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# APPOINTMENT

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## DIDIER DELEAGE APPOINTED CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER OF THE EDMOND DE ROTHSCHILD GROUP'S ASSET MANAGEMENT BUSINESS LINE

Didier Deleage joined the Edmond de Rothschild Group on June 2 2014 as Chief Operating Officer of the Asset Management business line. He will report to Laurent Tignard, CEO, Global Asset Management.

Didier Deleage will be in charge of the asset management global support functions in the different countries where the Group operates and in particular in our 6 investment hubs in Geneva, Paris, Luxembourg, Frankfurt, Hong Kong and London. He will be also in charge of coordination with the Group's divisions (Finance, Risk, Legal & Compliance, Human Resources, Operations and IT).

Based in Paris, Didier Deleage will sit on the Executive Board of Edmond de Rothschild Asset Management (France).

**Didier Deleage**, 43, graduated from ESSEC (Ecole Supérieure des Sciences Economiques et Commerciales - 1993) and holds a DECF.

Since August 2013, he had been associate CEO of HSBC Global Asset Management France. From 2006 to 2014, he was Chief Operating Officer at HSBC Global Asset Management (France). During the same period he was a corporate officer for several HSBC group affiliates and SICAV in France, Luxembourg and Switzerland, notably in HSBC Epargne Entreprise, an employee savings affiliate where he was CEO (2007-8) and then chairman of the board (2010-14)

Didier has also chaired the AFG's commission on accounting standards and reporting procedures since 2012 and was a member of the AFG's board between 2006 and 2014. He has taught on the CNAM's Masters degree programme since 2001 and has contributed to several working groups in Paris including the high-level committee on UCITS IV in 2010.

Didier started his career in financial sector auditing in 1995 at PWC Audit before moving to asset management in 1997 as head of internal control at Sinopia Asset Management. He was promoted to Company Secretary in 2002.

### About the Edmond de Rothschild Group

The Edmond de Rothschild Group is an independent, family-controlled financial group focused on Asset Management and Private Banking. It was established in 1953 and since 1997 has been presided over by Baron Benjamin de Rothschild. At 31 December 2013 the Group had CHF 164 billion (EUR 133.6 billion) of assets under management and 2,800 employees spread across 31 offices, branches and subsidiaries throughout the world. In addition to its core businesses of Asset Management and Private Banking, the Group is also active in Corporate Finance, Private Equity and Investment Fund Administration.

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In Asset Management, the Edmond de Rothschild Group had close to EUR 45bn under management at December 31 2013 and employed 550 people including 100 investment professionals.



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