

# ATI Cleantech

## Investing and Managing Israel's Cleantech Ventures

### The Company

ATI Cleantech is a Cleantech investment company and part of ATI Technologies.

ATI Cleantech invests in agro, energy and water related ventures in Israel, implementing technologies at the stage of technology and market validation. Part of the technologies comes from academia where ATI has especially strong contacts.

ATI Cleantech provides expertise, experience and financial backing to invest in development of early-stage Cleantech ventures. ATI Cleantech offers facilities, business guidance, consultancy and mentoring to entrepreneurs from R&D to company exit.

### Background

In 1998, ATI invested in its first Cleantech technology, Pervasiv, and from 2004 ATI cooperates with WATECH, the Israeli water company Mekorot's R&D company to invest in new ventures and further advance current companies. ATI Cleantech has also aligned itself with partners such as The Israel Electric Company and Ormat. Such partners help leverage the Cleantech companies and maximize ROI.

In 2008, following ten years experience in Cleantech from the development of nine water, energy and agro-related companies, ATI and Aquagro Fund formed ATI Cleantech, a subsidiary investment company for the development and expansion of ATI's Cleantech portfolio. ATI Cleantech aims to implement and invest in 4-5 new companies every year, with the support of the two-year Industrial R&D grant as part of Israel's Incubator Program. ATI is one of two recognized Israeli technology incubators focusing on water-related ventures in the Agamim10 program.

## The Team

ATI's Cleantech Group consists of a strong team with proven experience from environmental technology and venture capital industries. The team has expertise in start-up development, commercialization of new products and business management:

**Rafi Nevo, CEO** - Founder of three water companies, EN GIBTON Ltd, AQUILYZER Ltd and TREATEC21 Industries Ltd. Nevo has past experience from the Dead Sea Bromine & Bromine Compounds group, GAMDA TRADE Ltd, a KOOR INDUSTRIES company, and the "Asset Management Company", an Arison Group company. Nevo is a director in Israel's Chief Scientist's Startup fund "Keren Heznek" and in AGAMIM 10 - NEWTECH Israel, the National Water Industry Enhancement Program. Nevo holds a M.Sc. in water & environmental sciences and MBA in finance & marketing, from HUJI Israel.

**Adam Kanarek, CTO** – Kanarak has thirty years experience from development, maintenance and operations in the fields of water and wastewater in eight different municipalities in Israel, as well as management of the Dan Region Sewage Project. He managed WaTech, Mekorot's R&D company and professional support services for wastewater treatments plant in Nicosia, Cyprus. Kanarek holds a B.Sc from the Chemistry Department at the Technion, and Business Management from Bar Ilan University and Mekorot.

**Yehuda Artsiely, Consultant** – Artsiely has thirty-eight years experience in business consulting, industrial plants and products design, industrialization of new products, energy and environmental projects; energy saving, alternative energy and technologies, from companies such as Herut Engineering & Systems Ltd, Luz International Ltd and the Cleantech investment company BHCO Group. Artsiely is a qualified engineer from the Technion and holds a B.Sc. in mechanical and industrial management.

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