

SOCIETEX CORPORATE FINANCE advised the disposal of the transportation company LES COCCINELLES to KEOLIS





June 2017: KEOLIS, world leader in public transport operations, acquires LES COCCINELLES

Created in 2004 by Christine Breumier and Philippe Brossard, the company LES COCCINELLES and its subsidiary LES KANGOUROUS 2 acquired in 2011, are two leading transportation companies for disabled people in the Paris area.

With a turnover of 5,5M€ and a team of 230 employees, the Group offers school bus stop services, assistance to elderly and disabled people as well as train station and airport rides.

The reputation of LES COCCINELLES is based on rigor, professionalism and local presence values.

KEOLIS already operates two PAM in the Paris area (75 & 94) and this acquisition will enable it to strengthen its position on the sector.

SOCIETEX CF initiated the contacts and advised the sellers in the negotiations with KEOLIS Group.

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