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APPOINTMENTS AT AXA MEDITERRANEAN REGION

AXA ASSICURAZIONI - AXA GULF

Massimo Michaud, CEO of Milan-based AXA Assicurazioni (a fully owned subsidiary of AXA) since 2001, has decided to pursue his career outside the AXA Group. We thank him for his accomplishments during these years. He is replaced by Andrea Rossi, CEO of AXA's activities in the Arabian Gulf region. The Italian board meetings of March 14 will take note of these changes.

Jean-Louis Laurent-Josi takes over as AXA Gulf CEO from Andrea Rossi, who will remain on the board of AXA Gulf and AXA Saudi Arabia. Paul Adamson, currently AXA Gulf COO, Sales and Distribution, becomes AXA Saudi Arabia CEO in addition to his current role. He will report to Jean-Louis Laurent-Josi.

Both will be placed under Jean-Raymond Abat's (AXA Mediterranean region CEO) responsibility.

We wish them success in their new positions.

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Andrea Rossi, 41, joined the AXA Group BSD department (Business, Support & Development) as a director for Southern Europe, Latin America, Maghreb and Middle East in 2001. He was appointed COO of the newly created AXA Mediterranean region in 2005, before becoming AXA Gulf & Middle East Region Chief Executive Officer the following year. He had previously held several management positions at Aegon and GE Capital.

Jean-Louis Laurent-Josi, 38, joined the AXA Group with Winterthur's integration in 2006 to manage AXA Belgium's Multidistribution activity. He was previously managing director and COO of a Belgian bank, before being in charge of Life Underwriting, and then Retail & SME for Winterthur-Europe Assurances S.A.

Paul Adamson, 41, joined the AXA Group in January 2005 as AXA Gulf COO, Sales and Distribution. He previously held several management positions at Norwich Union Saudi Arabia, after having held many other responsibilities in the financial services industry.

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