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## COVID-19: RENAULT TRUCKS INTERRUPTS THE ACTIVITY OF ITS PLANTS IN FRANCE

**March 16, 2020, 7:50 PM – In order to protect its employees and contribute to the measures requested by the French government to limit the spread of the COVID-19 epidemic, the truck manufacturer Renault Trucks has announced the exceptional closure of its four production sites until further notice.**

The Renault Trucks production sites in Lyon, Bourg-en-Bresse, Blainville-sur-Orne and Limoges, which have 4,500 employees, will be closed until further notice, depending on the development of the health situation.

For employees of sales and research & development entities, the company has implemented a home office protocol in order to guarantee business continuity.

Because the role of transporters is essential to supply healthcare establishments and essential businesses, the 24/7 breakdown service and repair workshops will continue to operate.

## **About Renault Trucks**

Building on a legacy of more than a century of innovative French truck know-how, Renault Trucks supplies transport professionals with a range of vehicles (from 2.8 to 120 t) and services appropriate for distribution, construction and long-distance transport. Renault Trucks vehicles are sturdy and reliable with low fuel consumption enables them to deliver greater productivity and control operating costs. Renault Trucks distributes and maintains its vehicles via a network comprising more than 1,400 service outlets worldwide. The design and assembly of Renault Trucks vehicles, as well as the production of most components, is carried out in France.

Renault Trucks is part of the Volvo Group, one of the world's leading manufacturers of trucks, coaches and buses, construction equipment and power solutions for marine and industrial applications. The Group also provides comprehensive financing and servicing solutions. The Volvo Group employs around 104,000 people, has production facilities in 18 countries and sells its products across more than 190 markets. In 2019, the Volvo Group's net sales came to EUR 40.5 billion (432 billion SEK). The Volvo Group is a listed company headquartered in Gothenburg, Sweden. Volvo shares are listed on Nasdaq Stockholm.

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