

Press release

## **QUNDIS and PPC jointly present their smart meter gateway solution at the 2018 E-world trade show**

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QUNDIS GmbH and Power Plus Communications AG (PPC) are working in partnership on digitalising the energy turnaround. For this purpose the companies have developed a solution which provides smart meter gateways for applications in the residential housing industry and commercial properties.

From 6 to 8 February QUNDIS and PPC will be presenting their innovative system solution at their communal stand No. 3-132 at the 2018 E-world trade fair in Essen. The smart meter gateway enables secure communication with end devices within a wide area network (WAN). As a result various types of meter (e.g. electricity, gas, water, heating) can be read out for a number of different households. BSI-certified encryption ensures the highest level of data security. The bi-directional CLS interface of the smart meter gateway permits secure access to a range of applications, such as sub-metering and device management. Via an end-user interface users can also access their own metering data and information.

The smart meter gateway solution developed by QUNDIS and PPC opens up a wide spectrum of new possibilities to companies in the housing business, such as automated remote meter reading in real time, direct integration of data in backend and billing systems, information from customers and tenants, new business models created by data ownership, new services provided by the networking of various devices and metering data, all combined with more efficient installation and maintenance. The application of digital metering systems boosts the energy efficiency of buildings, which supports the objectives of the energy turnaround. The partners are also offering cooperation facilities to municipal utilities, operators of metering points and other service providers, who can use this solution to expand their service range.

### **About Power Plus Communications:**

Power Plus Communications AG (PPC) is a leading supplier of smart meter gateways and communication technology for the digitalisation of the energy turnaround. As a digitalisation pioneer PPC has outstanding experience and expertise in the fields of energy and telecommunications. The Mannheim-based technology company has already received a number of awards for its innovations and is a leading partner to many energy suppliers and operators of communication networks.

### **About QUNDIS:**

In Germany QUNDIS GmbH is among the country's most successful suppliers of devices and systems for the metering and billing of heat and water consumption. In Erfurt the company manufactures products such as heat cost allocators, heat meters and water meters under the label "Made in Germany". Its customer base includes metering services, OEM partners and the housing industry. Innovation is a central component of the QUNDIS corporate philosophy, which was confirmed at Germany's 2016 SME

Summit when the Erfurt company was awarded the TOP 100 Prize as “Innovator of the Year”. The QUNDIS systems for remote meter reading, which also include smoke alarms, are in use in over 6 million homes in more than 30 countries.

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