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INTERPUMP GROUP:

STRONG GROWTH IN NET REVENUES FOR THE NINE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED ON SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2002: + 14,8% TO 375 MILLION EURO

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Milan, 14 October 2002 - **Interpump Group** has today released its preliminary figures of the **consolidated net revenues** for the first nine months (January-September 2002), **which amounted to 375 million Euro, up 14,8%** to 326 million Euros recorded in the same period of the previous year.

The preliminary results confirm the growth of Interpump Group like-for-like as well (**+10,7% up to 361 million Euro**).

The net revenues recorded in the third quarter of 2002 (July-September 2002) increased by 10,2% amounting to 105 million Euro.

Interpump Group informs that the Board of Director's Meeting called to approve the results for the third quarter of 2002 will be held on November 13th, 2002.

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