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Today, some media reported the share trading suspension of both, the French company Rallye and its subsidiary Casino Guichard Perrachon, controlling shareholder of Almacenes Éxito S.A

Rallye informed the market that requested and obtained the opening of safeguard proceedings by judgments before the Commercial Court in Paris, for Rallye, its subsidiaries Cobivia and HMB, as well as for its parent companies Foncière Euris, Finatis and Euris. The safeguard proceedings do not include Casino Guichard Perrachon.

According to Rallye statement, "the safeguard proceedings which can last up to eighteen months, aim at protecting companies that are not cash-flow insolvent, while giving them sufficient time to reprofile their debt (up to a period of 10 years) and ensure their sustainability".

In this regards, Casino Guichard Perrachon, informed the market about the information published by Rallye and added that: "these procedures do no relate to Casino group, nor its operations, nor its employees, and do not impact the ongoing execution of its strategic plan".

Rally and Casino announcements can be consulted in the following links:

http://www.rallye.fr/en/press/press-releases

<u>https://www.groupe-casino.fr/wp-</u> content/uploads/2019/05/Casino_communication_following_rallye_annoucement.pdf

Almacenes Éxito S.A. informs its shareholders and the market, that the safeguard proceedings for Rallye has no effect on Almacenes Éxito S.A., and that it will continue to inform the market about the development of these events.