## Results Q3 2016 CEWE Stiftung \& Co. KGaA

Analyst Conference Call

Oldenburg


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CFO

Dr. Rolf Hollander CEO

## Dr. Christian Friege: New CEO as of 1 July 2017



## Professional training and career

1993 MBA, Mannheim University
1995
Doctor of Political Science, Catholic University, Eichstätt/Ingolstadt

1995 to 2004

2005 to 2006

2008 to 2012
2012 to 2015
since 2015
since 2016
as of 1 July 2017
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Bertelsmann AG, including 1998 to 2000
Member of Doubleday Direct management, Garden City, NY, USA and 2000 to 2004
Managing Director, British Book Club in London, UK

Member of the Board of Management of debitel AG, Stuttgart
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Chairman of the Board of Management of the Neumüller CEWE COLOR Foundation

## Photofinishing

| Sales Volume <br> Turnover EBIT <br> EBIT w/o one-offs | in photo m . in EUR m . | $\begin{gathered} 557 \\ 91.5 \\ 3.8 \\ 3.8 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 529 \\ 95.4 \\ 5.6 \\ 3.5 \end{gathered}$ | - At $5.2 \%$ lower than 2015 , volume meets expected range <br> - Added-value products drive the increase in turnover ( $+4.3 \%$ ) and profitability <br> - One-time items in Q3 2016: EUR 0.3 m . sale of the operation in Graudenz (Poland) and EUR 1.8 m . initial supply for business partners |
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## Commercial Online-Print

| Turnover | in EUR m. | 18.7 | 19.7 | - Turnover (Q1-3: $+10.6 \%$ ) on track to achieve 2016 target |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| EBIT |  | -0.4 | -0.3 | - EBIT (Q1-3: EUR 0.5 m ) on track to be positive for full year |

## Retail

| Turnover | in EUR m. | 15.1 | 12.9 | - Focus on profitability successful |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| EBIT |  | -0.1 | 0.0 | - EBIT continues to improve |

## Other

| Turnover | in EUR m. | 0.2 | 0.6 | - Segment Other covers administrative costs for company |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| EBIT |  | -0.6 | -0.8 |  |
| structure, supervisory board costs, IR costs, real estate, futalis |  |  |  |  |

## Also Q3 above expectations: annual targets for 2016 increased

## EBIT contribution of Q1-3 and Q4

Distribution of profits Q1-3 vs. Q4
Group-EBIT in Euro millions


Rounding errors may result
$\square$ Ergebnis Q1-3 ■ Ergebnis Q4

## EBIT-growth Q4

in Euro millions


- EBIT target adjusted from 38-44 million euros to 40-46 million euros
- Even a decline in the Q4 profit would be sufficient to reach the target corridor


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CEWE FOTOBUCH Hardcover Veredelung mit Silber




## CEWE FOTOBUCH auf <br> Fotopapier Premium-Matt



Meine
cewe wandbilder
Große Momente


Wandkalender Premium-Matt





Wandkalender A2 Matt




Meine cewe cards

Freude teilen

## CEWE CARDS

mit Goldveredelung

KRCBIVIV
$427 \rightarrow$





## Fotogeschenke

## Porzellan Fototasse




Fotogeschenke


Fotogeschenke


## Fotos

Square Prints



## Fotos



## Photos Q3

Photos from films in millions

Digital photos in millions

target 2016 -5\% to -1\%


Photos total
in millions
target 2016: $-6 \%$ to -1\% -5.2\%



- Q3 volume on track, especially given the seasonal shift continuously strengthening Q4


## Photos Q1-3

Photos from films in millions

Digital photos
in millions

target 2016: 29 to -22\%

target 2016: 5\% to -1\%



Photos total
in millions
target 2016: -6\% to -1\%

in millions


20152016

- Q1-3 volume on track, especially given the seasonal shift continuously strengthening Q4 - and also supporting Q1


