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International development Areas is awarded 3 new outlets at Faro Airport (Portugal)

Areas, the global concession catering brand of Elior Group, has earned the concession of three new outlets at Faro Airport, the third largest Portuguese airport with 7 million passengers annually. This concession, valid for 5 years, includes three innovative proposals adapted to this airport's international passengers. With this concession contract, Areas strengthens its position as the leading operator in this airport and reinforces its presence in Portugal, where it also recently touched down at Funchal Airport (Madeira) after its success in Lisbon and Porto.

Areas will set up a Carlsberg Sports Bar, a Delta Café Central coffee shop, both in arrivals on the ground floor, as well as a Rossopomodoro restaurant in the departures area.

"We are very proud of our consolidation in the Portuguese market. In the last year, we have conquered two new airports, Funchal and Faro, thanks to the quality of our proposals, which combines franchised brands with established co-branded outlets, bringing together our know-how and expertise with those of our renowned suppliers. This way we manage to offer the highest quality product with the number one brands in Portugal," notes Oscar Vela, CEO of Areas in Spain, Portugal and Latin America. *"Additionally, we are especially satisfied with the implementation of our first Rossopomodoro outlet, a widely renowned brand whose product quality and attraction for customers perfectly fits our philosophy,"* he adds.

The project is part of the airport remodeling and modernization plan that ANA Airports started at the end of 2015 and will finish in 2017. A Portfolio store is also set to open in Faro Airport during that year. This outlet for the brand, already present in the Lisbon, Oporto and Funchal airports, will be warmly welcomed as the fourth store in the country and will offer a great selection of typical Portuguese products.

About Elior Group

Founded in 1991, Elior Group has grown into one of the world's leading operators in the catering and support services industry, and is now a benchmark player in the business & industry, education, healthcare, and travel markets.

In FY 2014-2015, it generated €5,674 million in revenue through 18,600 restaurants and points of sale in 13 countries. Our 108,000 employees serve 4 million customers on a daily basis, taking genuine care of each and every one by providing personalized catering and service solutions to ensure an innovative customer experience.

We place particular importance on corporate social responsibility and have been a member of the United Nations Global Compact since 2004. The professional excellence of our teams, as well as their unwavering commitment to quality and innovation and to providing best-in-class service is embodied in our corporate motto: "Time savored".

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About Areas

Areas is one of the global leaders in the travel catering and retail industry, generating €1.679 billion in revenue in 2015. A global brand of Elior Group, Areas welcomes 330 million customers each year in 2,200 restaurants and points of sale in 12 countries, throughout Europe as well as in the USA, Mexico and Chile.

As the caterer of choice in the travel and leisure markets, focusing on quality for 45 years, Areas is present in transportation hubs large and small across the world (airports, train stations, motorway service plazas), as well as in exhibition centers and leisure parks.

Building upon a culture of operational excellence, Areas draws on its in-depth understanding of travelers' needs and the most extensive range of catering concepts on the market to offer the perfect blend of ingredients for each of its 900,000 daily customers to savor.

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