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Ambienta wins Private Equity ESG Fund of the Year at the Sustainable Investment Awards

- Ambienta has won the award in recognition of its proprietary ESG in Action programme and the firm's unrivalled standing as a leading sustainability investor
- Environmental Finance's Sustainable Investment Awards celebrate the achievements of leading asset managers incorporating ESG across asset classes
- Ambienta is also pleased to announce the release of its annual 2019 ESG & Environmental Impact Report

Ambienta SGR SpA ("Ambienta") is pleased to announce that it has won the Private Equity ESG Fund of the Year at the 2020 Sustainable Investment Awards, organised by Environmental Finance. This accolade is the latest in a series of sustainability and ESG awards the firm has won over the last 12 months, reaffirming Ambienta's position as the leading sustainability-focused European asset manager.

An advisory panel consisting of industry experts selected Ambienta as the Private Equity ESG Fund of the Year for its distinctive ESG in Action programme and its unique sustainability driven investment strategy. Ambienta has always considered ESG as a value creation tool and the secret lies in the creation of its own meticulous industrial approach, which goes far beyond a mere administrative box ticking exercise. The firm also boasts its own proprietary methodology, the Environmental Impact Analysis, which quantifies the environmental impact of its investments and differentiates Ambienta from firms who use green washing to appear more sustainable. Since inception, Ambienta has contributed to saving ca. 1,600,000 tons of materials and 240,000 Toe of energy, as well as reducing 6,300,000 tons of CO₂.

Ambienta is delighted to also announce the release of the 2019 edition of its annual ESG & Environmental Impact Report. The report discloses Ambienta's progress in the integration of sustainability and ESG principles at GP and portfolio level. To access the full report please visit our website.

Stefano Bacci, Partner and ESG Manager of Ambienta, said: "I am delighted that Ambienta has been recognised as the Private Equity ESG Fund of the Year by Environmental Finance. This is the latest vote of confidence in our sustainability-focused investment model – which succeeds in delivering both top-tier financial performance and solid, measurable environmental returns."

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About Ambienta

Ambienta is a sustainability-focused European asset manager with AUM of ca. €1.5 billion, and a leader in applying environmental sustainability trends to investing. Operating out of Milan, London and Düsseldorf, Ambienta is focused on investing in private and public companies driven by environmental megatrends. In private equity markets, Ambienta manages the world's largest capital pool for this strategy and has completed thirty-eight investments throughout Europe in the areas of resource efficiency and pollution control. In public equity markets, Ambienta has pioneered the world's first absolute return fund entirely focused on environmental sustainability. www.ambientasgr.com

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