

## Press release

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### **TenCate Grass and partners present TenCate Performance Warranty certificate to Flevo Boys Football Club in Emmeloord (NL)**

**On Wednesday 13 April 2011 TenCate Grass, together with its business partners Edel Grass and Oranjewoud Realisatie, will present the TenCate Performance Warranty certificate to Flevo Boys Football Club in Emmeloord (the Netherlands). With the launch of the TenCate Performance Warranty, TenCate Grass – as first in the international synthetic turf industry – is offering a warranty and insurance on the performance and durability of synthetic turf pitches that are made with TenCate components.**

The TenCate Performance Warranty is an initiative by synthetic turf producer TenCate Grass in collaboration with its business partners, Edel Grass and Oranjewoud Realisatie; SGS Intron is the independent certifying institute. A certification programme has been drawn up in collaboration with SGS Intron, which shows that the parties concerned have control of the relevant processes for this system. All the business partners have recently been certified by SGS Intron for Flevo Boys Football Club and others.

#### **Warranty insurance**

This warranty is offered through selected and certified business partners. Based on the chain certificate, Allianz Nederland Groep has issued a performance warranty insurance for the synthetic turf pitch belonging to Flevo Boys Football Club. This will guarantee a FIFA 2 Star performance for a period of five years. In this way the owner and operator of a synthetic turf system are given optimum assurance relating to qualitative and financial aspects.

#### **Chain management**

As global market leader in components for synthetic turf systems (synthetic turf fibres and backing for the synthetic turf carpet), TenCate Grass strives to achieve constant improvements in the qualitative aspects and service life of the sports pitches in which its components have been incorporated. In order to achieve these improvements, it is vital that the partners involved in the chain of production and installation of a synthetic turf system satisfy these stringent requirements. This can only be achieved through optimal collaboration within the chain.

**TenCate Grass**  
**Nijverdal, the Netherlands, Friday, 8 April 2011**

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**For further information:**

The presentation of the certificate to Flevo Boys Football Club will take place between 12.00 and 13.30 hours CET on Wednesday, 13 April 2011 at Sportpark Ervenbos, Espelerlaan 80 in Emmeloord, the Netherlands.

Digital visual material is available on request on: [media@tencate.com](mailto:media@tencate.com)

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**TenCate Grass** develops and produces synthetic turf components and designs systems for top-flight sports, recreation and landscape applications. TenCate, with its partners, aims to operate a system approach. This gives users confidence in its playing characteristics and service life. TenCate Grass has production facilities in Europe, the Middle East and North America.

**Royal Ten Cate** (TenCate) is a multinational company that combines textile technology, chemical processes and material technology in the development and production of functional materials with distinctive characteristics. TenCate products are sold worldwide. Systems and materials from TenCate come under four areas of application: safety & protection; space and aerospace; infrastructure & the environment; sport and recreation. TenCate occupies leading positions in safety fabrics, composites for space and aerospace, advanced armour, geosynthetics and synthetic turf. TenCate is listed on NYSE Euronext (AMX).