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Euradius merger undone!

Euradius and The Sheridan Group end their cooperation

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On January 9th, on behalf of the former shareholders of Euradius, Ronald Hof and Jan Prins signed an agreement to undo the merger between Euradius and The Sheridan Group (TSG) of the US. After cooperation of almost two years the European companies are again independent, under the name of Euradius.

In May of 2007, Euradius merged with The Sheridan Group. The cooperation between the companies during these years did not lead to the expected synergic advantages. Due to differences in management views and disappointing results both parties finally decided to end the cooperation.

The former shareholders of Euradius are buying all Dutch and German companies back from TSG. With their independence renewed, the Euradius management board, which is the same as prior to the sale to TSG, feels confident that a higher level of flexibility and customer focus can be achieved. "With this the continuity of the European companies stays assured for the future", says Ronald Hof (CEO).

Euradius accounts for nine companies: in The Netherlands – Alfabase, Haasbeek, Eurasia, Krips, Cross Media Solutions Netherlands and Printforce, and in Germany – Stürtz, CMS – Cross Media Solutions and CS-Druck (50 %).

Euradius keeps her main focus on the market segments Science, Education, Documentation and General books and will make undiminished efforts to retain her prominent position in her area of expertise. "And", as Ronald Hof expects, "together with the full support of our employees we are confident the quality of our service to our customers and our market position can only be improved".

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