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Compass Group Completes Disposal of Corrections Business

Compass Group is pleased to confirm that it has satisfied the necessary conditions relating to the disposal of 80% of its Corrections business in the United States, and the disposal has now completed.

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About Compass Group PLC

Compass Group PLC is a world leading food and support services company, which generated annual revenues of £15.8 billion in the year to 30 September 2011. It operates in around 50 countries, employs over 470,000 people and serves over 4 billion meals every year. The company specialises in providing food and a range of support services across the core sectors of Business & Industry, Defence, Offshore & Remote Site, Healthcare, Education, Sports & Leisure and Vending with an established brand portfolio.