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AXA shareholding:

Contrary to the press release published on December 15, 2008, concerning the minutes of the combined general meeting of December 12, AXA Private Equity holds around 15% of Carbone Lorraine's share capital, not around 17% as stated in the press release

About Carbone Lorraine

Carbone Lorraine is a world leader in graphite solutions and electrical components. The Group specialises in the use of high-tech materials in highly demanding industrial environments and in the development of systems essential to a safe electrical motors' operation and to the protection of electrical equipment. With more than 85% of its sales achieved outside France, the Group holds leadership positions in all of its core businesses.

Advanced Materials and Technologies

- World number one in graphite anticorrosion equipment
 - World number two in high-temperature applications of isostatic graphite

Electrical Applications

Electrical Protection

- World number one in brushes for electric motors
- World number one in fuses for power semiconductors
- World number two in industrial fuses

The Group is listed on the Premier Marché of the Paris Stock Exchange and is a constituent of the CAC Mid100, SBF120 and Next 150 indices. Bloomberg ticker: **CRL FP** – Reuters ticker: **CBLP.PA**



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