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## **Sabert acquires Colpac Limited, strengthening sustainable food packaging leadership in the UK and beyond**

**Sabert Corporation Europe** is pleased to announce the acquisition of **Colpac Limited**, a leading UK-based manufacturer of sustainable paperboard packaging solutions for the food-to-go foodservice and industrial markets. The acquisition was formally completed on 31 July 2025.

Founded in 1937 and headquartered in Flitwick, Bedfordshire, UK, Colpac has built a strong reputation for innovation, quality, and customer service across its extensive range of food packaging solutions. The business has remained family-owned for generations and the Colpac brand was developed and nurtured over many years. This legacy of excellence and commitment to sustainable innovation lives on in this next chapter of growth.

The acquisition represents a strategic milestone for Sabert, significantly enhancing its presence in the UK, Irish and European markets reinforcing its global paperboard offering across its channels of operation. Colpac's proven capabilities in design, manufacturing, and customer partnerships are a natural fit for the Group.

The combined business will offer an expanded product portfolio across our channels of operation, with strengthened design, agility, enhanced UK-based manufacturing capabilities, and a stronger platform for sustainable innovation.

*“Today marks an important milestone in our ongoing investment in the UK and our focus on expanding our diverse product portfolio of innovative, sustainable solutions.”* shares Paul McCann, Chief Executive Officer at Sabert Corporation.

*“Both companies believe that a culture of sustainability, quality, and high service levels is the foundation of building lasting relationships with our customers. Now, as one team, we can accelerate our efforts even further to develop and deliver sustainable, innovative solutions as our customers' trusted food packaging provider.”*

*“Colpac’s team, heritage, and specialist paperboard expertise are a perfect complement to Sabert’s portfolio. Together, we are better equipped to serve customers with a broad, innovative, and sustainable range of food packaging solutions,”* says Andrew Grimbaldeston, Managing Director of Colpac.

Alex Noake, Managing Director of Sabert’s European business area, adds: *“As someone who has worked with Colpac both as a customer and more recently as a competitor, I’ve always held deep respect for the business. They’ve long been known for product excellence, customer care, and integrity; qualities we value deeply. Now, as part of the same Group, I’m excited about what we can achieve together.”*

Olivia Goldman, Owner of Colpac, concludes: *“I look forward to seeing the newly combined Sabert and Colpac team build on the foundations Neil so carefully constructed, taking the creativity, dedication to customer service and passion for sustainable food packaging to even greater heights.”*

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*Sabert's Alex Noake and Colpac's Olivia Goldman.*



*Leadership team at Colpac site following internal announcement.*

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**About Colpac Limited**

Colpac is an award-winning British designer and manufacturer of innovative food packaging solutions which are exported to over 60 countries worldwide. With a focus on sustainability both as a business and as a supplier to the food service and retail industries, our extensive range of recyclable and compostable products are specifically designed to consider all points within the supply chain. At Colpac, we are committed to our design and manufacturing base in the UK, however our creativity and innovation takes inspiration from our markets around the world. With a wealth of experience in the industry Colpac manages all parts of the manufacturing process, from concept and design, through to printing and manufacture.

**About Sabert Corporation**

Sabert is a leading global manufacturer of innovative food packaging products and solutions. Founded in 1983, the company is grounded in its purpose of reinventing food packaging to nourish and protect our world. Headquartered in Sayreville, New Jersey, Sabert operates North American facilities in California, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, New Jersey, Texas, and Virginia, complemented by manufacturing facilities in Nivelles, Belgium; Kimbolton, England; Lodz, Poland; and Zhongshan, China. With a commitment to sustainability, quality, and customer partnership, Sabert serves the foodservice, food manufacturing, and retail sectors across Europe, the UK & I, and beyond.

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