## CEWE PHOTOBOOK

Number of CEWE PHOTOBOOKS Q3 in thousands



Number of CEWE PHOTOBOOKS Q1-3 in thousands +4.6\%


- CEWE PHOTO BOOK increases volume and clearly enhances photo value


## Photos Total by Quarter

Saisonal distribution: CEWE 2012 to 2016
Total share of photos per quarter as a percentage


## Value of Photos Q3



- Continuous increase of turnover per photo in Q3 driven by value added-products


## Value of Photos Q1-3



- Continuous increase of turnover per photo in Q1-Q3 driven by value added-products


## Shares in Turnover by Quarter - Photofinishing

Seasonal distribution: CEWE 2012 to 2016
Share in turnover by quarter as a percentage


## Photofinishing Segment in Q3

in Euro millions


- After two positive first quarters, Q3 2016 sees sales continuing to rise: $+4.3 \%$
- CEWE brand and added-value products support increase in sales
- Trend towards these "brand added-value products" reinforces photofinishing sales
- EBIT backed up by positive one-off effects: Sale of the operation in Graudenz in Poland generates special income of 0.3 million euros, and the initial supply for business partners 1.8 million euros
- EBIT before these one-off effects, at 3.5 million euros falls just short of that of the previous year by 0.3 million euros


## EBIT before Restructuring by Quarter - Photofinishing

Seasonal distribution: CEWE 2012 to 2016
EBIT share by quarter as a percentage


Q3


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## Photofinishing Segment in Q1-3

in Euro millions


- In spite of seasonal shift photofinishing better than in same period of previous year
- Q1, Q2 and Q3 all increase turnover in comparison to the previous year: Total for 2016: + 9.3\%
- Added value products drive increase: CEWE PHOTO BOOK, CEWE CALENDAR, CEWE CARDS, CEWE WALLART
- EBIT (rounded off) improves by 5.3 m . euros
- EBIT before one-off effects improved by 3.1 m. euros:

One-off effects in 2016: +0.4 million euros in sales revenue for Smilebooks USA, -0.9 million euros in goodwill depreciation in the UK, -0.2 million euro closure of DeinDesign operation in Berlin, +0.3 million euros in sale at Graudenz operation, +2.1 million euros basic equipment for business partners

One-off effects in 2015: - 0.4 million euros in restructuring costs for closing a customer service office in Dresden

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## CEWE's Commercial Online-Print activities in Europe



- CEWE operates with webshops in 10 different countries


## Commercial Online-Print Segment in Q3



Rounding differences may occur

- After 12.3\% in Q2, Q3 growth in sales declines to $5.3 \%$ for seasonal reasons (and thus to approx. the scheduled level)
- Brexit-induced currency losses in the UK reduce growth in sales (0.2 million euros)
- Q3 confirms the fully-year target of "approx. around" 86 million euros (+10\% against the previous year)
- Q3 EBIT slightly better than in the previous year
- Currency losses in the UK have a negative effect on the profit
- Q3 also clearly confirms the annual target set for a "positive" EBIT (including the effects from the Saxoprint purchase price allocation)
- Commercial online printing continues to increase its turnover, and annual targets for turnover and profits are to be achieved


## Commercial Online-Print Segment in Q1-3



- Commercial online printing continues to increase its turnover, Q1-Q3 EBIT positive for the first time


## Growth outlook CEWE Commercial Online-Print

## Revenue

in Euro millions


- Commercial Online-Print is a growth driver


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## Repositioning of Retailing in Poland

## Photo-Hardware $\longleftarrow \| \rightarrow$ Photofinishing-Products



- Focus on photofinishing products in CEWE-retail shops
- Adjustments in hardware pricing to improve margins


## Retail* Segment in Q3



- Photo hardware sales decrease in almost all the markets
- Stronger focus on photofinishing and earnings (not selling via price)
- Repositioning, particularly of business in Poland, pays off: CEWE RETAIL improves EBIT by 0.1 million euros

