



## ***LGI Group and Citizen Systems Europe extend cooperation***

**LGI subsidiary ITG will expand its business with Citizen Systems, a leading manufacturer of printers and calculators. All European warehouse activities will be centralized in the ITG warehouse in Rotterdam for at least the next 3 years.**

Rotterdam June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2017 - ITG Global Logistics B.V. and Citizen Systems Europe will extend their existing cooperation for further three years. To this end, the manufacturer of printers and calculators signed a corresponding agreement with the Dutch subsidiary of the Germany based logistics provider.

Citizen Systems is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Citizen Group of companies, famous for its watches since 1918.

Colin Richardson, Citizen's EMEA Logistic Manager reasons the decision: "Citizen has been impressed with the service provided by ITG over the last 10 years and was very happy that ITG could provide a compelling offer to ensure that a new centralised warehouse solution could be agreed with ITG. This will ensure Citizen can manage its stock more efficiently, providing a practical business model, and improving service to its EMEA business partners."

"We are proud to provide Citizen Systems with logistics services also in the future", says Reinier Velding, logistics manager of ITG Netherlands.

ITG is operating in Rotterdam the logistics centre for Citizen Systems. In addition to classic logistics services such as goods receiving, storage, pick & pack, additional value added services are provided. ITG also handles forwarding activities and parts of the distribution for the customer.



Approximately 4,500 orders are processed for this customer per year - and the activities are increasing since all European warehouse activities will be centralized in the ITG warehouse in Rotterdam as of the 1st of August 2017.

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### ***About ITG***

ITG GmbH Internationale Spedition + Logistik with headquarters in Schwaig at Munich Airport is a mid-sized minded logistics service provider with own 12 branches and eight logistics centers in Germany, the Netherlands, USA as well as Russia. The daughter company ITG Global Logistics B.V. with locations in Amsterdam and Rotterdam has 65 employees and reached in 2015 net sales of 15 million Euros.

With a network of 200 agents and partners, ITG offers forwarding services for worldwide air and sea freight, European and domestic road transport and customs-clearance services. In addition the sector logistics offers a wide range of contract logistics services. These activities comprise storage, picking and comprehensive value added services like quality control, set-building, kitting, textile finishing as well as returns management and inhouse stitching services. ITG has special expertise in the sectors fashion, sports, cosmetics, lifestyle & luxury goods and promotion / merchandising. These activities are complemented by supply chain management services.

As member of LGI Logistics Group International GmbH ITG achieved with around 1,100 employees net sales amounting to 157 million Euros in 2015. Since mid-2016, LGI has been part of the Swedish Elanders Group, a global supplier of integrated solutions in the areas supply chain management, print & packaging and e-commerce.

### ***About Citizen Systems Europe***

Citizen Systems Europe is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Japanese Citizen Group. Recognised and respected for its high level of experience in advanced technology and innovative solutions, Citizen is famous for its watches, printers, machinery and electronic products.

Since 1964, Citizen Systems has been the brand of choice for printers worldwide, providing a wide range of top-line industrial printing solutions that modernise the business operations of many industries, including logistics, retail, manufacturing, hospitality, post and office supply.

Citizen Systems is fully focused on the distribution and support of label, portable, photo and POS printers, as well as calculators, through an extensive partner network across EMEA.

More information can be found on [www.citizen-systems.com](http://www.citizen-systems.com)



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