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INTESA SANPAOLO'S STOCK CONFIRMED IN THE "DOW JONES SUSTAINABILITY INDEXES"

The Group's constant commitment towards economic, social and environmental sustainability has been recognised at European level

Milan - Turin, 15 September 2014 - The **Intesa Sanpaolo** Group consolidates the recognition received which places it among some of the most actively engaged companies in the world in terms of economic, social and environmental sustainability.

Intesa Sanpaolo's stock was confirmed among the "**Dow Jones Sustainability Index World**" and "**Dow Jones Sustainability Index Europe**" financial indexes, managed by S&P Dow Jones Indexes and by Robeco SAM (investor specialised solely in sustainable investments).

The Dow Jones sustainability indexes were launched in 1999 and monitor the environmental, social and economic performances of the main companies operating in Stock Exchanges worldwide.

The stocks to be included in the Dow Jones (DJSI) sustainability indexes are selected on the basis of a strict annual evaluation conducted by Robeco SAM. The indexes follow a best in class logic, including companies across all sectors with the highest performance in relation to several sustainability indicators.

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