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Orège announces the signature of its first contract in the USA with CH2M

Orège, specialist in providing innovative solutions for the treatment of sludge and of complex effluents has successfully launched its development in the USA with the signature of a first contract for the sale to CH2M of an SLG (40m³/h) solution.

This solution, deployed at Lehigh County (Pennsylvania) on a waste water treatment plant operated by the CH2M Group, has generated very good results on digested sludge from an installation which treats a mix of industrial and municipal effluents judged by the operator to be one of the most complex to dewater.

The SLG solution is installed upstream of a belt filter press for dewatering and has resulted in:

-  An improvement in dewatering of 3.5%
-  A reduction in polymer consumption of 25%
-  An increase of 50% in the sludge treatment flow rate with a capture rate greater than 99%

The return on investment for CH2M should be less than 2 years.

CH2M is considered one of the top three American engineering firms at the forefront for the validation and adoption of innovative technologies in the water, environmental and energy sectors.

This contract is the outcome of Orège's technical and commercial actions initiated in the spring of 2015.

Currently comprising 10 staff and based in Atlanta, Orège North America is creating industrial partnerships providing local manufacture of SLG equipment to US standards. It also ensures the commercial deployment of the SLG technology in North America and the underlying campaigns to validate the technology with each of our different clients/partners.

This promising start achieved in less than 9 months and the discussions underway with other waste water treatment plant operators show the pertinence of the decision to start the development of business in North America and allow us to anticipate a significant potential for growth in this market.

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About CH2M:

CH2M is an American consulting engineering business created in 1946.

Some key figures:

- 5.5 billion dollars turnover in 2014
- Present in 50 countries
- 5 000 clients
- Its Water division is the 3rd US Water Company with 1.3 billion dollars turnover
- Its Water division has won numerous awards:

N°1 Design International for waste water treatment (ref: Engineering News-Record's Global) Dec 2015

Stockholm Industry Water Award 2015

Global Water Award business of the year in the water sector 2012

- This year CH2M has received the Gold Medal for Sustainable Development from the World Environment Centre.

<http://www.ch2m.com>

About ORÈGE:

Through its two proprietary technologies, SLG and Sofhys, Orège offers its industrial and municipal customers efficient and more economical effluent and sludge treatment solutions that are more fully in line with new regulatory, environmental and societal requirements.

Orège solutions offer a real alternative to conventional treatment technologies that have reached their technical limits, are too costly or are unable to achieve the required performance objectives.

Orège is headquartered in Voisins Le Bretonneux (Yvelines) and the R&D Department is located at La Duranne near Aix-en-Provence. The group has about 70 employees. www.orege.com

Orège is listed on the Regulated Market of Nyse – Euronext - Paris from July 5th, 2013 (Nyse Euronext Paris – FR0010609206 OREGÉ).

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