

## PRESS RELEASE

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### Press release

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Societe Generale and ALD inform that they are holding discussions with Lease Plan and its shareholders concerning a potential combination of ALD and Lease Plan to create a global mobility leader.

There can be no certainty at this stage that these discussions will result in any agreement or transaction<sup>(1)</sup>.

Further announcements will be made when appropriate according to applicable laws.

*(1) The potential transaction would be subject to various conditions precedent, including receipt of all necessary regulatory approvals and the receipt of a waiver to the obligation to file a mandatory offer on ALD (the transaction, if any, would consequently not result in an offer on ALD)*

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### **About ALD**

ALD is a global leader in mobility solutions providing full service leasing and fleet management services across 43 countries to a client base of large corporates, SMEs, professionals and private individuals. A leader in its industry, ALD places sustainable mobility at the heart of its strategy, delivering innovative mobility solutions and technology-enabled services to its clients, helping them focus on their everyday business. With 6 700 employees around the globe, ALD manages 1.76 million vehicles (at end-June 2021). ALD is listed on Compartment A of Euronext Paris (ISIN: FR0013258662; Ticker: ALD) and is included in the SBF120 index. Société Générale is ALD's majority shareholder.

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