

Sanders Supermarkets

(supermarket chain and meat processing business)



was acquired by

Sligro Food Group N.V.



Clairfield Partners in the Netherlands (Boer & Croon)
acted as the exclusive financial advisor to Sanders
Supermarkets (Sanvier B.V.)

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Sanvier B.V., consisting of the Dutch supermarket chain Sanders Supermarkten and a meat processing business, was sold to Sligro Food Group N.V. for a debt-free purchase price of nearly €50 million.

Sanders Supermarkten has 22 full-service supermarkets with floor space of over 17,000 m² in the Twente region of Holland. In 2009, sales were €100 million, with a net profit of €4 million. The supermarkets, meat processing company, distribution centres and head office employ roughly 500 staff on a full-time basis.

The listed Sligro Food Group encompasses food retail and food-service companies selling directly and indirectly to the entire Dutch food and beverages market. Sales in 2009 totalled €2.3 billion, while net profit was over €74 million. At year-end 2009, Sligro Food Group had 123 supermarkets, which generated net sales of €727 million in the year.

This acquisition will allow Sligro to further strengthen its position in the Dutch food retail market.

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