Rounding differences may occur

- New positioning of retailing successful, profits further improved


## Retail* Segment in Q1-3

in Euro millions

## -7.6\%


0.2

|  |  |  |  | -0.4 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2012 | -1.2 | -1.5 | -1.4 |  |
|  | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
|  |  |  | $-3.1 \%$ | $-0.9 \%$ of tunrover |

* Only hardware, no photofinishing
- Photo hardware sales decrease in almost all the markets
- Stronger focus on photofinishing and earnings (not selling via price)
- Repositioning, particularly of business in Poland, pays off: CEWE RETAIL improves EBIT by 1.0 million euros
- CEWE RETAIL improves operatively before restructuring costs for the previous year ( 0.6 million euros) by 0.4 million euros

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## Turnover

Q3
Q1-3
in Euro millions
in Euro millions
+7.7\%
real: +8.8\%


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## EBIT Q3

EBIT Q3 after restructuring in Euro millions


## EBIT Q3 before restructuring

in Euro millions


- Mainly the photofinishing business segment sees Q3 profit increasing


## EBIT Q1-3

EBIT Q1-3 after restructuring in Euro millions
 segments

- Positive Q1-3 profit based on positive development in earnings by all the business

EBIT Q1-3 before restructuring in Euro millions


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## Group P\&L - Q3



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## Balance Sheet as of September 30

## Assets

in Euro millions


## Liabilities

in Euro millions


- Equity ratio increases to a sound $57.2 \%$


## Management-Balance Sheet as of September 30

## Capital Employed

in Euro millions


## Capital Invested

in Euro millions


- Net working capital reduced
- Gross financial debts paid back as scheduled


## Capital Employed I

| in millions of euros | $\begin{gathered} \text { June } 30, \\ 2016 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ C E \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sep. 30, } \\ 2016 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ C E \end{gathered}$ | Change as \% | Change m€ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Property, plant and equipment | 112.8 | 53.3\% | 116.8 | 52.7\% | +3.6 \% | +4.0 | Invest > amortisation |
| Investment properties | 5.0 | 2.4\% | 5.0 | 2.3\% | +0.0 \% | +0.0 | (+) Digital and offset printing machines |
| Goodwill | 32.8 | 15.5\% | 32.8 | 14.8\% | +0.0 \% | +0.0 | (+) EDP infrastructure |
| Intangible assets | 21.2 | 10.0\% | 20.5 | 9.3\% | -3.2\% | -0.7 |  |
| Financial assets | 5.6 | 2.7\% | 5.8 | 2.6\% | +3.7\% | +0.2 | (+) Land and buid |
| Non-current receivables from income tax refunds | 0.5 | 0.3\% | 0.5 | 0.2\% | +0.0 \% | +0.0 | Invest < amortisation |
| Non-current financial assets | 0.7 | 0.3\% | 0.6 | 0.3\% | -0.2 \% | -0.0 |  |
| Non-current other receivables and assets | 0.4 | 0.2\% | 0.8 | 0.4\% | +106 \% |  | (+) Raw materials, consumables and |
| Deferred tax assets | 7.3 | 3.4\% | 7.2 | 3.2\% | -1.0\% | -0.1 | supplies; merchandise |
| Non-current assets | 186.2 | 88.0\% | 190.1 | 85.8\% | +2.1\% | +3.9 | (+) Stocking up for the Christmas season |
| Inventories | 41.7 | 19.7\% | 43.6 | 19.7\% | +4.6 \% | +1.9 | (+) Increase due to growth in sales in Q3 |
| + Current trade receivables | 40.4 | 19.1\% | 41.0 | 18.5\% | +1.5\% | +0.6 |  |
| Operating gross working capital | 82.1 | 38.8\% | 84.6 | 38.2\% | +3.1 \% | +2.6 |  |
| - Current trade payables | 52.2 | 24.7\% | 54.0 | 24.4\% | +3.5\% |  | (+) Business-driven through growth in turnover |
| Operating net working capital | 29.9 | 14.1\% | 30.6 | 13.8\% | +2.5\% | $+0.7$ | (+) Stocking up for the Christmas season |

