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## Press Information

### Repayment of shareholder loan

Plochingen, [January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017] – CeramTec (the “Company”) is pleased to inform that a distribution of EUR 56.5 million has been made out of the group as a repayment of the shareholder loan; no further such distribution is planned.

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