PRESS RELEASE

ARTELIA ACQUIRES SPRETEC

The **Artelia** group has just completed the acquisition of **Spretec**, a leading French engineering firm specialised in the design of complex mechanical systems.

Based in the Grenoble region, Spretec was created in 1987 by Francis Fournier and Jean-Louis Dupuy who will continue to head the company, which generates an annual turnover of €4million and currently employs 35 people.

This first external growth operation by the Artelia group is already bearing fruit through joint projects in progress, and highlights a real potential for expansion in this field of expertise, in France and abroad.

SPRETEC

Engineering firm specialised in mechanical equipment, complex steel structures as well as lifting and handling equipment. Spretec recently won fame by winning the *Grand Prix de l'Ingénierie* for the Mont Saint Michel gated weir mechanisms.

ARTELIA

Created in March 2010 following the merger of Coteba and Sogreah, Artelia is wholly owned by its managers and employees. With its 2500-strong workforce, the company boasts an annual turnover of €300m and is one of the top French engineering and project management firms in the construction, infrastructure and environment sectors.

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