

Another Milestone for GarLa Group

Dear Investors, Partners and Friends of Ufenau Capital Partners,

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we are delighted to announce, that the GarLa Group has reached an important milestone this year: Through a further acquisition, the group can realise a significant growth in total performance of over 200% with the partnership of Enz Group AG and now generates over CHF 40 million in sales with over 220 employees.

The Enz Group has been an established group for around 25 years, with locations around Lake Lucerne and sound expertise in the areas of gardening, natural stone and landscape planning. The company, which employs 146 people, has established a leading regional position in Central Switzerland in recent years and has been able to impress a broad customer base with premium-class garden installations for private clients as well as numerous prestigious projects for business clients. Esther and Markus Enz see the GarLa Group as the ideal succession solution for their lifework.



Markus Enz, co-founder, co-owner and CEO of the Enz Group: "We look back with pride on the more than 20-year history of the Enz Group. I would like to thank all

employees and especially my family for their tireless commitment over the past years. With the GarLa Group, we have found a strategic partner who will continue the philosophy and values of our family business. The merger and the long-term development will offer customers and employees a promising future.

Andreas Joehle, Partner at Ufenau Capital Partners: "We are very delighted that with the Enz Group we have been able to win one of the leading companies in gardening and landscaping to strengthen the GarLa Group. As an experienced entrepreneur, Markus Enz will continue to contribute his broad experience and large network to the group and we are also happy to welcome his family as co-shareholders in the GarLa Group."

With the latest new acquisitions, the GarLa Group grows to 8 locations in Switzerland and achieves an annual sales volume of over CHF 40 million. This makes the group a leading provider of gardening and landscaping services, offering a wide range of services to a nationwide customer base.

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