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APPOINTMENTS WITHIN SOCIETE GENERALE

In order to reinforce its capacity to support its clients with a full range of multi-asset and advisory services, while adapting to the new regulatory environment, Societe Generale Corporate & Investment Banking announces a new organisation and related appointments within its Global Markets activities effective as of May 18 2015.

This new organisation is based upon 3 main principles:

- Further aligning the organization with that of its clients,
- Facilitating access to the full engineering capacities of the bank,
- Ensuring seamless continuum across all asset classes.

The bank announces the following appointments within the Global Markets division which remains under the supervision of **Daniel Fields**, with **David Escoffier** as deputy:

- Richard Quessette is appointed Head of the newly created Equities and Derivatives business line, with **Bruno Benoit** as deputy,
- Danielle Sindzingre heads a broadened Fixed Income & Currencies business line, encompassing both flow and structured fixed income services,
- Jonathan Whitehead remains Head of Commodities Markets activities,
- Chris Topple and Christophe Lattuada are appointed as co-Heads of Prime Services activities,
- Jerome Jacques and Hatem Mustapha are appointed as co-Heads of a new Asset Backed Products business line, created jointly with the Global Finance division.

Regionally:

- François Barthelemy remains Head of Global Markets in the Americas, with Peter McGahan appointed as Deputy.
- Franck Drouet remains Head of Global Markets in Asia Pacific, with Yann Garnier appointed as Deputy.

The new organization of the markets activities also relies on a global transversal management for sales, engineering, trading and research across all asset classes:

David Escoffier will be in charge of supervising the sales teams,

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- Marc Saffon is appointed Head of Engineering,
- Jean-François Gregoire remains Head of Trading with Arie Boleslawski and Guillaume Buathier as deputies,
- Patrick Legland remains Head of Global Research.

Additionally, replacing Christophe Lattuada, Laure Lemaignen is appointed Head of Strategy & Corporate Development for Global Banking & Investor Solutions. She will report to Didier Valet, Head of Global Banking & Investor Solutions, and to his deputy, Christophe Mianné.

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