

Tereos Supervisory Board demands that the eight plaintiffs of the complaint for acts of terrorism resign

Tereos Supervisory Board demands that each plaintiff of the complaint, dismissed by the Paris Anti-Terrorist Prosecutor's Office and aimed against Tereos for acts of terrorism, resigns without delay. These actions are incompatible with the performance of their duties within Tereos.

These eight people seriously endangered cooperative growers and employees by accusing Tereos of assisting to prepare terrorist acts. It is shocking that these people continue to justify their actions and deny the dramatic consequences. Tereos' reputation has been permanently tarnished, both in France and internationally.

To protect its interests, Tereos has immediately initiated an action for malicious allegations. In this respect, MM. François-Xavier BEAURY, Gilles BOLLE, Etienne CLABAUT, Gerard CLAY, Laurent COURTIER, Jérôme HARY, Philippe HENNEBERT and Xavier LAUDE have been summoned to appear on June 4 before the 16th Correctional Chamber of the High Court - *Tribunal de Grande Instance* - in Paris.

Faced with the constant attacks and attempts to destabilize Tereos and its management, the Supervisory Board fully renews its trust in the Executive Board and confirms its determination to continue implementing its growth and diversification strategy in the interest of Tereos, its employees and its cooperative growers.

About Tereos

The long-term vision of Tereos is the processing of agricultural raw materials and the development of quality food products. Tereos is a leader in the sugar, alcohol and starch markets. The Group's commitments to society and the environment contribute to the company's performance in the long term while strengthening its contribution as a responsible player. The cooperative group Tereos is a union of more than 12,000 farmers and has recognized know-how in the processing of beet, sugarcane and cereals. Through 49 industrial sites, a presence in 17 countries and the commitment of its 25,000 employees, Tereos supports its customers close to their markets with a broad and complementary range of products. In 2017/18, the Group achieved a €5 bn turnover.

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