



Banque Privée Edmond de Rothschild SA and Banca Privata Edmond de Rothschild SA will participate in the US Tax Programme

Banque Privée Edmond de Rothschild SA and Banca Privata Edmond de Rothschild SA have decided to file as Category 2 banks under the US Tax Programme, in line with the recommendations issued by our regulator (FINMA). This decision in now way compromises our Group's financial stability and reflects our continuing policy to control risks.

Since this summer Banque Privée Edmond de Rothschild SA and Banca Privata Edmond de Rothschild SA have conducted a thorough review of our US clientele and our relevant internal policies, in collaboration with external specialists. Based on the information available as of today, the Edmond de Rothschild Group is confident that our US clients have been treated in compliance with Swiss laws and regulations.

However, in view of our continuing policy to control risks and our desire to follow FINMA's recommendations, Banque Privée Edmond de Rothschild SA and Banca Privata Edmond de Rothschild SA have decided at this stage to participate in the US Programme as Category 2 banks.

The strength of our shareholders' equity allows us to take this step confidently.

About the Edmond de Rothschild Group

The Edmond de Rothschild Group is an independent, family-owned group specialising in private banking and asset management. Founded in 1953, it has been presided over since 1997 by Baron Benjamin de Rothschild. At 30 June 2013 the Group had CHF 163bn (EUR 135.7bn) of assets under management and employed 2900 people in 30 locations around the world. In addition to its private banking and asset management operations the Group is also active in corporate consulting, private equity and investment fund administration.

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