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## DS Smith Plc Completion of acquisition of Gopaca

DS Smith Plc ("DS Smith"), is pleased to announce the completion of the acquisition of Gopaca. The business is a well-invested corrugated producer, located near Porto, Portugal and employs c.135 people. The acquisition strengthens our operations in Iberia, an important and growing market for corrugated packaging, building on our recent acquisitions of Andopack and Lantero, further increasing our Pan-European customer offering.

## Miles Roberts, Chief Executive of DS Smith said:

"We are delighted to complete the acquisition of Gopaca and look forward to working with our new colleagues as we continue to enhance our geographic footprint and customer offering."

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## **NOTES TO EDITORS**

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