Noe Industries enters into exclusive negotiations with the NEXTEAM group with a view to selling UCELIA

Paris, December 22, 2025 - The investment holding company Noe Industries has announced that it has entered into exclusive negotiations with the NEXTEAM group for the sale of UCELIA.

Based in Ussel in Corrèze, UCELIA specializes in the manufacture of complex aluminum parts for the aeronautics, aerospace, and defense markets. UCELIA serves prestigious customers such as Safran, ArianeGroup, Dassault Aviation, Airbus, and Pratt & Whitney Canada.

Acquired by Noe Industries in February 2023, Constellium Ussel, renamed UCELIA, has benefited from major investments that have enabled a profound transformation of its processes and production capacity. During this period, the workforce has grown from 250 to 330 employees.

A French industrial group specializing in the aerospace and defense sectors, the NEXTEAM group is recognized for its expertise in machining, casting, mechanical welding, and surface treatment of metal parts. The group has 2,200 employees.

At the Social and Economic Committee (SEC) meeting held on December 22, UCELIA informed employee representatives of this proposed merger with the Nexteam Group, which has committed to retaining all jobs, continuing to modernize industrial facilities, and confirmed its desire to maintain its full confidence in UCELIA's current management team.

About Noe Industries

Founded in 2020, Noe Industries is an investment holding company specializing in acquiring majority stakes in French industrial companies requiring capital and expertise to undergo a transformation or as part of a demerger.

Noe Industries was founded by Michel Rességuier, who has been working for over 20 years to transform struggling companies, Gilles Roland, who has acquired and sold numerous SMEs as part of investment structures, and Pierre Escolier, managing partner and former CEO of companies in the portfolios of major investment funds. Pierre and Gilles are well acquainted with industrial environments, having been respectively CEO of Winoa, the world leader in abrasive shot, and CEO of the Manoir Industries group, aerospace forges and foundries. Pierre and Gilles are well acquainted with industrial environments, having served as CEO of Winoa, the world leader in abrasive shot, and CEO of the Manoir Industries group, aerospace forges and foundries, respectively. Noe Industries initially raised €30 million in capital from its founders, families, and private equity players.

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