

## Total Quadran partners with La Française De l'Énergie to accelerate the development of solar power plants in France

**Forbach, France, November 12, 2019.** La Française de l'Énergie (Euronext: LFDE - ISIN: FR0013030152), leader in industrial ecology, has signed an exclusive partnership with Total Quadran to jointly develop green electricity production based on solar energy in both Hauts-de-France and Grand Est regions.

La Française de l'Énergie ("LFDE"), expert in local energy production in the former mining basins of France, and Total Quadran, a major player in renewable electricity production, combine their technical, local knowledge and their know-how to develop, build and operate renewable electricity plants in the Hauts-de-France and Grand East regions.

The aim of this exclusive partnership is to promote the rapid deployment of innovative solutions, adapted to the industrial specificities of the territories, in order to meet the growing needs for electricity generation from renewable sources.

Julien Moulin, President of La Française de l'Énergie, is delighted: "We are pleased with this industrial partnership with Total and its subsidiary Total Quadran, one of the French leaders in renewable energy, which strengthens our capacity to supply ecologically and economically competitive energy. We are therefore proud to support Total Quadran in the Grand Est and Hauts-de-France regions by implementing clean energy supply circuits.

Xavier Messing, Director of Solar Development at Total Quadran is delighted with the existence of this virtuous cooperation which supports the development of the Eastern and Northern territories of France. "Our strength is to share with LFDE common values around a strong local base, significant capabilities for innovation and broad ambitions in terms of low carbon footprint energy. "

This first industrial partnership demonstrates LFDE's expertise in local energy production. This achievement is an important step in the Group's development and confirms its ambition to become one of the leading French energy players.

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a major player in the energy sector in Europe. The company is labelled as a young innovative company by Bpifrance.

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