



## Press Release

Matthias Link Corporate Communications

Fresenius SE & Co. KGaA Else-Kröner-Straße 1 61352 Bad Homburg Germany T +49 6172 608-2872 F +49 6172 608-2294 Matthias.Link@fresenius.com www.fresenius.com

January 7, 2013

## Fresenius announces early redemption of Senior Notes due 2016

Fresenius will exercise the call option for its 5.5% Senior Notes due 2016 (ISIN: XS0240919372, WKN: AOGMAY). The aggregate principal amount of €650 million will be redeemed on February 7, 2013 at a price of 100.916% plus accrued and unpaid interest.

The redemption will be financed initially by utilizing existing credit lines, and from the end of June by drawings under the Senior Secured Credit Agreement arranged in December 2012. At current rates, this will result in annual interest savings of approximately €20 million. For 2013, these savings will be partially offset by one-time expenses of around €14 million in connection with the early redemption.

# # #

Fresenius is a health care group with international operations, providing products and services for dialysis, hospital and outpatient medical care. In 2011, Group sales were €16.5 billion. On September 30, 2012, the Fresenius Group had 163,463 employees worldwide.

For more information visit the Company's website at www.fresenius.com.

This release contains forward-looking statements that are subject to various risks and uncertainties. Future results could differ materially from those described in these forward-looking statements due to certain factors, e.g. changes in business, economic and competitive conditions, regulatory reforms, results of clinical trials, foreign exchange rate fluctuations, uncertainties in litigation or investigative proceedings, and the availability of financing. Fresenius does not undertake any responsibility to update the forward-looking statements in this release.

This announcement does not contain or constitute an offer of, or the solicitation of an offer to buy or subscribe for, securities to any person in the United States of America (the "United States") or in any jurisdiction to whom or in which such offer or solicitation is unlawful. The securities referred to herein may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the Securities Act. The offer and sale of the securities referred to herein has not been and will not be registered under the Securities Act. There will be no public offer of the securities in the United States.

Fresenius SE & Co. KGaA

Registered Office: Bad Homburg, Germany

Commercial Register: Amtsgericht Bad Homburg, HRB 11852

Chairman of the Supervisory Board: Dr. Gerd Krick

General Partner: Fresenius Management SE Registered Office: Bad Homburg, Germany

Commercial Register: Amtsgericht Bad Homburg, HRB 11673

Management Board: Dr. Ulf M. Schneider (Chairman), Dr. Francesco De Meo, Dr. Jürgen Götz,

Mats Henriksson, Rice Powell, Stephan Sturm, Dr. Ernst Wastler

Chairman of the Supervisory Board: Dr. Gerd Krick