

## **Memorandum of Understanding with the Romanian Nuclear Agency for Radioactive Waste**

### ***First contract for feasibility studies related to radioactive waste management at the future site of Saligny***

Le Bourget, 14 October 14, 2014 - Today at the WNE (World Nuclear Exhibition), Assystem and the Romanian Nuclear Agency for Radioactive Waste (ANDR) signed a Memorandum of Understanding in the presence of Florin Constantin Tatar, President of ANDR, and Dominique Louis, Chairman and Founder of Assystem.

This memorandum of understanding supports future Assystem operations for ANDR covering the exchange of experience, implementation and technical assistance in design, project management and operation of nuclear facilities, including decommissioning as well as characterization, treatment and conditioning of radioactive waste for disposal.

A first contract was signed today for feasibility studies related to radioactive waste management at the future site of Saligny, in the South East of Romania.

Assystem, the world's fourth largest independent nuclear engineering company, has been operational in Romania for twenty years. Assystem today employs nearly 600 engineers in this country including seasoned engineers in nuclear who have been working on the ITER project in France or the EPR in Finland. They will also rely on Assystem's local partner ISPE.

Working alongside the French nuclear industry for more than 45 years, Assystem has built up proven expertise in the entire life cycle of a nuclear installation. Today, the group participates in such consignments as decommissioning the Sellafield site in the UK and the ANDRA's draft-design studies for the Cigéo site (Industrial Centre for Geological Storage).

### **About Assystem**

Assystem is an international Engineering and Innovation Consultancy. As a key participant in the industry for more than 45 years, Assystem supports its customers in developing their products and managing their capital expenditure throughout the product life cycle. Assystem employs more than 11,000 people worldwide and reported €871.4 million in revenue in 2013. The Company is listed on NYSE Euronext Paris.

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