

## **SARIA and French energy company TotalEnergies join forces to produce sustainable aviation fuels**

SARIA and the French multi-energy group TotalEnergies have concluded an agreement to develop sustainable aviation fuel (SAF) production on the Grandpuits (Seine-et-Marne, France) zero-crude platform.

This agreement is a major step in securing feedstock supply (used cooking oils and animal fats) eligible to produce SAF and will enable the SAF production capacity to reach 210,000 tons per year, 25% higher than foreseen in the initial project announced in 2020.

Under this agreement, TotalEnergies will take 50% of a production activity of SARIA, that will supply animal fat esters to Grandpuits. SARIA will take an equivalent stake in the biofuels business of the Grandpuits biorefinery, which will remain operated by TotalEnergies. SARIA will also directly supply used cooking oils.

"This project will connect the value chain from the collection of bio-waste to the marketing of biofuels and the production of sustainable aviation fuels. TotalEnergies and SARIA will be shaping the future of sustainable aviation together and at the same time address the European Union's demand for an increased use of SAF at all EU airports (as part of their Fit for 55 package to reduce GHG emissions) by securing long-term supply." stated Nicolas Rottmann, member of the SARIA Executive Board.

The project is subject to the legal process for notifying and consulting TotalEnergies' employee representatives and the approval of the competent authorities.

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### **About SARIA**

SARIA is a German family-owned company with operations around the globe. Committed to the principles of the circular economy, the Group's activities are centered around converting products of animal origin and other organic materials into highly valuable and sustainable ingredients for the food, animal feed, pet food, pharmaceutical, and energy sector. "Together towards a sustainable world and healthier living" is the overarching purpose of all of SARIA's activities, and we pursue that vision together with our employees and business partners in order to be the best partner for sustainable solutions.

### **About TotalEnergies**

TotalEnergies is a global multi-energy company that produces and markets energies: oil and biofuels, natural gas and green gases, renewables and electricity. Our more than 100,000 employees are committed to energy that is ever more affordable, cleaner, more reliable and accessible to as many people as possible. Active in more than 130 countries, TotalEnergies puts sustainable development in all its dimensions at the heart of its projects and operations to contribute to the well-being of people.

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