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i4F wins two prestigious awards: 2020/21 Best Managed Company Award and 2020/21 Excellence Award for Strategy

i4F 赢得两项荣誉：2020/21 年度卓越管理公司和 2020/21 年度卓越战略奖

HAMONT, BELGIUM – i4F, a group of companies providing patents and technologies to the flooring industry, today announced that it has won two awards belonging to the international Best Managed Companies (BMC) programme. The company was awarded by Deloitte as one of the 2020/21 Best Managed Companies and, amongst this year's BMCs, also won the 2020/21 Excellence Award for Strategy. Nominations were judged by a panel of top leaders coming from a range of industry sectors. i4F now officially joins the global BMC community hosted by Deloitte, and is encouraged to participate in national and global meetings on a diverse range of topics.

HAMONT, BELGIUM – i4F, 一家为地板行业提供积极创新解决方案的集团公司，今天宣布公司赢得了德勤国际卓越管理公司评选项目（以下简称 BMC）的两个奖项。经由来自各行业的高层领导人组成的评审团的评判，i4F 被评为 2020/21 年度卓越管理公司之一。并在今年的 BMCs 中，赢得了 2020/21 年度卓越战略奖。i4F 现在正式成为由德勤主办的全球 BMC 社区的一员，并被鼓励参加有关各种主题的国家性和全球性会议。

The annual BMC programme aims to find the best managed, privately owned companies. The programme evaluates a company's management capabilities and practices and recognises overall business performance and growth.

年度 BMC 项目旨在寻找最佳管理非上市企业。该项目评估了公司的管理能力和实际运营，并认可了整体的业务表现和增长。

i4F received a 2020/21 Best Managed Companies award as a tier one player in a niche segment demonstrating a number of best management abilities and practices. This included strategy, culture and commitment, capabilities and innovation as well as finance and governance compared to peers.

i4F 获得了 2020/21 年度卓越管理公司，作为一细分市场的一级企业，展示了最佳管理能力和实际运营成果。这包括企业战略、文化与承诺、能力与创新，以及与同行相比的财务和管理表现。

The criteria for the BMC Excellence Award for Strategy looked at the added-value i4F provides to its customers as well as the scalability and success of its Patent Cluster Concept platform in terms of formulation, development, communication and execution.

BMC 卓越战略奖的标准是考察 i4F 为其客户提供的附加价值，以及其专利集群概念平台在制定、开发、沟通和执行方面的可扩展性和成果。

John Rietveldt, i4F's CEO, comments, "We could not feel prouder to have won these prestigious awards. Being selected as one of the 2020/21 Best Managed Companies was an incredible achievement but then to also receive recognition and win the Excellence Award for Strategy is extremely gratifying for the entire i4F team. We have come a long way and it is all down to the dedication, determination and sheer hard work of each and every member of the i4F family. This is a huge moment for us and our sights are now set even higher for the future. We are just at the beginning!"

i4F 的首席执行官 John Rietveldt 先生评论说：“我们对赢得这些极具声望的奖项感到非常光荣。被评选为 2020/21 年度卓越管理公司之一是振奋人心的成就，同时又获得了战略卓越奖，更让整个 i4F 团队感到非常自豪。一路走来，这都归功于 i4F 大家庭中每一位成员的奉献精神、坚定的决心和无比纯粹的努力。这一荣耀时刻，让现在的我们对未来有了更高远的期望和目标。一切才刚刚开始！”

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About i4F:

i4F® is an innovations group focused on the development of patents and technologies for the flooring industry. Its portfolio includes IP for flooring installation and wall mounting systems, material compositions, surface treatment, digital printing as well as laminate and board production technologies. I4F has strategic partnerships with the industry's most important IP players, including Classen, Kronospan, HMTX, Windmöller, CFL Flooring, Tarkett, Kingdom Flooring, Lico, Benchwick, QuickStyle Industries, Hymmen and Shaw Industries. The company's flagship technologies, 3L TripleLock® and Click4U®, provide a unique one piece drop-lock installation technique for flooring panels that eliminates the need for an additional insert on the short side. The solution is suitable for laminate, luxury vinyl tiles, expanded polymer core, solid polymer core and wooden flooring panels. International patents and patent applications for i4F's technologies have been granted and filed in over 100 countries worldwide.

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