# Kerlink Added to Tech40 List of Best-Performing Tech SMEs Traded on Euronext Markets



### **PRESS RELEASE**

**THORIGNÉ FOUILLARD**, France – April 23, 2018, 06:00 PM CET – **Kerlink** (ALKLK - FR0013156007), a specialist and global leader in solutions dedicated to the Internet of Things (IoT), has been included in the Tech40 label, which recognizes the best-performing tech SMEs on Euronext markets in Amsterdam, Brussels, Lisbon and Paris.

Listed companies are chosen by an independent group of European experts on the basis of their business, financial and stock market performance. Since 2015, the 75 companies that have been listed on the Tech40 have raised €2bn in capital increases, demonstrating their visibility and appeal among institutional investors. The growing role of the Tech40 label is reflected in investors' interest in the secondary markets, with Tech40 companies enjoying stronger liquidity upon joining the <u>Tech40 index</u> (+56 percent on average).

Kerlink has been listed on Euronext Growth Paris since May 2016 and was added to the EnterNext PEA-PME 150, an index of 150 fast-growing French SMEs, in 2017. In 2017, Kerlink Group generated revenues of nearly €25 million, and has posted average annual growth of more than 62 percent.

"The Tech40 is good company to be in, it validates not only the members' financial performance, the appeal of their publicly traded shares but also their business," said Robert Clapham, Deputy Chief Executive Officer. "Kerlink's broadening portfolio of IoT services, coupled with our industry-leading hardware, supports the company's goal of playing a growing role in implementing LoRaWAN<sup>TM</sup> networks globally and bring the benefits of the Internet of Things to as many users as possible."

## **About Kerlink Group**

Kerlink Group is a global leading provider of end-to-end network solutions for the Internet of Things (IoT), serving telecom operators, businesses and public authorities worldwide. Its growing suite of turnkey IoT services includes network planning, design and operational management that maximizes performance of its market-leading, carrier-grade infrastructure offering. The Group, widely recognized for its IoT expertise, also continually introduces innovative value-added services, such as network-based geolocation, remote end-device management and low-power IoT reference design, which allows its customers to quickly bring to market IoT-ready devices and to imagine innovative business models to monetize their deployments. In just over 10 years, more than 100,000 Kerlink installations have been deployed in more than 69 countries.

In 2017 Kerlink supplied more than 330 customers, including major telecom operators such as Tata Communications, and service providers such as GrDF and Suez. The company's solutions are enabling IoT networks worldwide with major deployments in Europe, South Asia, South America and Oceania. Kerlink, a co-founder and board member of the LoRa Alliance™, has invested more than €10 million in research in the past three years. In 2017, Kerlink Group generated revenues of nearly €25 million, more than 50 percent internationally. Since 2013, it has posted average annual growth of more than 62 percent. It has been listed on Euronext Growth Paris since May 2016 and was added to the EnterNext PEA-PME 150, an index of 150 fast-growing French SMEs, in 2017.

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