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PRESS RELEASE**ROMGAZ to devote RON 1,250,000 to support Romanian Red Cross in fighting COVID-19**

Due to ROMGAZ support, the Romanian Red Cross purchases and distributes 1,000,000 medical masks to protect against COVID-19, and intensifies the fight to limit the spread of the new Coronavirus in Romania by amplifying the national information and awareness campaign on methods for COVID-19 infection prevention.

Adrian Volintiru, Romgaz CEO, declared: *„Together for Romania! This is the message I would like to send for this period. Solidarity, empathy, humanity and responsibility should be the attributes guiding us today and over the next period, more than ever. I hereby call on all economic agents who are able to support the state institutions in fighting against the new COVID-19 virus, not to hesitate, for efforts are being made to save human lives and reduce the spread of the virus. Today, we have to demonstrate that Romanians are united, and only together we will succeed in overcoming this difficult period”.*

Volunteers of the Red Cross from the 47 subsidiaries of the organization within Romania are distributing, during this period, medical masks, liquid soap, solid soap, surface cleaning products and hands sanitizer and, in order to properly inform the population, the organization transmits information material at national level, in both rural and urban areas, by traditional means of communication and/or online. All people are urged to first and foremost comply with the hygienic measures and take the advice given by the authorities to the Romanian citizens.

For more information, please visit the website section dedicated to the information campaign:

<https://cruceariosie.ro/ce-facem/educatie-pentru-sanatate/coronavirus-2/>

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About ROMGAZ

S.N.G.N. Romgaz S.A. is the largest natural gas producer and the main supplier in Romania. The company is listed on Bucharest Stock Exchange and GDRs are traded on London Stock Exchange. The majority shareholder is the Romanian State owning a 70% stake. The company has a vast experience in the field of gas exploration and production, with a history that began in 1909 and spans more than 100 years.

Romgaz undertakes geological exploration with the aim of discovering new gas reserves, produces methane by exploiting the reservoirs included in the company's portfolio and stores natural gas in underground storages; it performs well interventions, workover and special operations, and ensures technological transportation professional services. In 2013, Romgaz extended its scope of work by taking over the Iernut thermoelectric power plant, and thus it also became an electric power supplier.