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## Capital Employed II

| in millions of euros | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { June 30, } \\ 2016 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ C E \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sep. 30, } \\ 2016 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ C E \end{gathered}$ | Change as \% | Change $\mathrm{m} \in$ | (-) Sales at Graudenz operation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets held for sale | 1.1 | 0.5\% | 0.5 | 0.2\% | -53.9 \% | -0.6 |  |
| + Current receivables from income tax refunds | 4.8 | 2.3\% | 7.4 | 3.4\% | +54.8\% | +2.6 | (+) Earnings-induced increase |
| + Current financial assets | 2.9 | 1.4\% | 3.2 | 1.5\% | +9.5 \% | +0.3 |  |
| + Other current receivables and assets | 8.7 | 4.1\% | 8.4 | $3.8 \%$ | -4.3 \% | ${ }^{-0.4}$ |  |
| Other gross working capital | 17.6 | 8.3\% | 19.5 | 8.8 \% | +10.9 \% | +1.9 |  |
| - Current tax liabilities | 6.8 | 3.2\% | 3.9 | 1.8\% | -42.4 \% | -2.9 |  |
| - Current other accruals | 3.1 | 1.4\% | 3.1 | 1.4\% | +0.1 \% | +0.0 |  |
| - Current financial liabilities | 0.3 | 0.2\% | 0.3 | 0.2\% | +0.0 \% | +0.0 | (-) Tax refunds (Saxoprint) |
| - Current other liabilities | 27.2 | 12.8\% | 26.7 | 12.1\% | -1.6\% | -0.4 |  |
| Other current liabilities | 37.4 | 17.7\% | 34.1 | 15.4 \% | -8.9 \% | -3.3 | (-) Utilisation of the tax accrual for 2015 |
| Other net working capital | -19.8 | -9.4\% | -14.6 | -6.6\% | -26.6 \% | +5.3 | (-) Utilisation of the tax accrual for 2015 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | - 0.7 |  |
| Operating net working capital | 29.9 | 14.1 | 30.6 | 13.8\% | +2.5 \% | +0.7 |  |
| Other net working capital | -19.8 | -9.4\% | -14.6 | -6.6\% | -26.6 \% | +5.3 | (+) Wages and salaries |
| Net working capital | 10.1 | 4.8\% | 16.1 | 7.3\% | +59.8\% | +6.0 | (-) Value added tax and income tax |
| Non-current assets | 186.2 | 88.0\% | 190.1 | 85.8\% | +2.1 \% | +3.9 |  |
| + Net working capital | 10.1 | 4.8\% | 16.1 | 7.3\% | +59.8\% | +6.0 |  |
| + Cash and cash equivalents | 15.3 | 7.2\% | 15.3 | 6.9\% | +0.5\% | +0.1 |  |
| Capital employed | 211.5 | 100.0\% | 221.5 | 100.0\% | +4.7\% | +10.0 |  |

