Press release

**ANDRITZ to deliver woodyard equipment**

**to new Enviva biomass pellet plants, USA**

**Graz, January 22, 2015.** International technology Group ANDRITZ has received an order from Enviva, one of the leading producers of woody biomass pellets, to supply woodyard equipment, engineering, and field services for two biomass pellet plants, each with a capacity of 500,000 tons per year, to be built in North Carolina, USA.

ANDRITZ will supply several innovative products for manufacturing high-quality mini-chips from round timber at high production rates. At the heart of the wood processing line is the HHQ30 chipper with TurnKnife system from ANDRITZ Iggesund Tools. This combination of chipper and knife system produces the highest percentage of accept chips and the thinnest chip on the market.

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◄ The ANDRITZ HHQ30 chipper is specifically configured to produce superior quality mini-chips for pellet production at high capacities and low power consumption.

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**The ANDRITZ GROUP**

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**ANDRITZ PULP & PAPER**

The business area is a leading global supplier of equipment, systems, and services for the production and processing of all types of pulps, paper, tissue, and cardboard. The technologies cover the processing of logs, annual fibers, and waste paper; the production of chemical pulp, mechanical pulp, and recycled fibers; the recovery and reuse of chemicals; the preparation of paper machine furnish; the production of paper, tissue, and board; the calendering and coating of paper; as well as treatment of reject materials and sludge. The service range includes modernization, rebuilds, spare and wear parts, service and maintenance, as well as machine transfer and second-hand equipment. Biomass, steam, and recovery boilers, gasification plants for energy production, flue gas cleaning plants, production equipment for biofuel (second generation) and biomass pelleting, biomass torrefaction, plants for the production of nonwovens, dissolving pulp, plastic films, and panelboards (MDF), and recycling plants are also allocated to the business area.