



## **DRILLMEC WINS OFFSHORE NEW OIL DRILLING RIGS CONTRACTS WORTH ABOUT 170 MILLION USD**

**Cesena, 30 January 2013** – Drillmec S.p.A., a TREVI Group company, specialized in the manufacturing of oil and water drilling rigs, has been awarded the supply of two new offshore oil drilling rigs worth about **170** million USD from a primary client in Central America.

The offshore drilling rigs will be “modular” ones and will operate in the Gulf of Mexico for PEMSA (GrupoMexico) an important oil company that conducts Exploration & Production activities in the area.

The newly conceptualized rigs will be manufactured and tested in the USA at Drillmec’s Inc. factory in Houston, and later transferred and installed on fixed platforms in Mexico where Drillmec’s staff will provide technical assistance and maintenance. Drillmec S.p.A. will assist its subsidiary both technologically and under project management.

*The rigs, in particular, are 2.000 HP and will be factory-made following the manufacturing criteria and custom engineering of the client. The project consists of delivering highly customized rigs with capabilities to extract hydrocarbons on a continuing basis in the selected basin. The rigs will be installed on a fixed-platform and will operate at about 2.000-3.000 meters down under the ocean floor sediments at more than 12 miles from the Mexican coast. The use of Drillmec’s best technological know-how will allow the development of important innovative features for drilling that will reduce operating costs, increase the efficiency of drilling and comply to the highest standards of safety in the industry.*

The CEO of Drillmec S.p.A. Simone Trevisani commented: *“Drillmec has already been operating successfully for some time in the Gulf of Mexico through the use of onshore rigs and this new contract, in addition to the recently announced ones in Russia, is part of a broader framework of new opportunities in the offshore market. The acquisition of this order states, once again, the ability of Drillmec to offer engineering solutions dedicated to specific customer requirements. We expect this year to open new interesting perspectives both in the offshore and onshore markets and we are confident of being able to further diversify Drillmec’s customer portfolio”.*

### **About TREVI GROUP:**

Trevi Group is a worldwide leader in the field of soil engineering (special foundations, tunnel excavation, soil consolidation and the building and marketing of special rigs and equipment relevant to this engineering sector); the Group is also active in the drilling sector (oil, gas and water) both in the production of plant and the supply of services, and it also builds automated underground car parks. The Group was established in Cesena in 1957 and today has more than 30 branches and is present in over 80 countries. Its success is due to the vertical integration of the main divisions making up the Group: **Trevi**, the division that supplies special services in the field of soil engineering, **Petreven**, the oil drilling division of the Group, **Soilmec**, the division that produces and develops plant and machinery for soil engineering and **Drillmec** the division that produces and develops drilling rigs (oil, gas and water).

The parent company TREVI – Finanziaria Industriale Spa has been listed on the Milan stock exchange since July 1999. The key financial figures for 2011 are: Total revenues of €1,061.4 million, EBITDA of €119.0 million (margin of 11.2%), EBIT of €69.3 million (margin of 6.5%), and NET PROFIT of €25.7 million. More information can be found on the website: [www.trevifin.com](http://www.trevifin.com).

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