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SMG Technology Acceleration SE launches private placement in an amount of €22 million and listing of its public shares on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange, targeting business combination with a company in the European technology sector, with a focus on additive manufacturing/3D printing, software as a service (SaaS), and digital infrastructure/blockchain-based technologies.

Luxembourg, October 26, 2023 – SMG Technology Acceleration SE (the "Company"), a Luxembourg special purpose acquisition company (SPAC), today announces the start of its private placement of 22,000,000 units (the "Units"), consisting each of one share (a "Public Share") and one half of a warrant (a "Class A Warrant"), at a price of €1.00 per Unit for an aggregate of €22 million. The Units will be solely offered to selected investors outside the U.S. The private placement is expected to end this evening.

The Company is sponsored by SMG Technology Holding S.à r.l. (the "Sponsor"), an affiliate of Dr. Stefan Petrikovics. The Company was established for the purpose of acquiring an operating business with principal business operations in a member state of the European Economic Area, the United Kingdom or Switzerland by way of a merger, capital stock exchange, share purchase, asset acquisition, reorganization or similar transaction (the "Business Combination") and plans to target a company in the technology sector with a focus on the sub-sectors additive manufacturing/3D printing, software as a service (SaaS), and digital infrastructure/blockchain-based technologies. The Company will have 12 months from the date of the admission to trading to consummate the Business Combination. Otherwise, the Company will be liquidated and distribute substantially all of its assets to its shareholders.

de Krassny GmbH, an affiliate of Alain Francois Marcel de Krassny has agreed to subscribe for 14,680,000 Units in the private placement for an aggregate subscription price of €14,680,000 (the "Cornerstone Investment I"). In addition, Koehler Invest GmbH, an affiliate of Koehler Holding SE & Co. KG has agreed to subscribe for 5,000,000 Units in the private placement for an aggregate subscription price of €5,000,000 (the "Cornerstone Investment II").

The Company has applied for admission of the Public Shares (ISIN: LU2699152265) to trading on the regulated market (*regulierter Markt*) of the Frankfurt Stock Exchange (General Standard). Trading of the Public Shares is expected to commence on October 31, 2023. The Class A Warrants will not be admitted to trading on a stock exchange.

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