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Nordea appoints new Group CFO and member of Group Executive Management

Heikki Ilkka, Head of Group Finance & Business Control in Nordea, is appointed new Group Chief Financial Officer. Heikki also becomes a member of Group Executive Management (GEM) and will report to Group CEO Casper von Koskull. The changes take effect as of 1 January 2016.

Heikki Ilkka (45) joined Nordea in April 2015 as head of Group Finance, following a long career with Ernst & Young. As of November 2015 he has led the Group Finance & Business Control unit within Group Corporate Centre. Group Finance & Business Control will as of 1 January 2016 be a function with direct reporting to the Group CEO.

- I look forward to working together with Heikki and welcome him to the GEM team. He brings with him a set of valuable skills and profound financial experience that will be supporting our financial focus and exciting development towards the Future Relationship Bank, says Casper von Koskull, Group CEO.

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