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## MAGNAGHI PROVIDES LANDING GEAR SYSTEM TO EVIATION FOR ALL-ELECTRIC COMMUTER AIRCRAFT

Naples, Italy – 28.09.2022 – MAGROUP Magnaghi Aeronautica Group today announced it provided the landing gear system for <u>Eviation Aircraft's</u> historic first flight of its zero-emission Alice technical demonstrator aircraft. The pioneering first flight of Eviation's all-electric Alice aircraft lifted off on September 27, 2022 at 7:10 a.m. from Grant County International Airport (MWH), flying for eight minutes at 3,500 feet.

All-electric aircraft like **Alice** will make regional travel more economically and environmentally sustainable for businesses and consumers. All-electric aircraft have the power to transform communities by providing access to airports not currently used by commercial flights due to noise concerns or restricted operating hours. Eviation's Alice is targeted at commuter and cargo markets, and will typically operate flights ranging from 150 miles to 250 miles.

MAGROUP is proud to be a partner of this project, in line with its corporate objectives related to **sustainability** and the reduction of CO2 emissions in the aeronautical sector. "We are very honored to be able to count Eviation Aircraft among our customers. We offer our know-how by returning to the customer tailor-made projects designed for every need. These challenges make MAGROUP more competitive and able to share innovative and sustainable visions" said Giorgio Iannotti, MA Group SVP Business and Product Development.

Pietro Persico, Engineering, Research and Test Director, commented: "MAGROUP provides the solutions of tomorrow, engaging its talents in Research & Development, continuously updating its skills".



• MAGROUP Magnaghi Aeronautica Group, the operating parent company of seven leading companies in the aerospace industrial segment, designs, manufactures hydraulic and electromechanical landing and actuation systems for fixed and rotary wing aircraft, civil aviation, and defense. Apart from Magnaghi Aeronautica, the Group includes Salver, which develops and produces aerospace structures made of advanced high performance composite materials. Metal Sud, a company specialized in surface treatments and special processes for the protection of aeronautical components. Magnaghi Brazil, which produces assemblies and aeronautical components, along with all complementary special processes. Blair-HSM our US operation, which is specialized in the production of landing systems and complex aerospace components. Air Marine and Airlift Hydraulics, a supplier of landing gear maintenance, repair and overhaul (MRO) services, also providing plating services and surface treatments for the aerospace industry. Magnaghi UK, a recent acquisition of MAGROUP in the UK: Nu-Pro and Stanmar join the Group. The companies, based in Gloucestershire produce machined parts and are suppliers of surface treatments for the aerospace industry.

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