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Board of the European Federation of Building Societies re-elected

Brussels – In the course of the Semi-Annual Meeting of the European Federation of Building Societies (EFBS) on 14/ 15 November 2013, the board was re-elected after three years. The incumbent executive committee was confirmed.

Mag. Herbert Pfeiffer, Member of the Management Board of Prvá Stavebná Sporiteľňa, a.s. (Slovakia), since 2001 1st Vice-President of the EFBS, remains to be the President of the Federation.

Dr. Hartwig Hamm, Director of the Bundesgeschäftsstelle of the Landesbausparkassen (Germany), and General Secretary of the International Union for Housing Finance (IUHF) was again appointed as 1st Vice-President by the members.

Herr Mag. Ernst Karner, Member of the Management Board of s Bausparkasse and President of s Wohnbaubank AG (Austria), was confirmed as 2nd Vice-President by EFBS members.

The European Federation of Building Societies brings together credit institutions and institutions in Europe and some neighbouring countries which promote and support the financing of home ownership. It pursues the aim, in a politically and economically converging Europe, of promoting the idea of the acquisition of home ownership.

Andreas J. Zehnder, Chairman of the Management Board and President of the Verband der Privaten Bausparkassen e.V. (Germany) and President of the International Union for Housing Finance (IUHF) has been heading the EFBS as Managing Director since 1993.