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### **Arverne announces a “50-year warranty” on the geothermal probes installed by DrillHeat**

**Pau, June 17, 2026.** Arverne, France’s leading provider of geothermal solutions, announces a “50-year warranty” on geothermal probes installed by DrillHeat, a member company of the group.

A guarantee unmatched in the French market, setting a new standard for reliability and offering project owners, clients, and operators unprecedented visibility into the lifespan and durability of their geothermal installations.

#### **A “50-year warranty” based on Arverne’s three-pronged commitment to quality**

This warranty is a direct result of the industry standards that Arverne applies to all drilling and construction operations:

- **Safety** - Operations managed by expert teams using state-of-the-art equipment.
- **Support** - Continuous support at every stage, from design to operation.
- **Environment** - Constant attention to site integrity and respect for the environment.

#### **The goal is to reaffirm the durability of these facilities and reassure the public about the reliability of geothermal energy, the least well-known of the renewable energy sources.**

In the long term, the longevity of a geothermal system is a critical concern for project owners, engineering firms, and operators.

This warranty covers the entire lifecycle of the equipment: in the event of a failure, DrillHeat commits to taking one of three actions: repairing, replacing, or refunding the affected probe.

- **Repair** - In the event of a surface leak in a probe, our teams will intervene to repair and recommission the equipment, including the necessary testing.
- **Replace** - If repair is not possible, a new borehole is drilled to replace the defective probe.
- **Refund** - As a last resort, if no technical solution is feasible, the defective probe is refunded.

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### **A standard proven in the field**

Arverne has established itself as a leading provider of geothermal heating and cooling solutions in France, relying on DrillHeat for its surface geothermal drilling operations: over 100 projects completed, 130,000 meters of boreholes drilled, and 6 drilling rigs—the largest fleet dedicated to surface geothermal energy in the country.

Nursing homes, hypermarkets, museums, industrial facilities, local governments, swimming pools, offices: DrillHeat operates in all settings, from city centers to industrial sites, and from new construction to renovation. Companies such as Eiffage, E.Leclerc, Galeries Lafayette, Icade, Idec, and Sisley have already placed their trust in us.

It is this operational maturity, backed by the strength of Arverne—a mission-driven company—that forms the basis of this guarantee today.

*“A well-designed, properly installed, and well-maintained heat exchanger should last. By offering this 50-year warranty, Arverne provides DrillHeat’s partners with visibility and security that did not previously exist in this market.” - Patrice Landolt, CEO of DrillHeat*

### **About DrillHeat**

A member of the Arverne Group, DrillHeat specializes in surface geothermal drilling and has established itself as a key player in the decarbonization of buildings. Based in Pau and Schiltigheim, the company—founded in 2022—carries out geothermal well drilling throughout France. When combined with a geothermal heat pump, these probes provide sustainable heating and cooling for all types of buildings.  
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### **About Arverne**

Arverne, France’s leading provider of geothermal solutions. Drawing on its expertise, Arverne harnesses the natural resources of our soil to develop local solutions for heating, cooling, and lithium. As a mission-driven company listed on Euronext Paris, Arverne is committed to promoting energy self-sufficiency through local supply chains, serving both regional communities and industrial clients.  
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