

Press release

# LINKBYNET announces the acquisition of Treeptik

First operation of external growth of the French specialist of outsourcing and cloud hosting after its fundraising of 50 million euros.

**Paris, September 18, 2017** - <u>LINKBYNET</u>, a French provider of outsourcing and cloud hosting solutions, announced today the acquisition of <u>Treeptik</u>, a specialized consulting and development company, DevOps and Docker. LINKBYNET, which has achieved organic revenue growth of more than 10% in 2016, expects to accelerate its development by 20% in 2017.

This acquisition is LINKBYNET's first external growth operation since Keensight Capital raised its 50 million € fund in 2016. This growth strategy is based on 4 areas: security, DevOps, software and cloud. The acquisition of Treeptik is part of the "DevOps" segment.

"The excellence of Treeptik in the DevOps and Docker domains will be added to the catalog of our services to complete our offer. From the training of the teams to the support of their projects up to the hosting of their critical platforms, we can now offer our customers an accompaniment on the agile methods and DevOps they choose for their projects. digitalization and cloud transformation, "comments Stéphane Aisenberg, President of LINKBYNET.

"Joining a structure as dynamic and successful as LINKBYNET is a great pride for our team. This is the recognition of the excellence we have pursued since our creation, "adds Arnaud Lambert, co-founder of Treeptik

This acquisition places LINKBYNET as a key player in the cloud transformation of large companies both in France and abroad where the company generates a significant and growing proportion of its turnover. By adding consulting expertise to outsourcing, cloud and security, LINKBYNET is now able to support its clients in all phases of their critical projects.

## **About Treeptik**

Founded in 2011 and based in Bouches-du-Rhône (Aix-en-Provence | France), Treeptik brings together a team of 25 consultants including a Docker Captain among the 60 in the world and 7 Docker EE certified consultants and trainers. Services in these areas include training, consultancy and development. The company works with Airbus Helicopters, Alstom, Arcelor, Caisse d'Epargne, Banque de Luxembourg and Michelin.

Treeptik is the organizer of <u>DevOps DDay</u>, the reference event for the domain, which will be held on November 9th in Marseille. This conference day should bring together more than 750 participants and counts IBM, Microsoft and Oracle in its main sponsors.

The two co-founders of Treeptik Arnaud Lambert and Fabien Amico will remain at the helm of the team and join the board of Linkbynet.

## **About LINKBYNET**

LINKBYNET, founded on April 1, 2000 in Saint-Denis by two brothers, Patrick and Stephane Aisenberg, is a major player in the outsourcing of critical services e-Business platforms and Information Systems. Since 2013, LINKBYNET has also positioned itself as Cloud Broker to better support companies in their migration to the Cloud. The company also develops numerous specific value-added services to meet the needs of its customers: operational security, application performance, managed services ... LINKBYNET has offices in France, Canada, the United States, Asia and Mauritius. It employs more than 600 people worldwide and will achieve a turnover of 60 Million € in 2017.

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