solutions tailored to local market needs.

Fabrizio Di Amato, Founder and Chairman of MAIRE, commented: "Opening our office in Beijing represents a strategic step in MAIRE's international development. Looking to China today means looking to innovation, advanced technologies and new industrial models which provide a strong stimulus for the deployment of our increasingly innovative solutions in a market with a strong potential. By strengthening our presence here through Nextchem, we aim to combine our global technological expertise with local partnerships, contributing to sustainable industrial growth and long-term cooperation with Chinese clients and partners, also leveraging Tecnimont's rooted presence in the Country since 1994."

MAIRE S.p.A. is a leading engineering group providing technology solutions and project execution in the downstream segment of energy services, as well as in the chemicals and fertilizers industries. The Group operates through two business units: Integrated E&C Solutions and Sustainable Technology Solutions, the latter active in sustainable fertilizers, low carbon energy vectors, and innovative materials and circular solutions. With operations in around 50 countries, MAIRE employs approximately 10,800 people engaged in its projects worldwide. MAIRE is listed on the Milan Stock Exchange (ticker "MAIRE"). For further information: www.groupmaire.com

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