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Sopra GMT reinforces its holding in Sopra Group

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Sopra GMT announced today that it reinforced its shareholding in Sopra Group, bringing the control of the founders and management to 34.6%. A shareholder pact also exists between Sopra GMT and Geninfo (Société Générale). Geninfo holds 12.2% of Sopra Group.

Furthermore, the recently announced abandonment of the spin-off operation between Sopra Group and Axway is due to the refusal of the investment fund Caravelle to commit to holding its shares post-operation, a commitment required by the *bureau des agréments* in order to approve the operation.

In accordance with the Board of Directors' request on 19 September 2010, Sopra Group pursues its analysis of various strategic options.

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