

## PADTEC HOLDING S.A.

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## NOTICE TO THE MARKET

## **Padtec joins the Fiber Broadband Association**

Campinas/SP, July 25, 2023 – PADTEC HOLDING S.A. (B3: PDTC3) ("Company" or "Padtec") announces that Padtec S.A. has joined the Fiber Broadband Association (FBA), an association that brings together operators and companies from several countries that operate in the telecommunications sector – specifically, in the optical fiber segment. The entity's objective is to promote the adoption and advancement of optical transmission technologies in Latin and North America, stimulating technological innovation, as well as new business models and applications.

Joining the FBA is in line with Padtec's strategy to participate in collaborative and research projects conducted by global communities that seek to drive technology innovation. With a portfolio that includes products for high-performance optical communications systems and services for communication networks, the Company's goal is to always be at the leading edge of innovation. "In this sense, investment in technology is the differential that allows Padtec to remain competitive and always be at the forefront of knowledge in its area of operation", says Carlos Raimar Schoeninger, Padtec's CEO and Investor Relations Officer.

"We are proud to have Padtec as a member of the Fiber Broadband Association. As part of our mission, we are committed to promoting not only the implementation of technology, but also emphasizing the importance of high-quality products and services offered to the industry. Pleased to know that the Latin American market has exactly that with the products and services offered by Padtec", says Nelson Saito, President of the FBA LATAM Chapter.

"The FBA performs an important role in promoting fiber optics as the preferred technology for broadband infrastructure, with a view to improving connectivity around the world based on the advancement of communication networks", assesses Carlos Raimar Schoeninger. "For us, networking is essential for fostering cooperation that results in technological advances. This is very much in line with our purpose of contributing to the evolution of the infrastructure of next generation communication networks in Brazil, in the Americas and in the world", he adds.

## About Padtec (padtec.com)

Padtec is a Brazilian multinational that aims to bring high-capacity connections to life throughout Brazil, the Americas, and worldwide. From the small town to the bustling metropolis. For every person, for every type of business. With more than two decades down the road, we are proud to know that we work side by side with our customers to offer services capable of bringing people together. It's this way that, breathing technology and collaborating, we get where no one else gets. We dare to use our knowledge to design new futures and accompany a world in constant evolution. This is our way to boost connections to create new realities.