

SBM COMPANY CONTINUES ITS EXPANSION IN THE AROMATHERAPY MARKET BY ACQUIRING THE DAZONT LABORATORY

Écully, France, October 7, 2022 – Laboratoire de Combe d'Ase LCA, a subsidiary of the SBM Group, has acquired Laboratoire Dazont, boosting its offer on the French market for the care, health, and well-being of pets.

SBM, a French and independent group created nearly 30 years ago, is present in more than 31 countries throughout Europe and North America. The company designs, authorizes, produces, and markets products and solutions for:

- human health with its aromatherapy ranges under the LCA brand
- crop protection under the CMPA brand
- garden and home protection via its leading brands Solabiol, Causade, Or Brun, and Caillard.

Laboratoire Dazont, also a French family-owned company, offers two ranges of natural bio-sourced veterinary solutions for pets: the **VETOform*** brand for care, beauty, and well-being and the **VetoNUT**** brand for nutrition.

SBM's acquisition of Laboratoire Dazont will allow **LCA** to expand its product offering, and the brands will continue to be distributed exclusively in pharmacies and para pharmacies.



***VETOform** is a brand that develops products (anti-parasitic, dietary supplements for joints or the coat, anti-flea care, and anti-stress solutions) intended for pets, specifically dogs and cats. These products use active plant ingredients extracted from plants harvested in the natural environment and organic farming, so they respect the environment while meeting consumer needs. VETOform products offer effective protection against seasonal diseases, parasite infestations, or other inconveniences pets may encounter throughout their lives.

****VetoNUT** is a brand of nutritional preparations for dogs and cats formulated with 100% natural products without chemical additives, added sugar, gluten, or soy and selected without GMOs. As a result, dog and cat food are enriched to meet pets' specific needs.

