

Paris, 11 February

## Charles Boussard joins Elior as Managing Director of the Airports sector

The Elior Group – the third largest player in the European contracted foodservice and related services market – is pleased to announce its appointment of Charles Boussard as Managing Director, Airports.

Aged 53, Charles Boussard is a graduate of HEC business school and began his career with the Shell group, occupying various financial and IT positions between 1981 and 1988. From 1988 to 2001 he worked in the group's subsidiaries, successively holding the positions of Finance Director of Agrishell (1988-1990), Treasurer of Shell (1990-1994), Financial Controller of Shell Chemicals Europe (1994-1997), and Chief Financial Officer of Shell Chimie (1997-2001). In 2001, he joined the Autogrill group as Chief Financial Officer for France and the Benelux countries (2001-2006), before becoming Managing Director of the group's subsidiary in the Netherlands (2007-2008). In 2009 he was appointed Group Director Enterprise Risk Management of Autogrill Spa in Italy.

### **About Elior**

Founded in 1991, Elior ranks third in the European contracted foodservice and related services market, holding leading positions in Contract Catering & Facilities Management and Concession Catering & Travel Retail. In 2008/2009, the Group generated revenue of €3.56 billion. Each day, Elior's 69,000 employees serve 2.9 million guests at 14,500 restaurants and outlets in 15 countries. Elior is active in the Business & Industry, Education, and Healthcare & Seniors sectors, as well as in travel (airports, railway stations and motorways), and leisure & culture (museums and exhibition centres). As a socially responsible enterprise, Elior signed up to the United Nations Global Compact in 2004. The Group takes special care to provide nutritionally balanced meals to guests, limit the environmental impact of its operations and purchases, and support employee integration and training. For more information please visit [www.elior.com](http://www.elior.com)

### **Press contact**

Jérôme Abribat – Head of External Communications  
Tel: + 33 (0)1 40 19 47 66 Fax: + 33 (0)1 40 19 47 12  
[jerome.abribat@elior.com](mailto:jerome.abribat@elior.com)