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SOCIETE GENERALE CORPORATE & INVESTMENT BANKING APPOINTS GLOBAL HEAD OF ENERGY GROUP

Societe Generale Corporate & Investment Banking announces the appointment of **Olivier Musset** as Global Head of the Energy Group within the Natural Resources & Energy Financing Group at SG CIB, effective 15th April. Olivier will remain based in Paris.

In his new role, Olivier Musset will continue to build on the strength of the bank's global energy franchise responsible for advisory services as well as project, reserve-based and structured financings in the energy sector. Before being appointed to this role, Olivier Musset was Deputy Global Head of the Energy Group.

Robin Baker, previously the Global Head of the Energy Group, will remain within the Energy Group, albeit on a part time basis. Robin will continue to supervise some of the Energy Group's key advisory mandates around the globe.

Olivier Musset will report to Federico Turegano, the Global Head of the Natural Resources & Energy Financing Group.

The Natural Resources & Energy Financing Group, part of Global Finance, provides global advisory, structuring and financing services to the global commodities and energy sectors and was voted as Oil & Gas Advisor of the Year for 2010 and 2011 by Infrastructure Journal, which is further testimony to the bank's leadership across this sector.

Biographies

Olivier Musset has spent 25 years in the Oil & Gas industry. He joined Societe Generale in 1993 from Technip where he worked as process engineer for the refining and petrochemical industries. Before joining SG Oil & Gas Project Finance in 1997, he worked as an in-house consultant advising the Bank on all business aspects related to the Oil & Gas industry. Olivier Musset is a petroleum engineer (Institut Français du Pétrole/Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Pétroles et Moteurs) and is a member of the French Association for the Oil and Gas industry (AFTP).

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Robin Baker began his career with the Royal Dutch/Shell Group in 1967 initially in refinery technology and thereafter in supplies and trading in the UK and Asia. Robin joined Societe Generale Corporate & Investment Banking in 2000 as head of Oil & Gas Project Finance after 20 years in Energy Banking with Chase Manhattan Bank. In 2007, he was appointed Global Head of Project and Reserve Based Financing for the Energy Sector. Robin is a graduate of Imperial College, London and Cranfield School of Management.

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