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## THE CONNECTED HOME: LEGRAND AND SOMFY CONNECTED RANGES ARE NOW COMPATIBLE

Legrand, the global specialist in products and systems for electrical and digital building infrastructures, and Somfy, the world leader in automatic control of openings and closures in homes and buildings, have partnered to ensure compatibility of their complementary solutions for the connected home.



On the strength of a level of reliability and durability recognized across the global market, their shared ambition is to ensure compatibility between their respective offerings, so as to provide a new user experience in the connected home for both their professional customers and end users.

Keen to develop the interoperability of their ranges, Legrand (with its Eliot program) and Somfy (via the 'So Open with Somfy' program) both aim to ensure that choosing connected solutions is made genuinely simple for their customers.

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Today, Legrand and Somfy are announcing compatibility on the French market between Céliane™ with Netatmo (1) and Somfy roller shutters, via their respective gateways, i.e. the Céliane™ with Netatmo control solution for Legrand and TaHoma (2) / Connexoon\* for Somfy. This new development will become available in June 2018, first in France, then elsewhere in Europe according to the successive launches of Legrand connected wiring devices throughout 2018.

The end customer will be able, for example, to control Céliane™ with Netatmo products directly via TaHoma and create scenarios including both Somfy and Legrand products. It will also be possible to control Somfy radio roller shutters directly through the Legrand Home + Control application and to combine them with Céliane™ with Netatmo scenario controls.

This partnership which is due for deployment in Europe, will be illustrated on both Legrand and Somfy's stands at the CES 2018 in Las Vegas.

\*Control of Legrand products via TaHoma.

## **(1) Céliane™ with Netatmo**

Legrand kicked off the market launch of Céliane™ with Netatmo in January 2018 in France. A winner of two awards at CES 2017 where it was the first smart connected solution to be presented, Céliane™ with Netatmo is a solution enabling control of both regular home functions such as lighting, sockets and roller shutters, and also additional requirements via complementary connected devices, e.g. thermostat, door phone or camera. Products can be controlled both locally and remotely, using a switch of the Home Control application, but also by voice recognition, via applications such as Siri, Alexa, ok Google, or Cortana.

Céliane™ with Netatmo is Apple HomeKit certified and compatible with Siri as of January 2018. Google Assistant and Amazon Alexa certifications will be available in the course of 2018.

## **(2) Tahoma**

TaHoma by Somfy is one of the most comprehensive platforms on the connected homes market. With over 200 compatible Somfy product ranges and 16 partner brands, and now also compatible with Amazon Alexa and IFTTT, TaHoma covers openings and closures in the home, heating, lighting solutions, security systems, and sound systems. Today, one million devices are already connected to TaHoma, 38% of which are partner products.

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## About Legrand

Legrand is the global specialist in electrical and digital building infrastructures. Its comprehensive offering of solutions for international commercial, industrial and residential markets makes it a benchmark for customers worldwide. Drawing on an approach that involves all of its employees and stakeholders, Legrand is pursuing its strategy of profitable and sustainable growth driven by innovation, with a steady flow of new offerings—including Eliot\* connected products with enhanced value in use—and acquisitions. Legrand reported sales of over €5 billion in 2016. The company is listed on Euronext Paris and is a component stock of indexes including the CAC40, FTSE4Good, MSCI World, Corporate Oekom Rating, Vigeo Euronext Eurozone 120- Europe 120-France 20, and Ethibel Sustainability Index Excellence. (ISIN code FR0010307819)

<http://www.legrand.com>

*\*Eliot is the name of a program launched in 2015 by Legrand to speed up deployment of its connected devices offering. A result of the Group's innovation strategy, Eliot aims to develop connected and interoperable solutions that deliver lasting benefits both to consumers and to professionals.*

[http://www.legrand.com/EN/eliot-program\\_13238.html](http://www.legrand.com/EN/eliot-program_13238.html)

## About Somfy

Somfy group, the world leader in automatic control of openings and closures in homes and buildings, is a key player on the connected homes market.

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