**New smart home solution: Nice and elero launch Yubii Home in the German market**

**Flexible, compatible and secure: the versatile gateway fulfils the desire for more living comfort, sustainability and security**

**Schlierbach, 3/5/2022** – Smart home solutions are increasingly in demand – both for new buildings and for retrofitting existing building. If you want to remain flexible, choose an open system that can also incorporate devices from other manufacturers. With Yubii Home, Nice have launched a smart home ecosystem that meets these requirements. The gateway not only integrates products and radio protocols from elero and Nice, but also more than 3,000 devices from other brands thanks to its compatibility with the Z-Wave® protocol. Yubii Home is now also available in Germany and can be purchased from Nice and elero.

"A smart home should not only make living more secure and comfortable, but, above all, save energy, fully in line with Nice's **sustainability strategy**. We are happy that we can now meet the high demands of the market with smart home systems for every need and at the same time contribute to further reducing the impact of our homes on the environment: Yubii Home as a true all-in-one system developed under Nice's umbrella, and Centero Home for a smart application focussed on privacy and sun protection," says elero CEO Enzo Viola.

**Flexible all-in-one system**

Thanks to its versatility, Yubii Home will become the centrepiece of the new smart home. The smart hub manages all smart devices and communicates with them. It receives the data from the Z-Wave sensors, processes them and has suitable operations carried out. The voice assistants Amazon Alexa, Google Assistant and Siri Shortcuts allow all applications to be controlled by voice using the Yubii app on your smart phone or tablet from anywhere in the world. Almost all bidirectional radio drives, radio receivers and sensors from Nice and elero can be integrated into the Yubii Home smart home environment. In addition, Yubii Home is compatible with more than 3,000 devices from other well-known manufacturers. Furthermore, the gateway can support an IP camera and up to five devices by means of app plug-ins.

This makes it possible to manage and control all desired automatic systems from a central point. Roller shutters, venetian blinds, awnings, interior sun protection, gates, windows and doors, lighting, electrical household appliances, heating and irrigation systems as well as the entire home entertainment system can be controlled and integrated into automatic processes with a simple command. Appropriate sensors detect water leaks, carbon monoxide, fires, temperature, lighting conditions, motion and any tampering.

**For new buildings and retrofitting of existing buildings**

Yubii Home is not only suitable for new installations, but can also be retrofitted. Existing installations such as wired roller shutter and venetian blind drives, garage door drives or lighting can be subsequently integrated into Yubii Home with devices such as Roll-Control or On-Off-Control. As a completely wireless system, Yubii Home can be installed with little effort and adapted and expanded to meet new needs at any time.

**Broad support for the specialist trade**

With benefit-oriented starter kits on the topics of living comfort, sustainability and security, elero support the specialist trade in providing advice for initial installations. "Experience has shown us that one of these value propositions is at the forefront of every consumer's mind when purchasing a smart home system. That's why our starter kits are geared towards these needs and show the respective advantages in a concentrated manner," says Enzo Viola. In addition, elero offer training courses for specialist companies, which subsequently enables them to be listed in the dealer search under "Yubii Home". In the near future, the traditional company from Baden-Württemberg will also provide modular displays to support sales. With the specially designed Yubii Web app for installation technicians, an efficient solution has also been designed for remote maintenance of the smart home system.

Dealers can find more information at elero.de/YubiiHome.

Caption 1: As a completely wireless system, Yubii Home is easy to install and can be expanded at any time. (Photo: Nice)

Caption 2: Yubii Home scores points with its versatility and fulfils the desire for more living comfort, sustainability and security. (Photo: Nice)

Caption 3: The Yubii Home smart home ecosystem is now also available in Germany. (Photo: Nice)

**About elero – Sun Shading Solutions Nice**

*Based in Schlierbach near Stuttgart, elero - Sun Shading Solutions Nice is one of the largest global manufacturers of electrical drives and control systems for roller shutters and sun protection systems. A second division of the company is concerned with the development and manufacture of electric linear actuators. The drive manufacturer is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the multinational group Nice and a global leader in the sectors of smart home solutions, security and home and building automation, which specialises in the roller shutter and sun protection sector within the Nice group.*

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***About Nice***

*Nice was founded in the early 1990s and is a global leader in smart home solutions, security and home and building automation. The group's comprehensive offer includes integrated automation solutions for gates, garage doors, sun protection systems, parking systems, wireless alarm systems and building security for residential, commercial and industrial buildings as well as intelligent and networked devices and systems for both residential and commercial applications, security and access control, artificial intelligence (AI), health and wellness, control and audio/video. Nice have created and set in motion a strategic plan for the expansion and development of the product portfolio and networked platforms. Nice intend to continue offering a wide range of customisable, user-friendly options for the end consumer and aim to strengthen and expand in markets with high growth potential. The company has more than 3,000 employees in over 15 research and development centres and 14 factories on five continents, with sound expertise and diverse cultural backgrounds, serving partners and customers in over 100 countries worldwide.*

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