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PRESS RELEASE

Thorigné-Fouillard, France and **Philadelphia, USA** – March 4, 2021, 6:00 p.m. CEST – **Kerlink** (AKLK – FR0013156007), a specialist in solutions dedicated to the Internet of Things (IoT), and **Microshare**, the leading data-management solution provider for the IoT era, today announced their stations and sensors are powering a new building-and-asset-management solution created by Aramark, a global leader in food, facilities management and uniforms.

Designed to help facility owners and operators deliver a safer and better-performing workplace experience, **A**ramark **I**ntelligent **W**orkplace E**X**perience, or AIWX Connect, is a technology platform that uses digital inputs from building systems, wireless sensors, and occupant feedback to provide real-time data about building performance, occupant satisfaction and space utilization. A feature of the platform is increased flexibility for facility owners and managers to help protect building occupants from Covid-19.

"Covid-19 has increased the need for building managers to better understand employee traffic patterns and how workspace is utilized, to ensure the office is properly maintained," said John Hanner, president, Aramark's Facilities Services division. "AIWX Connect combines the power of data with the knowledge of operations, to create safer environments and improved building performance."

Aramark, a Fortune 200 company also based in Philadelphia, developed AIWX Connect to solve for the variables of knowing when, where and, most important, how to allocate resources to the most-needed areas, based on actual demand. The platform leverages real-time data gathered by Microshare's IoT platform transmitted by Kerlink equipment with Aramark's deep facilities expertise to identify actionable insights for improvement. These actions are integrated into an operating delivery model and planning programs to significantly improve the user experience and building performance.

"Smart IoT solutions that closely monitor both occupancy and status of buildings and facilities are key to reopening spaces that had to close because of the pandemic's spread," said Charles Paumelle, Microshare's chief product officer. "By combining Kerlink and Microshare's expertise, which was jointly demonstrated in our 2020 collaboration to enable contact tracing, we have helped deploy systems that will bring buildings into the IoT era."

In 2020, Kerlink and Microshare launched a LoRaWAN®-based, contact-tracing system that does not rely on smartphones or GPS technology or collected sensitive Personally Identifiable Information (PII), and helps workers to feel safe in their workplace, while protecting their privacy.

"Powerful and responsive smart-solutions such as those developed by Aramark for AIWX Connect are another on-point example of the robustness and flexibility of Kerlink's products and their compatibility with Microshare's technology," said Stéphane Dejean, Kerlink's chief marketing officer. "This solution's adoption by Aramark, a diversified, global operator, highlights LoRaWAN's ability to expand the IoT's applications to a new level of health protection."

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About Kerlink

Kerlink Group is a leading global provider of connectivity solutions for designing, launching, and operating public & private Internet of Things networks. Its comprehensive product portfolio includes industrial-grade network equipment, best-of-breed network core, operations and management software, value-added applications and expert professional services, backed by strong R&D capabilities. Kerlink specializes in enabling future-proof intelligent IoT connectivity for three major domains: Smart Cities – metering, parking, street lighting, waste management, air quality & pollution, building & facilities, assets monitoring… Smart Industries – fleet & asset tracking, energy & utilities, oil, gas & mining, airports, harbors, infrastructure, manufacturing, retail… and Smart Territories – precision agriculture, environment protection and rural towns & areas. More than 120,000 Kerlink installations have been rolled out with more than 330 clients in 69 countries. Based in France, with subsidiaries in the US, Singapore, India, and Japan, Kerlink is a co-founder and board member of the LoRa Alliance® and the uCIFI Alliance™. It is listed on Euronext Growth Paris under the symbol ALKLK.

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About Microshare

Microshare® provides Smart Building data solutions at scale that bring safety, wellness, cost savings and sustainability to our clients' vital assets. Our Sensing-as-a-Service model and global reseller network helped our clients get back to business quickly, safely and cost efficiently in 2020, all while shedding new light on the true performance and utility of their real estate holdings to prepare them for success in the post-pandemic future. Microshare® is a proud member of the LoRa Alliance®.

For more information, visit www.microshare.io or follow us on Twitter @microshareio

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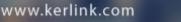
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