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Egis group expands its presence in the Americas through a strategic partnership with SvN Architects

Egis group is pleased to welcome SvN Architects + Planners, an architecture, landscape, planning, and strategic urban design practice renowned for its commitment to innovation, sustainability, and design excellence.

Egis has meticulously assembled bespoke brands to form its global Architecture Line. Collectively, the Line offers services across all core architectural sectors, and includes award-winning practices WW+P, 10 Design, Omrania and U+A. SvN will further complement the Architecture Line's global offering in transport planning and urban design. The strategic partnership delivers on Egis' Architecture Line mandate to address the climate emergency and lead on the design and delivery of sustainable cities.

Headquartered in Toronto, SvN also has studios in Vancouver and Mexico City. SvN is a multidisciplinary design firm working to solve the greatest challenges faced by rapidly growing cities worldwide. They are dedicated to building regenerative communities and fostering economic, social, cultural, and environmental impact. With over 40 years of experience, their 180-strong team includes architects, urban planners, urban designers, and landscape architects.

SvN is renowned for leading complex, high-profile, multi-disciplinary projects across the Americas. They work with public and private sector to create complete and resilient neighbourhoods, active and public-transit infrastructure, and vibrant public spaces.

Drew Sinclair, Managing Principal of SvN, said: "Joining forces with the Egis Group is an exciting opportunity for SvN. This alliance will allow us to expand our reach and resources while maintaining our commitment to high-quality design and sustainability. Together, we will be able to take our projects to a new level and contribute significantly to the sustainable development of the region by delivering projects that have a positive and lasting impact".

Laurent Germain, CEO of Egis group, said: "We are delighted to welcome SvN to Egis. This strategic partnership is an important step in Egis' expansion strategy and will allow us to deliver added value to our clients in the Americas, not only expanding our capabilities but also strengthening our position in the global architecture market. Their innovative approach and commitment to excellence are perfectly aligned with our vision and values. Together, we are better positioned to meet the challenges of the future and create spaces that improve people's quality of life. And to move forward in our ambition to be in the top 5 in the world of architecture."

David Pringle, Chair of the Architecture Line, said: "This is a fantastic achievement for the Architectural Line. With WW+P, SB Architects and 10 Design already in the region, the arrival of SvN means we are bolstering our bench strength and deepening our expertise across the American continent. Working

closely with the other design practices in the Group, SvN will facilitate the development of larger and more ambitious projects, with a strong emphasis on sustainability and innovation.”

The integration of SvN Architects + Planners is a major milestone for the growth strategy of Egis group in North America. This new partnership strengthens the Group's expertise in the key sectors in which it will be active across the continent in the coming years. It also enables the Group to provide a tailor-made response to the specific needs of the local market. Beyond economic performance, it eventually confirms the Group's commitment in its expansion strategy to following its vision of sustainability and resilience, with the aim to actively participate in the transformation and transition of infrastructures in North America.

About Egis

IMAGINE. CREATE. ACHIEVE.
a sustainable future

Egis is an international player active in architecture, consulting, construction engineering and mobility service. We create and operate intelligent infrastructures and buildings that respond to the climate emergency and contribute to more balanced, sustainable, and resilient territorial development.

Operating in 100 countries, Egis puts the expertise of its 19,500 employees at the service of its clients and develops cutting-edge innovations accessible to all projects. Through its wide range of activities, Egis is a key player in the collective organization of society and the living environment of citizens all over the world.

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