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## **Linxens announces a first order for 100,000 pieces of its eco-friendly recycled PET-G inlays from Mexican card manufacturer, Thomas Greg & Sons de México.**

Launched at the end of November 2019, Linxens is delighted to see that the market is adopting its environment-friendly recycled PET-G solution, part of its **EcoLAM<sup>®</sup>** product range.

Linxens, a leading technology company providing component-based solutions for secure connections and authentication, promotes **EcoLAM<sup>®</sup>**, a range of **recycled, renewable** and **recyclable** materials, compatible with current smartcard processes.

This innovation establishes best practices in making smartcards more sustainable, reducing the first use of PVC plastics for the manufacture of contactless and dual-interface cards and helping card manufacturers to reduce carbon footprint.

*“Linxens is committed to proposing eco-friendly solutions to its clients. We are convinced that the current solutions which use virgin PVC are not sustainable, and we want our recycled PET-G offer to become the future standard for our markets. We thank Thomas Greg & Sons de México, a valued customer, for supporting our initiative with an order for the manufacture of contactless cards,”* comments Arnaud Brunetière, Senior Vice-President FTA (Finance Transport Access) Business Unit.

With over 6 billion payment cards manufactured every year, Linxens' recycled PET-G inlays will contribute to reducing the carbon footprint of the smart card industry and to creating an environmentally responsible supply chain. **EcoLAM<sup>®</sup>**'s recycled PET-G solution is recyclable and is available at scale. Additionally, the recycled PET-G solution does not release toxic or regulated substances throughout its entire life cycle.

### **About Linxens**

Linxens is a leading technology company providing secure component-based solutions for security and identification.

A world-class specialist in the design and manufacture of Microconnectors for smart cards and RFID Antennas and Inlays, Linxens' portfolio also includes module packaging. With over 100 billion Microconnectors and 4 billion RFID Antennas supplied to date, Linxens is the preferred supplier of many of the world's technology pioneers shaping the markets of telecom, transport, hospitality, leisure & entertainment, financial services, eGovernment, access control, healthcare and Internet of Things (IoT).

Linxens is headquartered in Levallois Perret (France) and employs 3,200 people worldwide. It has six R&D centers and 10 manufacturing sites.

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