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The Michelin Corporate Foundation signs a sponsorship agreement with Aviation Sans Frontières

The Michelin Corporate Foundation engaged with Aviation Sans Frontières ("ASF") has agreed to a two year partnership along with a sponsorship agreement in the event of a serious health crisis to support its humanitarian missions.

Since its inception, Aviation Sans Frontières has been developing two crucial activities aimed at integrating isolated and destitute populations: 1) to escort sick children; and 2) medical messaging. Through the help of numerous NGOs, "ASF" escorts more than 600 sick children suffering from serious pathologies to European hospitals every year. The escorted children can thus benefit from surgical interventions that are impossible to perform in their country of origin. The children are thus treated and brought back to their families cured.

The association is also working to establish a medical messaging system, which will allow the supply of essential health products, to help those in the most vulnerable areas. Each year, nearly 8,000 medical parcels are sent to 26 needy countries.

In line with its values of respect and solidarity, Philippe Legrez, Managing Director of the Michelin Corporate Foundation, declared: "*The Michelin Group and Aviation Sans Frontières share the same values. The issues of mobility and solidarity-based transport are at the heart of the Foundation's and Michelin Group's activities. We are delighted to be able to support Aviation Sans Frontières through this sponsorship agreement.*"

"*We are very pleased to welcome the Michelin Corporate Foundation within Aviation Sans Frontières. It is essential for "ASF" to have the capacity to consolidate our missions, in particular the aircraft missions, while continuing to develop social actions close to the most fragile populations*", said Gérard Feldzer, President of Aviation Sans Frontières.

About the Michelin Corporate Foundation

The Michelin Corporate Foundation was created in January 2014 under the banner of "Helping people move forward". It continues Michelin's tradition of social commitment by echoing the values of respect and solidarity that the Group has supported since its creation. The Foundation supports projects that are innovative and committed to the life of the community, in line with the Group's activities and close to its employees and sites. <https://fondation.michelin.com/>

About Aviation Sans Frontières

Since 1980, Aviation Sans Frontières has been putting the resources and skills of the aeronautical world at the service of humanitarian aid. As a recognized NGO of public utility, "ASF" provides logistical support to hundreds of humanitarian actors by guaranteeing the delivery of emergency aid and transporting and escorting people all over the world. Thanks to its 800 volunteers, Aviation Sans Frontières responds to some twenty humanitarian requests every day. www.asf-fr.org

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