

## Press release

Proposed purchasing partnership between Kingfisher and Mr.Bricolage

Templemars and Orléans, 21 March 2023 - Kingfisher France and Mr.Bricolage SA are today announcing that they have launched exclusive negotiations with a view to signing a partnership agreement for purchasing. This agreement would lead to the creation of a joint-venture and could be effective from the second half of 2023, with a view to commercial negotiations in 2024.

This partnership would aim to further strengthen links with joint suppliers both nationally and internationally, while offering them new commercial opportunities and creating added value. The Kingfisher France (Castorama and Brico Dépôt) and Mr.Bricolage banners would maintain their own commercial policies.

## About Kingfisher

Kingfisher, a European DIY and home improvement group, is present in France through its Castorama and Brico Dépôt banners, with more than 21,000 employees and 218 sales outlets. For more information: http://www.kingfisher.com

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## About Mr.Bricolage

The Mr.Bricolage Group, which develops the well-known banners Mr.Bricolage and Les Briconautes, is the French specialist for local independent home improvement retail. As of January 1st, 2023, the Group has 977 stores operating under the banners or through affiliates, including 74 international stores across ten countries. Mr.Bricolage SA is listed on Euronext Growth Paris (ISIN: FR0004034320 - ALMRB). **Press contact:** Louise Chaulin, louise.chaulin@mrbricolage.fr, +33 7 83 35 96 93