

## ***AMOEBA Obtains Marketing Authorisation for R&D Purposes for 10 Industrial Sites in Spain***

**Lyon, 28 September 2016** - AMOEBA (FR0011051598 - AMEBA), producer of a biological biocide capable of eliminating the risk of waterborne bacteria has announced today that it has obtained a marketing authorisation for research and development purposes for 10 industrial sites in Spain.

The authorisation was issued by the Ministry of Health, Social Services and Equality. Particularly sensitive to the development of green technologies, the Spanish legislation against legionella in particular is counted among the strictest in Europe.

This new authorisation for the Spanish market follows the recent approvals obtained from regulatory authorities in several European countries including Belgium, Italy, the Netherlands and Germany to start running industrial tests.

In this context, the BIOMEBA product is recognized as an effective alternative for water treatment against legionella, which could reinsure Spanish market players to sign letters of intent for distribution with AMOEBA.

*“This new approval will allow us and our future partners to prepare the Spanish market. Spain is an important market in the European zone and will provide new growth potential in the months to come.”* underscored **Fabrice PLASSON, President of AMOEBA’s Board of Directors.**



**About AMOEBA:** Based in Chassieu - France, AMOEBA develops a biological biocide capable of eliminating waterborne bacterial risk (legionella, pseudomonas, listeria, etc.). This entirely natural solution is presented as an alternative to the chemical treatments traditionally used in the industrial sector and complies with the new regulations in terms of chemical emissions into the environment. In a worldwide market for chemical biocides estimated to be worth EUR 21 bn(1), AMOEBA is today concentrating on the segment of industrial air-cooled towers (ACT), estimated to be worth EUR 1.7 bn(2). AMOEBA is continuing with the regulatory procedures necessary to obtain provisional MA for all European countries for the “Air Cooled Towers” application. AMOEBA is quoted on compartment C of the Euronext Paris stock exchange and joined the CAC® Small index on 21st September 2015. For more information: [www.amoeba-biocide.com](http://www.amoeba-biocide.com).

(1) : Sources combined by Amoeba from water treatment agencies, Freedonia, Eurostat and MarketsandMarkets

(2) : Amoeba data combined from the following sources: DRIRE 2013, Eurostat, ARHIA 2013



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