

TCR Capital acquires Oberthur

TCR Capital has taken a majority holding in Groupe Ouest Finance, the holding company of stationary companies Oberthur and Oller, for an undisclosed sum.

The acquisition was financed with a senior debt package provided by a syndicate comprising CIC, CIO, LCL, Société Générale and BNP Paribas, as well as a mezzanine tranche provided by ActoMezz. The group, based in Rennes, specialises in paper and writing implements for professionals as well as the general public. The company has more recently been focusing on licensed products aimed at school children and teenagers. Oberthur and Oller recorded a combined turnover of EUR 35m.

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