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## Erwann Le Ligné and Pierre Meignen Join the Eurazeo PME Executive Board

Erwann Le Ligné and Pierre Meignen, currently Associate Directors and Executive Committee members of Eurazeo PME, have been appointed to the Eurazeo PME Executive Board. They will join Olivier Millet, Executive Board Chairman, Elisabeth Auclair and Emmanuel Laillier in the company's management body, which had 20 members at the end of 2017.

Erwann joined Eurazeo PME in 2006 after four years in acquisition finance. He has participated in numerous investments and external growth transactions at the international level and specifically in the USA, Canada, Belgium, the United Kingdom and India. Erwann participated in the acquisitions of Flexitallic, Gault & Frémont, BFR Groupe, Idéal Résidences, Colisée, Péters Surgical, Flash Group and Orolia. A contributor to the work of the AFIC's ESG commission, Erwann is also member of the Professional Standard Comitee and Vice-Chairman of Invest Europe's Responsible Investment Roundtable.

Pierre joined Eurazeo PME in 2005 and currently has 15 years' private equity experience. He has participated in more than a dozen investments, including the acquisitions of Mors Smitt, IMV Technologies, Léon de Bruxelles, DESSANGE International, Cap Vert Finance, Vignal Lighting Group, AssurCopro and SMILE. He has significant experience in assisting companies with external growth transactions, notably in the Netherlands, Italy, the United Kingdom, the USA and China. Pierre is also in charge of the supervision of the Operating Partner function within Eurazeo PME

Olivier Millet, Chairman of the Eurazeo PME Executive Board: "We're delighted to welcome Erwann and Pierre to the Eurazeo PME Executive Board. Their contribution to Eurazeo PME for over 10 years confirms our shared commitment and their determination to further grow Eurazeo PME and its portfolio companies."

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## **About Eurazeo PME**

Eurazeo PME is an investment firm and subsidiary of Eurazeo dedicated to majority investments in French SMEs with a value of less than €200 million. Eurazeo PME acts as a long-term shareholder, providing its portfolio companies with all the financial, organisational, and human resources they need for a sustained transformation. With an investment horizon generally ranging from 5 to 10 years, the group guides its portfolio companies in creating sustained and, hence, responsible growth. This commitment is formalised and deployed through a CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) policy.

In 2016, Eurazeo PME generated €965 million in consolidated revenues and accompanied the development of 10 companies: Dessange International, Léon de Bruxelles, Péters Surgical, Vignal Lighting Group, Flash Europe, MK Direct Group, Orolia, AssurCopro, Smile and In'Tech Medical. These companies are solidly positioned on their markets and led by experienced management teams

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