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**GRS CERTIFICATION FOR THE ENTIRE LAMPO PRODUCTION PROCESS**  
**From Textile Exchange comes further proof of sustainability**

LAMPO by Ditta Giovanni Lanfranchi S.P.A, a leading Italian company in the field of zip fasteners, has completed the **Global Recycle Standard (GRS) V4.0 certification** process for the production and dyeing of its zip fastener tapes.

GRS is the most important voluntary international standard for recycled fabrics managed by the non-profit organisation Textile Exchange. The standard establishes requirements for third-party certification of recycled materials and chain of custody as well as compliance with environmental and social criteria. GRS aims to unify definitions of recycled materials in different applications, to check the content of recycled materials in textile products, and to provide apparel and leather goods manufacturers and end consumers with a tool to make informed decisions that reduce environmental impact.

«We have achieved an incredible strategic and value goal by applying for and obtaining GRS certification. This step, for LAMPO, is a further milestone on the path towards sustainability. We are aware of how crucial the use of sustainable materials and production best practices are for our partners and customers today. This is our main asset: total transparency in our green path that we share step by step with a market that is increasingly attentive to environmental issues» highlights Guido Lanfranchi, CEO of LAMPO.

LAMPO is one of the very few companies on the market that recycles waste from its production process, guaranteeing the correct registration of recycling and the quality of materials. From today, not only will GRS certified yarns be used but also the entire production process of LAMPO tapes, including dyeing, will be certified. An important goal where traceability and transparency of the entire process are at the heart of a clear and shared green strategy.

Also with a view to saving natural resources, LAMPO has launched, in the last two years, a plan drawn up with AERE - an Energy Service consultancy company specialised in energy efficiency for companies - which has led to the global redefinition of lighting and the efficiency upgrading of the entire compressed air system. For 2023/2024, the placement of photovoltaic systems on all production sites is planned, with the exception of the Cortenuova plant, which already makes use of them, and the start of an energy community project at the Palazzolo sull'Oglio site.

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