



Press release
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Orange: Combined Shareholders' Meeting

Orange's Combined Shareholders' Meeting was held on May 21 in Paris, chaired by Jacques Aschenbroich, Chairman of the Board of Directors, in the presence of Christel Heydemann, Chief Executive Officer, Board members and members of the Executive Committee.

The meeting highlighted Orange's activities and outlook, particularly in the Africa and Middle East region, as well as the 2024 financial results. Christel Heydemann also emphasized Orange's role as a trusted operator, notably through the "For Good Connections" initiative.

Regarding the composition of the Board of Directors, resolutions on the nomination of two directors for a four-year term had been proposed for a vote. The mandate held by Bpifrance Participations was renewed at 97.61%. Resolution 5, concerning the appointment of a director representing employee shareholders, previously elected by employee shareholders, was withdrawn from the agenda following a summary judgment issued today at the request of the CFE-CGC Orange trade union.

Commenting on the summary proceedings that were initiated on 19 May, the Court noted that a substantive procedure was already ongoing. This substantive procedure was initiated by CFE-CGC Orange and concerns the election by employee shareholders (which took place from 31 March to 4 April 2025) of the director proposed to represent them on the Group's Board of directors. The Court did not take any decision regarding the substance of the case or the validity of the election, but considered that, pending a final decision on this dispute, it was appropriate to suspend the vote on Resolution 5 during today's Shareholders' Meeting.

As a result, the Board of Directors withdrew Resolution 5 from the vote, and the votes already cast by shareholders were not counted.

With the exception of the withdrawal Resolution 5, all other resolutions presented by the Board of Directors were voted on and approved by shareholders.

The [voting results](#) will be available on orange.com in the coming days on the page dedicated to the General Meeting.

About Orange

Orange is one of the world's leading telecommunications operators with revenues of 40.3 billion euros in 2024 and 125,800 employees worldwide at 31 March 2025, including 69,700 employees in France. The Group has a total customer base of 294 million customers worldwide at 31 March 2025, including 256 million mobile customers and 22 million fixed broadband customers. These figures account for the deconsolidation of certain activities in Spain following the creation of MASORANGE. The Group is present in 26 countries (including non-consolidated countries).

Orange is also a leading provider of global IT and telecommunication services to multinational companies under the brand Orange Business. In February 2023, the Group presented its strategic plan "Lead the Future", built on a new business model

and guided by responsibility and efficiency. "Lead the Future" capitalizes on network excellence to reinforce Orange's leadership in service quality.

Orange is listed on Euronext Paris (symbol ORA).

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