

2016 Reference Document including the Sustainable Development Report available

The **2016 Air Liquide Reference Document** including the Sustainable Development Report was filed with the French Financial Markets Authority (AMF) on March 7, 2017.

This document is available in French and English on the Group's website www.airliquide.com, section Investors – regulated information. Copies of this Reference Document are also available at the Company head office in Paris (75007), France – 75, quai d'Orsay.

The Reference Document includes the following information:

- the 2016 financial report,
- the report from the Chairman of the Board of Directors on corporate governance and internal control,
- the statutory auditors' fees, and
- the description of the share buyback program.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

2017 1st Quarter Revenue:

April 26, 2017

Annual General Meeting of Shareholders:

May 3, 2017

The world leader in gases, technologies and services for Industry and Health, Air Liquide is present in 80 countries with approximately 67,000 employees and serves more than 3 million customers and patients. Oxygen, nitrogen and hydrogen are essential small molecules for life, matter and energy. They embody Air Liquide's scientific territory and have been at the core of the company's activities since its creation in 1902.

Air Liquide's ambition is to lead its industry, deliver long term performance and contribute to sustainability. The company's customer-centric transformation strategy aims at profitable growth over the long term. It relies on operational excellence, selective investments, open innovation and a network organization implemented by the Group worldwide. Through the commitment and inventiveness of its people, Air Liquide leverages energy and environment transition, changes in healthcare and digitization, and delivers greater value to all its stakeholders.

Air Liquide's revenue amounted to €18.1 billion in 2016 and its solutions that protect life and the environment represented more than 40% of sales. Air Liquide is listed on the Euronext Paris stock exchange (compartment A) and belongs to the CAC 40, EURO STOXX 50 and FTSE4Good indexes.