



**The Petit Forestier Group is entering the Scandinavian peninsula with the acquisition of the Igloocar distribution companies, thereby strengthening its position in the industry's value chain.**



**Villepinte, 4 June 2024** - Petit Forestier Group, the leader in sustainable refrigerated rental, today announced that it has acquired Igloocar Nordic, Igloocar Norge, Igloocar Sverige and Isovan. This investment will enable the Group to settle for the first time, along with Lecapitaine, in the Scandinavian peninsula. These acquisitions will once again enable the Group to keep on conquering market shares throughout the world with a direct footprint in these 3 new Nordic countries where it did not previously have a presence.

Since 2004, these companies have been the official distributors of Igloocar Poland, a subsidiary of Lecapitaine, in the region. They specialise in the sale of refrigerated vehicles and refrigerated bodies in their respective geographical areas: **Denmark, Norway and Sweden.**

These Scandinavian companies currently manage a portfolio of high-quality customers, including dealers, cold logistics specialists and bodybuilders, and have achieved sales of €5.6 million in 2023.

Léonard FORESTIER, CEO of the Petit Forestier Group, said: *"This operation will enable us to make further progress towards our ambition of becoming the leader in sustainable refrigerated rental by strengthening the distribution of our industrial activity in these 3 countries"*.

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*"Together, let's improve the quality of life by mastering refrigeration": this is the raison d'être of Petit Forestier Group, which inspires our 5,500 talented refrigeration professionals in over 21 countries every day. A family business for over 115 years, with sales of more than €1 billion, Petit Forestier Group is driven by passionate men and women. Through its activities, the Group ensures the preservation of foodstuffs, medical products and any other goods whose quality and durability are guaranteed by the cold chain. Petit Forestier Group brings together all the expertise required to anticipate and meet the specific cold control needs of its customers. Our "cold hire" business is based on the entire cold chain, from the industrial manufacture of vehicle bodies and the hire of its products: vehicles, furniture and containers, right through to the resale of vehicles and the recycling of spare parts.*

