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Korian announces today the success of its offering of bonds convertible into new shares and/or exchangeable for existing shares (OCEANES) due 2027 for a nominal amount of approximately €400 million.

Korian (the “Company”), the leading European Care and Support Services Group for the elderly and fragile, announces today the success of its offering of bonds convertible into new shares and/or exchangeable for existing shares (OCEANES) due 2027 (the “Bonds”), by way of a placement to qualified investors only, as defined under article 2 point (e) of the regulation (UE) n°2017/1129, in accordance with Article L.411-2 of the French monetary and financial Code (Code monétaire et financier), for a nominal amount of approximately 400 million euros (the “Offering”).

The net proceeds of the Offering will be used by the Company to finance its general corporate needs and its growth, including real estate investments and acquisitions, along with the refinancing of the acquisitions carried out during the first quarter.

The Bonds will be issued at par and their nominal unit value has been set at 61.53 euros, corresponding to a premium of 55% above the Company’s share reference price1.

The conversion/exchange ratio is set at one share per Bond (subject to standard adjustments in certain cases, as described in the conditions of the Bonds).

The settlement date of the Bonds is expected to take place on 6 March 2020 (the “Issue Date”).

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1 The share reference price is equal to the volume-weighted average trading price (VWAP) of Korian’s shares on the regulated market of Euronext in Paris (“Euronext Paris”) from the time of launch of the transaction until the pricing of the Bonds is determined on the same day, i.e. 39.70 euros.
From the Issue Date until the Maturity Date, the Bonds will bear interest at a nominal annual rate of 0.875% payable annually in arrears on 6 March of each year.

Unless previously converted, exchanged, redeemed or purchased and cancelled, the Bonds will be redeemed at par on 6 March 2027 (the “Maturity Date”) (or on the following business day if this date is not a business day).

The Bonds may be redeemed prior to maturity at the option of the Company, under certain conditions. In particular, the Bonds may be fully redeemed earlier at par plus accrued interest, at the Company’s option at any time from 28 March 2024 until the Maturity Date of the Bonds, subject to a prior notice of at least 30 calendar days (and no longer than 60 calendar days), if the arithmetic average, calculated over a period of 20 consecutive trading days chosen by the Company from amongst the 40 consecutive trading days preceding the publication of the early redemption notice, of the products of Korian’s volume weighted average price on Euronext Paris on each trading day of the considered period and the applicable conversion/exchange ratio on each such trading day exceeds 130% of the nominal value of the Bonds.

Upon a change of control or a delisting, as these terms are defined in the conditions of the Bonds, all bondholders will have at its discretion an option to request an early repayment of their Bonds, at a price equal to par value.

**Conversion/Exchange Right**

Bondholders will be granted the right to convert or exchange the Bonds into new and/or existing shares of the Company (the “Conversion/Exchange Right”) that they may exercise at any time from the Issue Date until the 7th business day (inclusive) preceding the Maturity Date or the relevant early redemption date.

The initial conversion/exchange ratio is set at one share per Bond, subject to potential future adjustments. Upon exercise of their conversion/exchange right, bondholders will receive at the option of the Company new and/or existing shares of the Company. The new and/or existing shares potentially received will carry in all cases all rights attached to existing shares as from the date of delivery.

**Company lock-up**

In the context of the Offering, the Company will agree to a lock-up for a period starting from the announcement of the final terms of the Bonds and ending 90 calendar days after the issue date of the Bonds, subject to certain customary exceptions or waiver from the Global Coordinators.
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Dilution

As a result of the issuance of 6,500,894 Bonds each with a par value of €61.53 for a total amount of approximately 400 million euros, the maximum dilution would represent approximately 7.86% of the outstanding share capital, should the Company decide to deliver only new shares upon exercise of the Conversion/Exchange Right.

Placing and Listing

The Bonds have been issued by way of a placement to qualified investors only, in accordance with Article L. 411-2 of the French monetary and financial code (Code monétaire et financier), as per the authorization granted by the Company’s extraordinary general meeting held on 14 June 2018 (17th resolution), in France and/or outside of France (excluding in particular the United States of America, Canada, Australia or Japan).

An application will be made for admission of the Bonds to trading on the Euronext Access™ of Euronext Paris within 30 calendar days from the Issue Date.

Existing shareholders of the Company shall have neither preferential subscription rights nor priority subscription period in connection with the issue of the Bonds (nor the underlying new shares of the Company issued upon conversion as the case may be).

BNP Paribas and Morgan Stanley acted as Joint Global Coordinators and Joint Bookrunners (the “Global Coordinators”) and Crédit Agricole Corporate and Investment Bank acted as co-Bookrunner (together with the Joint Global Coordinators, the “Managers”).

Available Information

The offering of the Bonds is not subject to a prospectus approved by the French Financial Market Authority (Autorité des marchés financiers) (the “AMF”). Detailed information about Korian, including its business, results, perspectives and related risk factors are described in the Company’s registration document filed with the AMF on April 26th, 2019 under number D. 19-0400, which is available together with the 2019 Half-Year Report as at June 30th, 2019 and all the press releases and other regulated information about the Company, on the Company’s website (www.korian.com).

This press release does not constitute or form part of any offer or solicitation to purchase or subscribe for or to sell securities and the offering of the Bonds is not a public offering in any jurisdiction including France, other than to qualified investors.
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Korian, the leading European Care Services Group for the elderly and fragile
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Prohibition of sales to European Economic Area and United Kingdom retail investors

No action has been undertaken or will be undertaken to make available any Bonds to any retail investor in the European Economic Area and in the United Kingdom. For the purposes of this provision:

(a) the expression “retail investor” means a person who is one (or more) of the following:
   
   (i) a retail client as defined in point (11) of Article 4(1) of Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, “MiFID II”); or
   
   (ii) a customer within the meaning of Directive 2016/97/EU, as amended, where that customer would not qualify as a professional client as defined in point (10) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II; or
   
   (iii) not a “qualified investor” as defined in the Prospectus Regulation; and

(b) the expression “offer” includes the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and the Bonds to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase or subscribe the Bonds.

Consequently no key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 (as amended, the "PRIIPs Regulation") for offering or selling the Bonds or
otherwise making them available to retail investors in the European Economic Area and in the United Kingdom has been prepared and therefore offering or selling the Bonds or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the European Economic Area and in the United Kingdom may be unlawful under the PRIIPS Regulation.

MiFID II product governance / Retail investors, professional investors and ECPs target market – Solely for the purposes of each manufacturer’s product approval process, the target market assessment in respect of the Bonds has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the Bonds is retail investors, eligible counterparties and professional clients, each as defined in MiFID II; and (ii) all channels for distribution of the Bonds to retail investors, eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Bonds (a “distributor”) should take into consideration the manufacturers’ target market assessment; however, a distributor subject to MiFID II is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Bonds (by either adopting or refining the manufacturers’ target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels. For the avoidance of doubt, even if the target market includes retail investors, the manufacturers have decided that the Bonds will be offered, as part of the initial offering, only to eligible counterparties and professional clients.

France

The Bonds have not been and will not be offered or sold or cause to be offered or sold, directly or indirectly, to the public in France other than to qualified investors. Any offer or sale of the Bonds and distribution of any offering material relating to the Bonds have been and will be made in France only to qualified investors (investisseurs qualifiés), as defined in article 2 point (e) of the Prospectus Regulation, and in accordance with, Articles L.411-1 and L.411-2 of the French monetary and financial code (Code monétaire et financier).

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