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PRESS RELEASE

Lerch Bates S.A. Commissioned To Provide Modernization Services in the Arche de La Defense in Paris

Lerch Bates S.A. (France) has been commissioned to provide modernization services on 16 lifts in the Arche de La Defense in Paris. Designed by Danish Architect Otto van Spreckelsen and completed in 1989, it is known simply as La Grande Arche. This Paris landmark, located in La Defense, has 35 office floors and reaches a height of 106 metres. The lifts were installed by KONE and are arranged in multiple groups of low rise, mid rise and high rise zones. Interestingly, Otis installed the exterior lifts that are car to car counterbalanced. The LB Paris office received the commission for the initial design study in early January 2007. Lerch Bates has a long and successful history of providing lift and façade access consulting services in the La Defense area of Paris including the CBX Tower, Tour Ariane (modernization), and Coeur de La Defense.

