



## **ACQUISITION OF JEAN II MAKOUN**

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Jean II Makoun, a defensive midfielder for Lille, will be transferred to Olympique Lyonnais.

The 25-year-old Cameroon international has signed a four-year contract with OL.

The amount of the transfer was €14 million under French accounting standards and might be increased by incentives worth up to €1 million.

Jean II Makoun is the fifth new player to join the OL squad for next season, following César Delgado, who arrived during the winter mercato (for €7.25 million), Ederson (€15.2 million), Hugo Lloris (€8.5 million) and Miralem Pjanic (€7.5 million).

Separately, discussions are continuing with the LOSC Lille Métropole club regarding managers Claude Puel and Patrick Collot. No conclusions have yet been reached, but the Board of Directors of LOSC Lille Métropole, chaired by Michel Seydoux, will meet in the next 48 hours to take a decision on the subject.

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