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SOL Group enters the Nordic market for the first time with the acquisition of 100% of Danish company Nowus Healthcare A/S, a leading player in the respiratory care sector.

The transaction marks a new milestone in the Group's strategic internationalization journey in the homecare sector, in which it operates through the VIVISOL companies.

SOL Group – a multinational active in the technical, industrial and medicinal gases sectors, as well as in homecare through its "VIVISOL" branded companies – announces the acquisition, through its subsidiary Airlol S.r.l., of the entire share capital of Nowus Healthcare A/S from its founding shareholders. The transaction, with closing expected by the end of September 2026, allows VIVISOL to expand its respiratory care business into the Nordic countries as well.

Founded in 2017 and headquartered in Ballerup, Denmark, Nowus Healthcare is a distributor of medical devices and consumables covering the entire patient pathway in respiratory insufficiency, from diagnosis to treatment, including sleep apnea, COPD and other chronic respiratory conditions.

With consolidated revenues of **approximately DKK 51.3 million (approximately EUR 7 million) and a workforce of 14 people**, the company and its subsidiaries serve hospitals, sleep clinics and healthcare professionals in **Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland and the UK**, working with leading European, North American and British medical device manufacturers.

Matteo Fumagalli Romario, Director of SOL Group, commented: *"We are extremely pleased with this new acquisition, which reflects SOL Group's commitment to continuing its internationalization journey, expanding our European operations into Denmark and the Nordic countries as well."*

Claudio Garbellini, General Manager of SOL Group for the Home Care division, commented: *"We will soon welcome Lars Enriksen, CEO and co-founder of Nowus Healthcare, and all his colleagues into VIVISOL, with whom we will continue to develop the company's activities in the respiratory care sector".*

Lars Henriksen, Chief Executive Officer and co-founder of Nowus Healthcare, commented: *"We are excited to begin the next chapter of our journey as part of the Vivisol Group, which allows us to consolidate the results achieved over the years while continuing to offer the personalized service and reliable support our customers know us for. Together, we share the commitment to supporting people affected by chronic conditions, helping them obtain timely diagnoses, as well as the therapies, medical devices and solutions they need to manage their condition in the comfort of their own homes".*

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