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First washing machine to feature a heat pump

The Adora SLQ WP has set a new record in energy-saving. This is the first time that a manufacturer has succeeded in incorporating the innovative and proven heat pump technology in a washing machine. Power consumption is much lower than with conventional washing machines, beating the best energy efficiency class (A+++) by a further 50%. This means the Adora SLQ WP is both efficient and gentle on the environment.

Alongside the energy-saving potential, the appliance features further good inventions that are of great benefit. The world-exclusive Steam anti-crease function uses steam to smooth out creases in the washing so well that ironing is no longer necessary in most cases. The Vibration Absorbing System (VAS) makes the washing machine unbelievably quiet, while the Anti-mite programme removes every trace of mites and their allergens, giving allergy-sufferers much greater quality of life. And the full-colour touch display sets new standards for ease of operation.

To find out more about the washing machines developed and produced in Zug, visit:
www.vzug.ch

about V-ZUG

Together with its Gehrig Group AG associate and SIBIRGroup AG subsidiary, V-ZUG Ltd forms the household appliances business unit. The company has 16 service centres located throughout Switzerland. Exhibition centres are found in Basel, Bellinzona, Biel/Bienne, Chur, Epalinges/Lausanne, Geneva Cointrin, Rüfenacht near Bern, St. Gallen and Zug. V-ZUG is represented internationally in Australia, Belgium, China, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Malaysia, the Netherlands, Norway, Russia, Sweden, Singapore, Ukraine and the UK.

About Metall Zug

The Metall Zug Group employs a staff of around 3000. The holding company Metall Zug AG is listed in the Domestic Standard of SIX Swiss Exchange in Zurich (registered shares of type B: securities number 3982108, ticker symbol METN). In addition to the Swiss market leader V-ZUG Ltd, the household appliances business unit comprises SIBIRGroup AG and Gehrig Group AG. Other members of the Metall Zug Group are the Belimed Group (infection control business unit) and the Schleuniger Group (wire processing business unit).