

Media Release, 30 June 2010

Daetwyler to switch to the Domestic Standard on 1 July

Altdorf, 30 June 2010. The SIX Swiss Exchange on 3 June 2010 approved the Daetwyler Holding Inc. application to switch to the Domestic Standard segment on 1 July 2010, provided all publication requirements are fulfilled. The 12,600,000 bearer shares with a par value of CHF 0.05 each of Daetwyler Holding Inc., registered at Altdorf (DAE, security number 3048677, ISIN CH0030486770) will be traded in the Domestic Standard of the SIX Swiss Exchange segment as from 1 July 2010. The last date of trading in the Main Standard is 30 June 2010.

The change in standards (switch of segment) takes place in connection with the switch in accounting standards from the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) to Swiss GAAP FER, retrospectively from 1 January 2010 and falls under the SIX Swiss Exchange Directive on Financial Reporting (DFR, Art. 6). Daetwyler will continue to prepare high-quality consolidated financial statements applying the “true and fair view” principle.

The switch to Swiss GAAP FER will lead to changes in the Daetwyler Group's accounting policies mainly in the presentation of goodwill, intangible assets from acquisitions and pension liabilities. Other than this, there will be no change in the accounting and valuation principles in as far as they are compliant with Swiss GAAP FER regulations. A restatement with a detailed reconciliation will be presented in the Interim Report 2010 and Annual Report 2010.

Daetwyler Group (www.daetwyler.ch)

The Daetwyler Group is an international multi-niche player dedicated to industrial component supply and distribution of engineering and electronic components. Its activities concentrate on attractive niches that offer opportunities to increase value added and sustain profitable growth. The Group's four divisions - Cables, Rubber, Pharmaceutical Packaging and Technical Components – are focused on the manufacturing, pharmaceutical and datacom industries. With more than 40 operating companies, sales in over 80 countries and some 4,500 employees, the Daetwyler Group generates approximately CHF 1,200 million in revenue. Daetwyler has been listed on the main board of the SIX Swiss Exchange since 1986 (security number 3048677).

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Daetwyler Holding Inc. financial calendar:

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