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PRESS RELEASE

Bergamo: Covid19 emergency and the solidarity from the Made in Italy. The Pesenti Foundation, together with Italian textile supply chain players, acts to support healthcare personnel.

In a global health emergency, everyone can give a valuable help. The keyword is to adapt promptly in order to produce what is needed to help the ones working on the front lines to care for patients with COVID-19.

The Foundation, in cooperation with several Italian textile supply chain companies that have reconverted their activities, moving from the fashion sector to the production of personal protective equipment, has the ambition to be side by side with healthcare personnel engaged on the front lines every day.

With the initiative Help us help, a fundraising campaign has been set up to purchase personal protective equipment for health professionals. The project involves Italian companies that represent the excellence of Made in Italy, at the forefront of our country for their contribution in terms of creativity and versatility, but also initiative and solidarity.

A Bank Account has been activated for those who wish to side with the Pesenti Foundation in this and all future projects aimed at supporting all the institutions involved in fighting Covid-19.

The Foundation will provide all donors with an account of the proceeds received and the goals achieved through the campaign.

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Donations / payments can be made by bank transfer using the following bank details:

Bank: UBI – Branch 6024, Bergamo office

In the name of: PESENTI FOUNDATION – Covid19 emergency

Via S. Bernardino, 149 / A – 24126 Bergamo

IBAN: IT97X03111110100000065918 (for any transfers from abroad BLOPIT22)

Reason: “donation from the Pesenti Foundation for coronavirus emergency” followed by: name, surname and tax code of the donor

Pesenti Foundation together with Italmobiliare have immediately responded to the request for help from Bergamo, a city ravaged by the pandemic, by activating all their resources to support the actions carried out with great courage by local institutions and health organizations.

Several activities have been put in place. The Foundation promptly finalized a donation to the Papa Giovanni Hospital in Bergamo while 50 respirators for the intensive care units were purchased abroad and imported to be donated. Support was given also for the initiative named "Abitare la cura", aimed at transforming some hotels in the city into hospitalized residences for the therapeutic isolation of Covid-19 patients. Emphasis has to be given, also, to the contribution for the construction, in only one week, of the Italian Alpine Troops Hospital at Bergamo Fair.

In addition to the above-mentioned initiatives in Bergamo area, other actions have been carried out involving the areas where Italmobiliare Group companies operate the most. The purchase and donation to Italian institutions of 100,000 rapid devices for the qualitative detection of anti-COVID-19 antibodies and other important donations (among which the one to the Italian Red Cross) are examples of our commitment.

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