**EFG International AG** Bleicherweg 8 8001 Zurich Switzerland Phone +41 44 226 18 50 Fax +41 44 226 18 55 efginternational.com



Ad hoc announcement pursuant to Art. 53 LR

## EFG announces the nomination of Philip Lofts as a new member of the Board of Directors

Zurich, 28 March 2023

The Board of Directors of EFG International and EFG Bank is today announcing the nomination of Philip Lofts as a new member of the Board of Directors. Having obtained the relevant regulatory approvals, he will be proposed for election to the Board of Directors of EFG International at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM) on 21 April 2023.

Philip Lofts will succeed Susanne Brandenberger, who has decided not to stand for re-election as a member of the Board of Directors, as announced on 01 November 2022. Subject to his election by shareholders, Philip Lofts will also chair the Risk Committee, of which Susanne Brandenberger is currently Chair.

Philip Lofts is a proven risk management expert and a recognised leader in the international banking industry with more than four decades of experience. He spent over 30 years at UBS Group in a variety of executive and management roles including being a member of the Group Executive Board from 2008 to 2015. He served as the Group Chief Risk Officer from 2008-2010 and 2012-2015 and as the CEO of the UBS Americas in 2011. Prior to joining the Group Executive Board he held a number of senior risk management roles in the Investment Bank and at Group and had gained international experience from working and living in Europe, Asia and the US. Since 2017, he has served as a Non-Executive Director of UBS Group Americas, a position that he will be stepping down from on 31 March 2023.

Alexander Classen, Chair of the Board of Directors of EFG International: "We are very pleased to propose Philip Lofts for election as a new member of EFG's Board of Directors and as the new Chair of the Risk Committee. Phil has vast expertise in the area of risk management and gained broad international experience in the financial industry in Europe, Asia and the US. I am convinced that he will be instrumental in further enhancing EFG's risk framework and in driving and supporting EFG's growth strategy. Together with my colleagues on the Board of Directors, I very much looking forward to working with him. At the same time, I would like to sincerely thank Susanne Brandenberger for her substantial contribution to EFG's success and her outstanding commitment during the past few years. I wish her all the best for the future."

## Contact

Investor Relations +41 44 212 73 77 investorrelations@efggroup.com Media Relations +41 44 226 12 72 mediarelations@efginternational.com

## About EFG International

EFG International is a global private banking group offering private banking and asset management services and is headquartered in Zurich. EFG International's group of private banking businesses operates in around 40 locations worldwide. Its registered shares (EFGN) are listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange.

EFG International AG, Bleicherweg 8, 8001 Zurich, Switzerland <u>www.efginternational.com</u>

## Important Disclaimer

This document has been prepared by EFG International AG ("**EFG**") solely for use by you for general information only and does not contain and is not to be taken as containing any securities advice, recommendation, offer or invitation to subscribe for, purchase or redeem any securities regarding EFG.

This media release includes forward-looking statements that reflect EFG's intentions, beliefs or current expectations and projections about EFG's future results of operations, financial condition, liquidity, performance, prospects, strategies, opportunities and the industries in which it operates. Forward-looking statements involve all matters that are not historical facts. EFG has tried to identify those forward-looking statements by using the words 'may', 'will', 'would', 'should', 'expect', 'intend', 'estimate', 'anticipate', 'project', 'believe', 'seek', 'plan', 'predict', 'continue' and similar expressions. Such statements are made on the basis of assumptions and expectations which, although EFG believes them to be reasonable at this time, may prove to be erroneous.

These forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions and other factors that could cause EFG's actual results of operations, financial condition, liquidity, performance, prospects or opportunities, as well as those of the markets it serves or intends to serve, to differ materially from those expressed in, or suggested by, these forward-looking statements. Important factors that could cause those differences include, but are not limited to: changing business or other market conditions, legislative, fiscal and regulatory developments, general economic conditions in Switzerland, the European Union and elsewhere, and EFG's ability to respond to trends in the financial services industry. Additional factors could cause actual results, performance or achievements to differ materially. In view of these uncertainties, readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. EFG and its subsidiaries, and their directors, officers, employees and advisors expressly disclaim any obligation or undertaking to release any update of or revisions to any forward-looking statements in this media release and any change in EFG's expectations or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which these forward-looking statements are based, except as required by applicable law or regulation.