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Smart city startup eluminocity receives large investment.

Munich. eluminocity is a startup, which offers high-quality charging stations for electric cars, intelligent street lighting and smart city sensors. Now the Munich based startup has received its first financing. Two strategic investors are investing in eluminocity, with each investor taking a 17.5 per cent share in eluminocity: Trilux the German market leader for technical luminaires and the Essen based energy company innogy SE will be working with eluminocity, who have offices in Munich and Denver, to further open doors to the smart city market. With the new investment, eluminocity will continue to drive technological development and internationalize sales beyond Europe and the USA.

Sebastian Jagsch founded the company at the beginning of 2014. Together with BMW as the first cooperation partner, eluminocity has developed the modular system "Light & Charge" to turn streetlights into charging stations for electric vehicles. Within three years, and now 30 employees, the team has built up a comprehensive portfolio of freestanding, elegant charging stations for electric cars as well as sensor solutions for adaptive street lighting.

Sebastian Jagsch (CEO): "We are pleased to have two strong and strategic partners on board with Trilux and Innogy, with whom we can continue to drive both charging station solutions for electric cars as well as smart city sensors."

Our smart city sensors detect a wide variety of conditions, including but not limited to the measurement of environmental conditions. eluminocity has installed successful projects in Seattle, Munich and the first pilots in Singapore and Hong Kong. This is the first round of financing for eluminocity and until now, the company's success has been built on creating successful projects and developing partnerships.

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Über die innogy SE

Die innogy SE ist das führende deutsche Energieunternehmen mit einem Umsatz von rund 44 Milliarden Euro (2016), mehr als 40.000 Mitarbeitern und Aktivitäten in 16 europäischen Ländern. Mit ihren drei Geschäftsfeldern Netz & Infrastruktur, Vertrieb und Erneuerbare Energien adressiert die innogy SE die Anforderungen einer modernen dekarbonisierten, dezentralen und digitalen Energiewelt. Im Zentrum der Aktivitäten von innogy stehen unsere 23 Millionen Kunden. Diesen wollen wir innovative und nachhaltige Produkte und Dienstleistungen anbieten, mit denen sie Energie effizienter nutzen und ihre Lebensqualität steigern können. Die wichtigsten Märkte sind Deutschland, Großbritannien, die Niederlande und Belgien sowie einige Länder in Mittelost- und Südosteuropa, insbesondere Tschechien, Ungarn und Polen. Bei der Stromerzeugung aus erneuerbaren Energien ist innogy mit einer Kapazität von insgesamt 3,7 Gigawatt auch außerhalb dieser Regionen aktiv, z. B. in Spanien, Italien und der MENA-Region (Middle East, North Africa). Als Innovationsführer bei Zukunftsthemen wie eMobility sind wir an den internationalen Hotspots der Technologiebranche wie im Silicon Valley, in Tel Aviv, London oder Berlin vertreten. Wir verbinden das breite Know-how unserer Energietechniker und Ingenieure mit digitalen Technologiepartnern - vom Start-up bis zum Großkonzern. Mit geplanten Investitionen von 6,5 bis 7,0 Milliarden Euro im Zeitraum von 2017 bis 2019 bauen wir den Energiemarkt der Zukunft und treiben die Energiewende voran.

Weitere Informationen unter www.innogy.com

About TRILUX - UK

TRILUX SIMPLIFY YOUR LIGHT represents the simplest and most reliable path to customised, energy-efficient and future-proof lighting solutions. In the dynamic and ever increasingly complex lighting market, customers are provided with optimal advice, ideal orientation and perfect light. To ensure this, TRILUX offers a wide portfolio of technologies as well as high-performance partners in the TRILUX Group and unites single components to create custom-designed complete solutions - always perfectly tailored to the customer's requirements and specific applications. In this way, complex and extensive projects can be simply and rapidly implemented from a single supplier. According to the principle of "SIMPLIFY YOUR LIGHT", simple planning, installation and use is focused on for customers in addition to quality and cost efficiency.

The TRILUX Group has seven production facilities in Europe and Asia and supports international customers with 25 subsidiaries and a large number of sales partners worldwide. The light business sector consists of the TRILUX and Oskalite brands and BAG and Zalux represent the OEM systems business sector. Further associated companies are the ITZ (Innovation and Technology Centre), ICT and the online platform watt24. The TRILUX Akademie has locations in Germany, Austria, Holland, Belgium and Great Britain communicating expertise concerning topics, trends and new developments in the lighting sector. The company employs over 5,200 employees worldwide, with headquarters in Arnsberg in Germany.