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ATALIAN acquires the French companies Net'Express and HEI and reinforces its positions on a regional level

The French Group ATALIAN, a leader of external services provided to companies, with a 1.8 billion Euro turnover and more than 90 000 employees, continues its expansion across the French territory with the acquisition of the cleaning companies Net'Express and HEI.

Founded in 1979 in the town of Gueugnon (Department of Saone & Loire), Net'Express achieved a 12.5 million Euro turnover in 2015. Its clients, spread out across the Burgundy region, come from the following sectors: industry, tertiary, healthcare and hospitality.

Founded in 1997 in the town of Saint-Etienne (Loire Department), HEI Group developed its operations across the Auvergne-Rhone-Alps region of France. HEI is specialised in industrial cleaning and is composed of a network of 7 multi-service agencies that offer industrial and office cleaning, as well as associated services such as front-of-house, landscaping and building maintenance. Its client base is varied and includes industry, tertiary, healthcare and local authorities.

HEI's turnover went from 7 million Euros in 2012 to 21.5 million euros in 2015, following several external growth operations and a sustained organic growth. The company employs close to 1000 employees and is a leader within the Auvergne-Rhone-Alps region.

These two acquisitions confirm ATALIAN's determination to strengthen its positions on the French market and specifically in the Auvergne-Rhone-Alps region, France's 2nd economy (after the Paris region). The Group's turnover in this region will be close to 100 million Euros in 2016.

About Atalian

With a turnover of €1.8 billion, and 90,000 employees (50,000 in France / 10000 in the US / 30,000 in Europe, Asia, Africa), ATALIAN is a leading independent French provider of external services solutions. The Group is present in 25 countries in 4 continents. More than 25,000 customers in both the private and public sectors trust us. The scope of ATALIAN's activities encompasses cleaning, technical maintenance and facility management, security, reception, landscaping and energy management.

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