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OFI Private Equity Capital completes the sale of Auto Escape with a net multiple of 3

Net annual return on investment of 54%

Funds managed by OFI Private Equity have successfully completed the sale of their shareholdings in Auto Escape to Montefiore Investment at a price of € 2.80 per share. In return, OFI Private Equity Capital received € 1.6 million for its shares, while the FCPR OFICAP, also managed by OFI Private Equity, received € 1.0 million. The Net Fair Value of the remaining investment in Auto Escape in the Economic NAV (Net Asset Value) and in OFI Private Equity Capital's consolidated accounts at 31st December 2008 is €1.1 million. The net positive impact of the transaction for the fiscal year 2009 is €0.5 million, and € 1.6 million in cash.

In May of 2005, funds managed by OFI Private Equity invested a total of €1.8 million in Auto Escape. In January 2007, these funds realized € 2.7 million from the sale of Auto Escape shares in its initial public offering on Alternext. Funds managed by OFI Private Equity have thus realized a multiple of 3.0 times its initial investment net of fees, which corresponds to an annual internal rate of return on investment of 54 %.

Auto Escape is a broker specialized in passenger car rental and is listed on Alternext by NYSE Euronext Paris (Code ALAUT Code ISIN FR 001 0423 152). The transaction values 100 % of Auto Escape's share capital at €14.6 million.

Pierre Meignen, Investment Director of OFI Private Equity said: "We are very proud to have accompanied Bruno Couly and his management team in the first phase of Auto Escape's development. During this time, turnover increased at a compound annual rate of 32%, from € 8.9 million in 2004 to € 26.7 million in 2008. We are convinced that Montefiore Investissement is the right partner for Auto Escape in its next phase of development, and we wish them every success."

>ABOUT OFI PRIVATE EQUITY CAPITAL

OFI Private Equity Capital is an investment company quoted on NYSE Euronext (code: OPEC), which invests in both equity and mezzanine in secondary buy-outs of French companies with enterprise values of between €15 and €75 million that have been the subject of a previous LBO.

> ABOUT AUTO ESCAPE

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