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## Capital Invested

| in millions of euros | $\begin{gathered} \text { June 30, } \\ 2016 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ C l \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sep. 30, } \\ 2016 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ \text { Cl } \end{gathered}$ | Change as \% | Change m€ | (+) Earnings after tax |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Equity | 171.3 | 81.0\% | 177.1 | 79.9 \% | +3.4 \% | +5.8 |  |
| Non-current accruals for pensions | 26.5 | 12.5\% | 26.9 | 12.2 \% | +1.7 \% | +0.4 | (+) Allocation to accruals for pensions |
| Non-current deferred tax liabilities | 4.1 | 1.9\% | 5.7 | 2.6 \% | +39.1 \% | +1.6 |  |
| Non-current other accruals | 0.2 | 0.1\% | 0.1 | 0.1\% | -7.8\% | -0.0 | (+) Earnings-induced increase |
| Non-current financial liabilities | 0.2 | 0.1\% | 0.2 | 0.1\% | +0\% | +0.0 |  |
| Non-current other liabilities | 0.6 | 0.3\% | 0.6 | 0.3\% | -2.8\% | -0.0 |  |
| Non-operating liabilities | 31.5 | 14.9\% | 33.5 | 15.1\% | +6.4 \% | +2.0 |  |
| Non-current interest-bearing financial liabilities | 1.3 | 0.6 \% | 0.0 | 0.0\% | -100 \% | -1.3 |  |
| + Current interest-bearing financial liabilities | 7.4 | 3.5\% | 10.9 | 4.9 \% | +47\% | +3.5 |  |
| Gross financial liabilities | 8.7 | 4.1\% | 10.9 | 4.9 \% | +25\% | +2.2 |  |
| Capital invested | 211.5 | 100.0\% | 221.5 | 100.0\% | +4.7\% | +10.0 |  |

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## Free Cash Flow Q3

Cash Flow from operative business
in Euro millions

Outflow of funds from investment activities in Euro millions
$\begin{array}{llll}2012 & 2013 & 2014 & 2015 \\ 2016\end{array}$

Free Cash Flow in Euro millions

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2012 2013 2014 2015 2016
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$+87.1 \%$
0.7


- Operative result and working capital increase cash flow from operative business
- Outflow of funds from investment activities return to "normal" after outflows of funds for corporate acquisitions in the previous year


## Free Cash Flow Q3

| in millions of euros | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Q3 } \\ 2015 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Q3 } \\ 2016 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Change as \% | Change m € | Build-up of inventory of stocks (stocking up for Christmas season) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EBITDA | 11.5 | 13.5 | 16.7\% | 1.9 |  |
| +/- Non-cash factors | -0.5 | -0.2 | -56.0\% | 0.3 |  |
| + Decrease/-Increase in operating net working capital | -3.7 | -1.1 | -70.4\% | 2.6 |  |
| + Decrease/- Increase in other net working capital (excluding income tax items) | 1.2 | 0.3 | 77.7\% | -0.9 | Higher payments of value-added tax |
| - Taxes paid | -1.8 | -3.6 | -104\% | -1.8 |  |
| + Interest received | 0.0 | 0.7 | >1.000\% | 0.7 | Higher payments of income tax |
| = Cash flow from operating activities | 6.8 | 9.5 | 40.8\% | 2.8 |  |
| - Outflows from investments in fixed assets | -9.8 | -12.2 | -24.8\% | -2.4 | Interest income from tax refunds (due |
| - Outflows from purchases of consolidated interests / acquisitions | -11.5 | 0.0 | - | 11.5 | to "waiving a claim on receivables in |
| - Outflows from investments in financial assets | -0.1 | -0.2 | -43.4\% | -0.1 | to "waiving a claim on receivables in |
| - Outflows from investments in non-current financial instruments | 0.0 | 0.0 | - | 0.0 | 2008") |
| + Inflows from the sale of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets | 0.2 | 1.1 | 362\% | 0.8 | Higher investments in digital printing and administration building |
| = Cash flow from investing activities | -21.2 | -11.4 | 46.2\% | 9.8 |  |
| = Free cash flow | -14.4 | -1.9 | 87.1\% | 12.5 | Acquisition of DeinDesign and futalis in the previous year |
| - Free cash flow | 14.4 | 1.9 | 87.1\% | 12.5 |  |

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## Free Cash Flow Q1-3



Outflow of funds from investment activities in Euro millions

| 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Free Cash Flow in Euro millions
$201220132014 \quad 2015 \quad 2016$


- Growth in earnings and reduction in working capital increase operative cash flow
- Elimination of payments for corporate acquisitions reduces outflow of funds for investments


