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ARCADIS DESIGNS SEVERAL NEW LARGE BRIDGES

ARNHEM, THE NETHERLANDS May 21, 2008 ARCADIS (EURONEXT: ARCAD), the international consultancy, design and engineering company, today said it has been involved in the design of several bridge projects including the Terenez Bridge and Compiègne Viaduct in France and the Phu My Bridge in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam. Altogether, the bridges represent a construction sum of some 200 million. ARCADIS fees for the structural designs amount up to 4 million. These projects underline ARCADIS strong position in large bridge design in the world.

Work on the Terenez bridge for the département of Finistère will last 30 months. This bridge crosses the Aulne River, replacing a badly damaged suspension bridge. The unique new structure, 515 meters in length, will be a cable-stayed multiple-span bridge with a prestressed concrete and metal deck. The towers form a lambda-shape and with the deck curved in plane view, the structure's aesthetical streamline fits well in the Natural Park in which the bridge is situated.

The client for the Compiègne Viaduct is the state of Picardie. The structure is a 2190 m long viaduct with two traffic lanes separated by a central divider and two emergency lanes. It will be designed to channel truck circulation off the city center. This will allow a new truck-free zone, making room for more sustainable development of the city.

The cable stayed Phu My Bridge, Ho Chi Minh City will be realized by a German-Australian consortium on the basis of ARCADIS preliminary and final designs. Crossing the Saigon River, the overall length will be 2 km, with the main span of six traffic lanes and a sidewalk. This bridge provides a vital transport link in the city's Inner Ring Road. According to Minister of Transport Đào Đình Bình it will boost the socio-economic development of Ho Chi Minh City and region.

ARCADIS is an international company providing consultancy, engineering and management services in infrastructure, environment and facilities, to enhance mobility, sustainability and quality of life. ARCADIS develops, designs, implements, maintains and operates projects for companies and governments. With more than 12,000 employees and over 1.5 billion in gross revenue, the company has an extensive international network that is supported by strong local market positions.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

ARCADIS N.V.

Date: May 22, 2008

By:

/s/ H.L.J. Noy
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