

PRESS RELEASE

## PITECO: SHAREHOLDERS' AGREEMENT BETWEEN JUNIPER PAYMENTS LLC SHAREHOLDERS

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Piteco (PITE:IM), listed on AIM Italy and leader in Italy in the design and implementation of managerial solutions for treasury and financial planning, completing the acquisition operation of LendingTools operational business unit through Juniper Payments LLC, informs that Juniper Payments LLC shareholders have signed a shareholders' agreement which foresees, *inter alia*, for Piteco North America Corp.1 – majority shareholder with the 55% stake – the obligation to acquire 2,50% of shares from two managers shareholders, currently owning 22,50% each, at the end of the first 2 fiscal years. The operation will have a total value ranging from 10 (ten) USD to 1,5 million USD according to the achievements of certain economic results set for FY 2017 and 2018. At the end of the above-mentioned operation, Piteco Noth America Corp. will hold 60% of the shares of Juniper Payments LLC.

The press release can be viewed on the <u>www.pitecolab.it</u> and <u>www.linfo.it</u> websites

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Piteco North America Corp. is 100% owned by Piteco S.p.A.