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The Portuguese railway network renews its trust to the Portuguese subsidiary of CWL

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« Caminhos de Ferros Portugueses » (CP), the Portuguese railway network, has just entrusted again to Servirail, the Portuguese subsidiary of Compagnie des Wagnons-Lits (Accor Group), the catering service operating on board *Alfa Pendular* High Speed Trains. The value of this new 3 year contract is estimated at about € 15 millions.

Since 2002, Servirail has been offering services and catering on board trains and its activities have been growing during these last six years (Lisboa-Porto in 2002, Lisboa-Madrid in 2005 and Porto-Faro in 2007).

22 daily trips of *Alfa Pendular* trains will then insure the transport of about one million passengers a year along the North-South Atlantic axis so connecting the totality of the Portuguese area from Braga to Faro.

"Within the framework of our ambitious policy emphasizing our trademarks based on innovation and which aims to develop concepts in service and catering with respect for each local culture and railway network, a new trademark " Latitudes, coffee - comboio " has been created. Taking into account the identity of Portugal, this trademark associates and matches up with modernity, pleasure, health, quality, ethics, comfort and safety..." points out Philippe Hamon, Chief Executive Officer of CWL.



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Subsidiary of Accor Group, **CWL**, European leader in service and catering provision on board trains, benefits from an experience and a know-how of almost 135 years.

Present in Europe (Austria, Spain, France, Italy, Portugal, United Kingdom ...), it offers a wide range of service provision on board High Speed Trains and international train-hotels with new concepts and culinary trends with respect for each local culture and railway network : catering, additional services linked to the journey itself and associated logistics activities.

Before 2010, CWL will develop and spread its range of services to penetrate new markets and countries within the framework of privileged partnership with the railway networks.

**Accor**, the European leader and a major global group in hotels, the global leader in services to corporate clients and public institutions, operates in nearly 100 countries with 150,000 employees. It offers to its clients over 40 years of expertise in its two core businesses:

- **Hotels**, with the **Sofitel, Pullman, Novotel, Mercure, Suitehotel, Ibis, All Seasons, Etap Hotel, Formule 1 and Motel 6 brands**, representing 4,000 hotels and nearly 500,000 rooms in 90 countries, as well as strategically related activities, such as Lenôtre.

- **Services**, with 23 million people in nearly 40 countries benefiting from **Accor Services** products in human resources, marketing services and expense management.

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