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**Paris, October 7, 2005** - "Le Figaro", dated September 30, 2005 published on the first page of its economic supplement section an article announcing that Mr. Pierre Danon, Group Chief Operating Officer, was a candidate for the position of President of the Directoire of the Accor Group and even stating that he had, like other candidates, been interviewed by the Nomination Committee of the hotel group.

After having agreed with Mr. Pierre Danon that Capgemini would not instantly react to this surprising announcement, then having accepted to make no further comment until the end of this week, the Group notes that the necessary conditions to maintain his leadership position in the Group could no longer be met, in spite of the wish expressed by Mr. Pierre Danon to continue his work in the Group. As a consequence, it has been decided to bring to an end his functions as of today.

There are no plans to replace Mr. Pierre Danon in the coming months.

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