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## **All Options finalises acquisition of Saen Options to form global trading company**

- The leading market maker in European equity derivatives
- Global trading house operating in all time zones
- Connected to all major exchanges in Europe and Asia
- Business strategy of market leadership
- Recruiting 100 new employees in 2009

**AMSTERDAM, 6 March 2009 - All Options has finalised the acquisition of Saen Options. Both parties announced on 28 January 2009 that they had signed a letter of intent. The acquisition strengthens the position of All Options as one of the largest market makers in Europe. Saen Options will operate under the trademark name of All Options.**

Allard Jakobs, CEO of All Options stated: *“This acquisition places us in a great position to achieve our mission of being a global leading liquidity provider, of being a global company with one vision and shared core values, and of being the best place to work with the best people.”*

### **Leading market position**

With the acquisition All Options strengthens its position as a leading market maker and liquidity provider, with over 300 employees worldwide and connections to all key exchanges in Europe, Asia and Central / South America. Key to this global presence is a state-of-the-art IT infrastructure. The increased technology expertise will provide an essential platform for further expansion.

### **Enhancing a strong culture**

All Options has a dynamic company culture based on leadership, teamwork and personal excellence. The acquisition creates even more opportunities for career development and enhances All Options' commitment to being the best place to work.

### **Growth continues**

Integration will focus on achieving a harmonisation of workplace, culture and conditions. This will be key to moving forward with the All Options' growth strategy. This year All Options is recruiting another 100 employees to facilitate continued expansion.

All Options will not disclose any financial details of the acquisition.

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**About All Options**

All Options is an option trading and market making company, conducting trading and statistical arbitrage in listed products. Founded in 1998, All Options is a leading liquidity provider on the major European equity derivatives markets. Headquartered in Amsterdam, All Options has offices in Switzerland, Curacao, Hong Kong and the People's Republic of China and is connected to all exchanges in Europe and Asia. With a strategy of market leadership the company focuses on excellence in relationships, technology, and being the best place to work, with the best people. All Options is a vibrant and dynamic company with a mission to be a global leading liquidity provider.

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