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## TRANSDEV ANNOUNCES RENÉ LALANDE AS CEO OF AUSTRALASIAN OPERATIONS

After a global and national search for a new CEO, Transdev Group (Paris) are pleased to announce René Lalande to the coveted position of Chief Executive Officer for Transdev Australasia.

René will come to Transdev with a wealth of experience having worked in public transport, automotive and aerospace industries in both international and local markets.

Transdev looks forward to welcoming René who will be formally appointed to the position in the coming weeks. In the meantime, Peter Lodge will remain as Acting CEO.

Transdev Group takes this opportunity to thank Peter for successfully maintaining the stability, safety and excellent performance that Transdev is renowned for, in a time of growth which included the seamless transition of the Wellington rail operation in July 2016.

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### **About Transdev:**

*Transdev Australasia is the largest multi-model operator of public transport services across Australia and New Zealand. Transdev has 5,760 employees who provide more than 145M customer trips per annum. Transdev Australasia operates and maintains services across seven distinct locations including bus, light rail, heavy rail, ferry and coach services.*