

## PRESS RELEASE

### **SAFIC-ALCAN and LANXESS start collaboration in biocides in France**

Paris-La Défense, February 22, 2019 – **SAFIC-ALCAN, an international specialty chemicals distributor, is pleased to announce the start of its collaboration with LANXESS in biocide in France.**

With the brands PREVENTOL® and BIOCHEK®, LANXESS is one the leading global suppliers of biocides. With comprehensive technical and regulatory service, LANXESS Biocides is serving industries as diverse as paints, varnishes, detergents, cooling lubricants, adhesives, additives, plastics, wood and used as well in the disinfection area.

The cooperation between SAFIC-ALCAN and LANXESS starts at a key moment when the change of classification of many actives ingredients like MIT make it possible to promote original and alternative biocides solutions.

Jean-Yves Petit, LANXESS Biocides France : "The sale of biocides is challenging and demands comprehensive technical, biological and regulatory competence. With SAFIC-ALCAN, we have gained a partner who, thanks to their extensive experience in the sales and promotion of chemical specialities including biocides, can transmit these competences to our customers."

"We are very pleased about the cooperation in distributing Preventol® and Biochek® in France which will further strengthen our relationship with LANXESS. Our technically focused distribution team is well prepared to pass LANXESS' technical knowledge and the support to our customers. Our French team is well positioned to efficiently answer customers expectations with innovative solutions," said Philippe Combette, CEO of SAFIC-ALCAN.

#### **About SAFIC-ALCAN**

*Safic-Alcan is a French independent distributor of specialty chemicals headquartered in Paris-La Défense (France). The Company develops and provides wide ranges of polymers, materials and additives for the rubber, coatings, pharmaceuticals and cosmetics industries.*

*The Group is present in all major countries of the European Union, as well as in Turkey, and China with on-going strategic development in Eastern Europe, the USA and Mexico. In 2018, Safic-Alcan posted sales revenues of 611 M€.*

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**About LANXESS**

*LANXESS is a leading specialty chemicals company with sales of EUR 9.7 billion in 2017. The company currently has about 15,500 employees in 33 countries and is represented at 59 production sites worldwide.*

*The core business of LANXESS is the development, manufacturing and marketing of chemical intermediates, additives, specialty chemicals and plastics. LANXESS is listed in the leading sustainability indices Dow Jones Sustainability Index (DJSI World and Europe) and FTSE4Good.*

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