

Paris, Copenhagen, November 4th 2024

IN Groupe has reached final closing with Nets to take over the operations of MitID

Dear Madam, Dear Sir,

I am happy to inform you that IN Groupe has reached a final agreement to acquire Nets' eID business, which will now formally be handed over to IN Groupe, making IN Groupe the new operator of MitID and associated eID services. Both parties have eagerly anticipated this transition since the initial agreement in November.

MitID will remain formally owned by the MitID partnership, which consists of the Danish Agency for Digital Government (Digitaliseringsstyrelsen) on behalf of the Danish state and Finance Denmark (Finans Danmark) on behalf of the Danish bank

As the new operator of MitID, a key digital infrastructure for the Danes and the Danish society, we understand and respect the requirements and obligations that come with this important task. It is therefore paramount for us to ensure a seamless, stable, and secure transition. To that end, we have dedicated substantial amounts of our own technical resources and agreed on a Transition Service Agreement obliging Nets to provide sufficient technical support and cybersecurity measures throughout the transition period until IN Groupe assumes full support of MitID.

IN Groupe is committed to supporting and advancing MitID from our two new offices in Denmark: the IN Groupe Denmark headquarters in Copenhagen and a site in Aarhus. At these offices, we will welcome 300 skilled and highly valued local team members from Nets, who will continue to work with eID solutions and secure continuity and the necessary expertise to operate MitID. This means that all operational activities and data storage will remain in Denmark as has been the case until now.

The acquisition process has complied with customary closing conditions and received authorization from the Danish Business Authority under the Foreign Direct Investment Screening Act. Through initial dialogues with the MitID Partnership and extensive negotiations with Nets, IN Groupe has gained a comprehensive understanding of the requirements and expectations for providers of digital services to the Danish government, specifically the operator of MitID.

At IN Groupe, we are confident in our ability to meet these requirements and expectations, leveraging our expertise and proven track record in digital identity solutions, secure documents, biometrics, and verification services for government institutions in France and 30 other countries. In our own view, IN Groupe is not merely a provider and operator of technological solutions for the Danish state, but a long-term partner committed to the continued development and strengthening of MitID's advanced technology and security for years to come.

As a customer of our new e-id activities, I would like to personally assure you of our commitment to your complete satisfaction. In operational terms, your contacts remain unchanged and will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

I take the opportunity to renew IN Groupe's commitment to support you in your priorities and our sense of privilege in counting you amongst our customers. Naturally, if the above raises any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out and my teams or myself will be happy to continue the discussion with you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Agnès Diallo', is centered on the page. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a horizontal line underneath it.

Agnès DIALLO
CEO IN Groupe