

BorgWarner signe un accord de partenariat stratégique avec FinDreams Battery pour les blocs-batteries LFP

- *BorgWarner sera le fabricant privilégié des blocs-batteries LFP pour les marchés des véhicules utilitaires (classe 3 et plus) en Europe, sur le continent américain et dans certaines parties de l'Asie-Pacifique.*

Auburn Hills, Michigan, 13 février 2024 – BorgWarner Inc. (NYSE: BWA) a annoncé aujourd'hui un accord de partenariat stratégique avec FinDreams Battery, filiale de BYD Company Limited. Aux termes de cet accord, BorgWarner sera le seul fournisseur de batteries (non-OE), non affilié à FinDreams Battery, à disposer des droits de localiser des blocs-batteries LFP pour véhicules utilitaires utilisant les cellules à lame de FinDreams Battery pour l'Europe, le continent américain et certaines régions de l'Asie-Pacifique. L'accord est conclu pour une durée de huit ans.

En plus de recevoir des cellules à lame à la pointe de la technologie pour la fabrication de batteries LFP dans les zones géographiques mentionnées, BorgWarner se verra accorder par FinDreams Battery, une licence d'utilisation de sa propriété intellectuelle relative à la conception et au processus de fabrication de ses batteries.

« La chimie des batteries lithium-fer-phosphate est une technologie passionnante qui prend de plus en plus d'importance dans le monde en raison de son coût compétitif. Nous avons constaté une augmentation de la demande de nos clients pour des blocs-batteries contenant des cellules LFP », a déclaré Frédéric Lissalde, Président et CEO de BorgWarner. « Nous estimons que FinDreams Battery est le partenaire idéal pour BorgWarner dans ce domaine, avec plus de 20 ans d'expérience et de réussite dans les blocs-batteries LFP pour le secteur de la mobilité en Chine et en Europe. Nous sommes ravis de travailler ensemble au développement d'une technologie de pointe pour les cellules et les blocs-batteries afin d'électrifier davantage ce segment de marché. »

Michael He, Président et CEO de FinDreams Battery, a déclaré : « À un moment clé d'une géopolitique complexe et du démarrage de l'électrification des véhicules utilitaires par la

technologie lithium-ion-phosphate, la coopération avec BorgWarner en matière de localisation des blocs-batteries à cellules à lame FDB tire parti des atouts de chacun. Les clients du monde entier bénéficieront des options diversifiées et flexibles, ainsi qu'un accès accru à ces produits. Fidèle à sa vision 'Let people use batteries carefree', FDB coopérera avec BorgWarner pour œuvrer conjointement à une électrification rapide du marché des véhicules utilitaires ».

À propos de BorgWarner

Depuis plus de 130 ans, BorgWarner, leader mondial, innove avec succès dans le domaine de la mobilité. Avec un portefeuille de produits en constante évolution, nous soutenons la transition mondiale vers l'e-mobilité et contribuons ainsi à la création d'un avenir propre, sain et sûr.

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subject to disruptions; our reliance on major OEM customers; the extent, duration, and impact of the recent and any future strikes involving some of our OEM customers and any actions such OEM customers take in response; fluctuations in interest rates and foreign currency exchange rates; our dependence on information systems; the uncertainty of the global economic environment; the outcome of existing or any future legal proceedings, including litigation with respect to various claims, or governmental investigations, including related litigation; future changes in laws and regulations, including, by way of example, taxes and tariffs, in the countries in which we operate; impacts from any potential future acquisition or disposition transactions; and the other risks noted in reports that we file with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including Item 1A, “Risk Factors” in our most recently filed Form 10-K and/or Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. We do not undertake any obligation to update or announce publicly any updates to or revisions to any of the forward-looking statements in this release to reflect any change in our expectations or any change in events, conditions, circumstances, or assumptions underlying the statements.

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