Fresenius SE successfully executes offering of € 554 million mandatory exchangeable bonds, exchangeable into ordinary shares of Fresenius Medical Care

Fresenius SE today successfully priced an issue of mandatory exchangeable bonds with an aggregate nominal amount of € 554.4 million. The bonds will be issued by Fresenius Finance (Jersey) Ltd. Upon redemption the bonds will be mandatorily exchangeable into ordinary shares of Fresenius Medical Care AG & Co. KGaA.

The bonds have a maturity of 3 years. Upon maturity, a maximum of 16.80 million and a minimum of 14.24 million shares will be deliverable, representing approximately 5.66 % and 4.80 %, respectively, of Fresenius Medical Care’s total subscribed capital.

The bonds carry a coupon of 5 ⅝ % p.a. The minimum exchange price equals the reference share price of € 33.00 and the maximum exchange price has been set 18 % above the reference share price. This structure allows Fresenius SE to participate in a potential upside of Fresenius Medical Care shares up to the maximum exchange price of € 38.94.

Settlement of the bonds is expected on August 14, 2008. Settlement of the mandatory exchangeable bonds subscribed by Dr. Patrick Soon-Shiong, founder and majority shareholder of APP Pharmaceuticals is subject to the closing of Fresenius Kabi’s acquisition of APP Pharmaceuticals. Fresenius intends to list the
bonds in the Open Market (Freiverkehr) segment of the Frankfurt Stock Exchange. However, the issue is not conditional upon obtaining listing.

Credit Suisse, Deutsche Bank, Dresdner Kleinwort and JPMorgan acted as Joint Bookrunners for the offering.

Concurrent with the issuance of the bonds a bookbuilding for an accelerated secondary equity offering of Fresenius Medical Care shares has been carried out by Credit Suisse and Deutsche Bank, without a direct involvement of Fresenius SE. The concurrent equity offering is common market practice in order to coordinate potential selling interest in Fresenius Medical Care shares. The shares were placed at a price of € 33.00 per share.

Supplemental information to the Bond:
Issuer: Fresenius Finance (Jersey) Ltd
Shares: Fresenius Medical Care AG & Co. KGaA
ISIN: DE0005785802
WKN: 578580
Listed: Regulated Market / Prime Standard of the Frankfurt Stock Exchange; New York Stock Exchange (NYSE)

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

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