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At the 2024 Interclean expo, SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL, a division of the SPHERE group, will showcase its everyday hygiene product range, and introduce its new brand : alfapac professionnel.

**INTERCLEAN, from 14 to 17 May 2024 in Amsterdam
HALL 12 - STAND N° 12.703**

The SPHERE group, the European leader in household packaging for the general public as well as professional users, and a major industrial player of the circular economy, is promoting its SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL division in Europe to provide a personalized solution to its customers' expectations in terms of cleanliness, hygiene and cleaning.

Health, industry, local authorities as well as the hotel and catering industry are all sectors with demanding needs in terms of performance, hygiene and safety.

With a continental presence across 9 countries, 15 industrial sites and several logistics and sales platforms, the SPHERE group can guarantee its customers traceability and quality, optimum supply management, and a tailor-made offer that complies with European standards and certifications.

At the 2024 INTERCLEAN expo, the SPHERE France, SPHERE Nederland, SPHERE España, SPHERE Germany, SPHERE Belgium, SPHERE Consumer Products and SPHERE Distribution subsidiaries, present on the SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL stand, will be offering an encompassing range of products designed from raw materials made from recycled plastic, compostable biosourced plastic, paper and film.

Understanding customer usage ...

SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL covers all aspects of waste management, including **general waste, street bins, sorting of bio-waste** and **waste from care activities involving infectious risks**.

SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL also provides a response for professional users with a **range of personal protective equipment** and products such as **laundry bags, protective covers and food packaging solutions**.

Finally, SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL integrates **its eco-responsible approach** into its entire product innovations, **particularly in packaging for food contact and tableware for out-of-home catering**.

... and ensure that products are promoted

SPHERE PROFESSIONNEL's product ranges have all been designed with several types of end-of-life recovery in mind: energy recovery, recyclability, domestic/industrial composting and methanisation.

Another highlight of Interclean 2024 will be the presentation of the alfapac professionnel brand through its ranges.

- **The biosourced and compostable bags** are aimed at all European countries which, in accordance with European law, are required to have a system for collecting bio-waste with a view to its recovery by home or industrial composting or methanisation.
- **Sliding-link waste bags** provide a technical solution that allows optimal filling, with an average of +15% useful volume compared with a traditional drawstring bag.
- **The stretch film**, in its case with a cutting slider, prevents injuries and food waste.
- **Non-stick cooking paper packaged as pre-cut sheets in a dispenser box** fitting professional oven grills. Non-stick, it can be used in two ways: single-pass or multi-pass.
- **Ladder covers** protect equipment and foodstuffs for optimum hygiene.

About SPHERE

Founded in 1976, SPHERE is a French family-owned group, the European leader in household packaging, a specialist in professional food and non-food packaging and one of the world's leading producers of compostable bio-based materials for films and bags. With 15 production sites in Europe, including 7 in France, SPHERE generated sales of €798 million in 2023 and employs 1,621 people.

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