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Payc, the engineering leader in Colombian building sector joins the Egis Group

Payc, consulting firm dedicated to construction management of buildings, joins Egis. This acquisition demonstrates Egis' objective to increase its market share in Colombia, adding presence in the Building sector.

Founded in 1980 and based in Bogotá, Payc with its 350 employees serves nationwide its public and private clients in all stages of construction of a building, providing consulting and engineering services through all the construction value chain: project structuring, design management, construction management, owner's engineer and work supervision.

Among the emblematic projects of Payc, are :

- The Serena del Mar Hospital (42,912 m²), located a few minutes from the Historic Center of the city of Cartagena, integrates the building into the nature. Serena del Mar Hospital is one of the first buildings to be included in the Serena del Mar Master Plan, a mix-used development close to Cartagena with luxury housing, universities campus, retail, shopping centers, sports facilities and commercial areas.
- Atrio Towers (117,100 m²), an office building designed by the architect Richard Rogers, is the most recent skyline in Bogota, opened to commercial activity in 2020 and located in downtown Bogotá. This is one of the best buildings in the country for its engineering and architecture designs.
- Uniandes Campus Development (113,700 m²), Universidad de los Andes, one of the top universities in Colombia.
- Cultural Center Julio Mario Santo Domingo (23,319 m²), one of the more recent cultural buildings in Bogotá at disposal of citizens. Located in the North of Bogotá, this project had been hosted many worldwide musical and theatre shows.

This acquisition is a key milestone in Egis' strategic growth plan in Latin America.

It places Egis among the 5 largest engineering companies in Colombia, boosting our business in the Building sector and reinforcing our strong position in transport sector.

Laurent Germain, Egis Group CEO, comments:

" We are very glad to welcome the 350 employees of Payc in the Egis Group. This first acquisition in Colombia will allow us to expand immediately our business in Colombia from the current infrastructure market where we are recognized as a leader in Urban mobility studies to the Building business. Colombia is one of the most dynamic economies of the world. A lot of investment will come in infrastructures, cities, renewable energy and environment. On the medium term, the merger of Egis Colombia with Payc will set the roots to diversify further our business in other sectors like water or environment and to contribute to the Colombian engagement to the fight against climate change and CO2 reduction."

Mauricio José Pérez, CEO of Payc, comments:

" We are very happy and proud to join a worldwide leader in consulting, engineering and operation like Egis. Payc has always been a People First company and the share of common values was the basis for this union. Payc is a leader in the Colombian building construction market. With Egis we intend to dedicate resources to expand our business outside Colombia in Latam and also to provide consulting and design services for iconic and complex building projects. "

About Egis

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Egis is an international player active in the consulting, construction engineering and mobility service sectors. We create and operate intelligent infrastructure and buildings capable of responding to the climate emergency and helping to achieve more balanced, sustainable and resilient territorial development. With operations in 120 countries, Egis places the expertise of its 17,000 employees at the disposal of its clients and develops cutting-edge innovation accessible to all projects. Through its wide-ranging fields of activity, Egis is a central player in the collective organisation of society and the living environment of citizens all over the world.

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