

SABAF RECOGNIZED AS BEST MANAGED COMPANY - PLATINUM AWARD

For the seventh consecutive year, the Group has been recognized among Italy's leading business excellence companies

Ospitaletto (BS), 29 October 2025 – Sabaf has been named one of the winners of the eighth edition of the **Best Managed Companies Award**, an annual recognition granted by **Deloitte Private** to businesses that demonstrate outstanding management excellence. Sabaf has been included in the **New Platinum** category, reserved for the nine companies that have received this distinction for the **seventh consecutive year**.

The award ceremony took place this afternoon at Palazzo Mezzanotte, home of the Italian Stock Exchange.

The Best Managed Companies were selected by an independent jury, that includes experts from the Italian academic and institutional sector, based on a combination of qualitative and quantitative criteria.

“In an increasingly volatile international landscape affected by trade tensions, the companies honored with the Best Managed Companies Award embody the strength and resilience of Made in Italy,” said **Ernesto Lanzillo, Partner at Deloitte**.

“In assessing performance, we applied long-established criteria: strategy; capabilities and innovation; commitment and corporate culture; governance and performance measurement; corporate social responsibility; supply chain management; internationalization; and cybersecurity, a topic that is becoming increasingly critical for businesses.”

*“Being recognized for the seventh consecutive year among Italy's leading companies in the Best Managed Companies Award is a reflection of the high level of expertise and professionalism achieved by our people,” said **Pietro Iotti, CEO of Sabaf**. “This is the foundation we leverage to strengthen trust with our stakeholders and continue growing, making the Group increasingly robust.”*

SABAF GROUP

Founded in the early 1950s, Sabaf has grown steadily to become, through the eponymous Group, the leading manufacturer in Italy and one of the top global producers of components for household appliances.

The Group currently employs over 1,700 people across 15 production sites and operates through four divisions:

- **GAS** – under the brands SABAF and ARC, produces gas taps, thermostats, and domestic and professional burners in Italy, Brazil, China, India, Mexico, and Turkey.
- **HINGES** – under the brands C.M.I., FARINGOSI, and MEC, produces hinges for ovens, washing machines, and dishwashers in Italy, Poland, Turkey, Mexico, and the United States.
- **ELECTRONICS** – under the brands OKIDA and PGA, produces electronic components for household appliances in Italy and Turkey.
- **INDUCTION** – under the brand SABAF, produces components for induction cooking in Italy and Turkey.

The Group's technological know-how, production flexibility, and ability to offer a wide range of components—designed to meet individual customer needs and aligned with the specific characteristics of target markets—represent key strengths in a highly specialized sector, where demand is constantly evolving and increasingly focused on products that ensure absolute reliability and safety.

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