## ROCE as of September 30

12 months EBIT
in Euro millions


| $\div$ | Average capital employed <br> in the past 4 quarters <br> in Euro millions |
| :--- | :--- |$=\quad$| ROCE* |
| :--- |
| in $\%$ |



- Increase in 12-month EBIT pushes up ROCE to more than 20 \% in spite of increase in capital employed

[^3]Rounding differences may occur

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## Outlook 2016

|  |  |  | 2015 | e2016 | Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Photos digital | billion photos | 2.16 | 2.05 to 2.15 | -5\% to -1\% |
|  | Photos analogue | billion photos | 0.07 | 0.050 to 0.055 | -29\% to -22\% |
|  | Photos total | billion photos | 2.24 | 2.10 to 2.21 | -6\% to -1\% |
|  | CEWE PHOTO BOOK | million books | 6.0 | 6.10 to 6.15 | +1\% to +2\% |
| $\widehat{\text { NEW }}$ | Investments* | Euro millions | 39.3 | $\begin{gathered} 51 \\ \text { (old: } 48 \text { ) } \end{gathered}$ |  |
|  | Revenue | Euro millions | 554.2 | 555 to 575 | -0\% to $+4 \%$ |
| $\overbrace{\text { NEW }}$ | EBIT | Euro millions | 36.8 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{4 0} \text { to } \mathbf{4 6} \\ & \text { (old: } 38 \text { to } 44 \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | $+9 \%$ to $+25 \%$ (old: $+3 \%$ to $+20 \%$ ) |
| $\overbrace{\text { NEW }}$ | EBT | Euro millions | 36.3 | $39 \text { to } 45$ <br> (old: 37 to 43 ) | $\underset{\substack{\mathbf{+ o l d}:+2 \% \\ \text { (oto to }+18 \%)}}{ }$ |
| $\left\{\begin{array}{\|c\|c\|c} \{N] \end{array}\right.$ | Earnings after tax | Euro millions | 22.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \text { to } 33 \\ & \text { (old: } 27 \text { to } 31 \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | $\underset{\substack{\text { (old: }+19 \% \text { to }+36 \%) \\ \text { (28\% }}}{ }$ |
| $\widehat{\text { NEW }}$ | Earnings per share | Euro per share | 3.24 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.00 \text { to } 4.57 \\ & \text { (old: } 3.81 \text { to } 4.38 \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | $\underset{\text { (old: }+18 \% \text { to to }+35 \% \text { ) }}{+23 \%}$ |

- Outlook 2016 increased


## EBIT Development

in Euro millions


- Annual EBIT-target for 2016 increased: 40-46 Euro millions


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## Q\&A-Session

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November 10, 2016

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## Analyst Call H1 2016: Special tax effect raises 2016 after-tax earnings

Earnings per share
in Euro/share


Due to an unscheduled tax refund of more than 2 million euros, after-tax earnings for 2016, currently in a range of 25 to 29 million euros, will now be in a corridor of 27 to 31 million euros.

The target set for earnings per share increased correspondingly to 3.81 to 4.38 euros (previously 3.53 to 4.10 euros/share).

Reason: In 2008, the amount of tax payable was reduced when the German CEWE company declared that it would waive a claim due to be paid by the French CEWE company. When the tax assessment for 2008 was received, a tax liability in the same amount had to be entered in July 2010, since the financial authorities initially did not recognise this procedure.
CEWE challenged this tax assessment by way of legal remedy, and has now been awarded a tax refund including interest in the amount of more than two million euros. This refund will be realised in the third quarter of 2016, thus improving the tax result.


[^0]:    * 38.0-44.0 Euro mill. group EBIT-target less planned retail, online printing and from segment Others EBIT 2012-2013: EBIT adjusted to other tax
    Rounding differences may occur

[^1]:    Rounding differences may occur

[^2]:    Rounding differences may occur

[^3]:    * ROCE = EBIT / $\varnothing$ Capital Employed

