

## **Servair achieves a strategic break-through on the Asian continent**

**Third worldwide airline services provider, Servair acquires a 25% interest in the company "Nanland Catering" in Guangzhou, China.**

Servair, the leading French airline services provider (catering and cleaning), announces the signing of an agreement for the purchase of 25% of the share capital of the company "Nanland catering" located at Guangzhou Airport in China.

Following the agreement signed between Patrick Alexandre, President and CEO of Servair, Xu Jie-Bo, vice-President of China Southern Airlines and David Shih, President of Sharpland Investment Co, China Southern Airlines retains 55% of the share capital and Sharpland Investment Co the remaining 20%.

Servair will ensure the management of "Nanland Catering" and the supervision of the unit of a surface area of 45,000 square meters, with a capacity of 80,000 meals per day.

The main clients of "Nanland Catering" in Guangzhou are China Southern Airlines, China Eastern, Air France, Singapore Airlines, Malaysia Airlines, All Nippon Airways, Japan Airlines, Vietnam Airlines and Continental. These airlines are already customers of Servair.

The acquisition of "Nanland Catering" shares is consistent with Servair's partnership logic, favouring associations with local players who already have a depth of experience of their market and its norms. This acquisition of shares is similarly compatible with the selective international development strategy of Servair. Today, Asia presents considerable potential for growth, and China foremost amongst the Asian countries. The international Guangzhou airport is one of the main airports of the country. Servair is already present in China, with a base in Macau since 1995, with the unit "Macau Catering Services".

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SERVAIR is the leading French provider of in-flight catering, cabin equipping and aircraft cleaning services. Ranked No.3 in the world alongside its partners and subsidiaries, SERVAIR provides airlines with a full range of essential services for air transport and passenger comfort. Its uncompromising standards in terms of quality and expertise have established SERVAIR as a key partner to its 130 client companies, enabling them to boost their commercial offer to passengers while ensuring the strictest adherence to air transport constraints.

A subsidiary of Air France, SERVAIR and its subsidiaries have a total of 35 sites and a turnover in excess of €597 million. With a workforce of 8,339 employees, SERVAIR combines industrial logistics with a commitment to good food and passenger comfort.

The SERVAIR network, made up of SERVAIR, its partners - FLYING FOOD GROUP (USA), SERVAIR AIR CHEF (Italy), NEWREST SERVAIR (Spain) - and its technical support teams, has over 100 sites worldwide. Through this strategy of alliances, SERVAIR is able to build a global network that respects both local requirements and the unique personality of each company.

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