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## **NEXEYA refocus its development on space and creates the company HEMERIA.**

Twenty years after the creation of NEXEYA, its board has endorsed two key strategic repositioning decisions:

- To transfer the group's space activities in a new company called HEMERIA in order to focus its development efforts on the strong growth opportunities offered by this market,
- To accept the proposed acquisition of non-space activities by the European group HENSOLDT.

These operations are subject to various authorizations, to the ongoing information-consultation procedure of the IORPs, and should be completed by the beginning of the third quarter of 2019.

HEMERIA, wholly owned by NEXEYA Group's holding company, will consolidate all of the group's space activities (satellite equipments and nano satellite) as well as certain sovereign defense activities. These activities currently represent a turnover of around € 36 million and a staff of about 200 people. Rapid growth in these numbers is expected over the next three years.

This growth will be driven in particular by multiple projects related to orbiting nano or micro satellites. HEMERIA's offer (nano satellites and subsets of larger satellites) will allow it to take full advantage of the opportunities generated by "new space".

"We are very pleased with the dynamic of our strategic refocusing," commented Philippe Gautier Jean-Yves Rivière, and Jérôme Giraud respectively CEO, Chairman of the Supervisory Board and MD at NEXEYA, "It will allow us, on one hand, to accelerate the development of the French nano satellite sector that we are building with the involvement of all our partners, and on the other hand, to underpin our other activities with a developing European group, whose values and objectives we share. "

### **About NEXEYA – [www.nexeya.com](http://www.nexeya.com)**

NEXEYA is a French industrial group with 815 staff and an annual revenue of EUR 128 million. NEXEYA designs, manufacturers and maintains complex electronic systems for the Defense and Aerospace sectors.

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