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Cary Group enters the Dutch Bus & Coach glazing market through the acquisition of AGS Holland Distribution B.V.

Cary Group, has through its German subsidiary Zentrale Autoglas, entered into an agreement to acquire AGS Holland Distribution B.V., the leading specialist provider of glass distribution and repair and replacement services for the Bus & Coach sector in the Netherlands. The acquisition marks Cary Group's entry into the Dutch market and further strengthens its European platform for heavy-duty and specialty glazing services.

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Founded in 1991 and headquartered in Rotterdam, AGS Holland Distribution B.V. is the number one specialist in technically advanced glazing solutions for the Dutch Bus & Coach market. As a full-service distribution partner, the company supplies high-quality bus and coach windshields and components, while also offering professional on-site installation through its nationwide franchise organisation.

With over 30 years of experience, AGS Holland Distribution B.V. has deep technical expertise in large-format and structurally complex windshields, including ADAS-equipped and OEM-specific installations. The franchisees, which operates under the governance of AGS Holland Distribution B.V., consists of highly skilled franchise entrepreneurs selected for their knowledge, craftsmanship and professional experience.

Cary Group acquires 100 percent of AGS Holland Distribution B.V. through its German subsidiary Zentrale Autoglas. The acquisition complements Cary Group's existing Bus & Coach businesses, including Svenska Bussglas in the Nordics and Zentrale Autoglas in Germany, Austria and Luxembourg. Upon completion, AGS Holland Distribution B.V. will be integrated as a region of Zentrale Autoglas.

"AGS Holland Distribution is a clear market leader with strong technical capabilities and has a business model that fits very well with Cary Group and Zentrale Autoglas. We see potential both within procurement and logistics services but also on the commercial side," says Helge Prigge, Managing Director Zentrale Autoglas GmbH.

Gerard Vader, current owner of AGS Holland Distribution B.V., will remain involved in the business for a transition period to ensure continuity and secure the transfer of expertise and customer relationships.

"Joining Zentrale Autoglas ensures a strong future for AGS Holland Distribution B.V. I am confident that the company will continue to develop under the management of Helge and his team while maintaining its strong customer focus," says Gerard Vader, owner of AGS Holland Distribution B.V.

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About Zentrale Autoglas

Zentrale Autoglas GmbH is one of the leading providers of glass solutions for buses, coaches, and passenger cars in Germany. The company has decades of experience in supplying and installing vehicle windows and offers a wide range of services – from professional repair and quick replacement to mobile on-site services. With modern infrastructure, a dense service network, and a strong focus on quality and customer satisfaction, Zentrale Autoglas supports transport companies, fleet operators, and workshops in keeping their vehicles reliable and efficient in operation.

About Cary Group

Cary Group specialises in sustainable solutions for vehicle glass repair and replacement, with a complementary offering in vehicle damage repair. With good accessibility, high-quality products and smart solutions, we help our customers make simplified and sustainable choices. We call it Smarter solutions for sustainable car care. For more information, please visit www.carygroup.com.