

## Alpek updates 2014 EBITDA guidance

Monterrey, Mexico. July 15, 2014 – Alpek, S.A.B. de C.V. (“Alpek”) announced today that it is lowering 2014 Consolidated EBITDA guidance to around U.S. \$500 million based on year-to-date results and gradual recovery expectations for the remainder of the year.

Note: Consolidated EBITDA equals Consolidated Operating Income plus Depreciation, Amortization and Impairment of Non-Current Assets.

### About Alpek:

*Alpek is the largest petrochemical company in Mexico and the second largest in Latin America. The company operates two business segments: “Polyester” (PTA, PET and polyester fibers), and “Plastics & Chemicals” (PP, EPS, caprolactam, polyurethanes and other specialty and industrial chemicals). Alpek is a leading producer of PTA and PET worldwide, operates the largest expandable polystyrene plant in America and one of the largest polypropylene plants in North America. It is also the only producer of caprolactam in Mexico. In 2013, Alpek reported revenues of U.S. \$7.0 billion and EBITDA of U.S. \$572 million. The company operates 16 plants in Mexico, USA and Argentina, and employs over 4,500 people. Alpek is a publicly traded company listed on the Mexican Stock Exchange.*

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