



CDP and Finmeccanica: transfer of STM shares

Rome, 24 November 2004 - Cassa depositi e prestiti Spa (CDP) and Finmeccanica Spa confirm that following negotiations, the final agreement for the transfer of 93 million STMicroelectronics NV shares is expected to be concluded by the end of this month, after examination and approval of the agreement by the Board of Directors of CDP.