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On 6th June 2008, the Supervisory Board of CMS Bureau Francis Lefebvre chaired by Jean-Claude Anisten, partner, appointed the following members of the Management Board, with effect from 1 July:

Didier Gingembre Philippe Rosenpick Pierre-Sébastien Thill

Biographical details of the new members of the Management Board, appointed for a four-year term, are as follows:

Pierre-Sébastien Thill, aged 52, joined CMS Bureau Francis Lefebvre in 1984. He has been a partner since 1993, a member of the Management Board since 2000 and Managing partner since 2004, reelected on June 2008 and Chairman of CMS since 2003. He was senior partner of CMS Bureau Francis Lefebvre New York from 1994 to 1997. Specialised in international taxation, he advises clients primarily on mergers and acquisitions, reorganizations and the structuring of investment funds. Pierre-Sébastien holds a D.E.S.S. post-graduate degree in business law from Aix-Marseille University law school. He is an active member of Institut des Avocats Conseils Fiscaux (IACF), the International Fiscal Association (IFA), the International Bar Association (IBA) and the Association Française des Avocats Conseils d'Entreprises (ACE) and has been appointed -and currently a member- at the Attali Commission.

**Didier Gingembre**, aged 55, joined CMS Bureau Francis Lefebvre in 1975. He became a partner in 1986.In 2000, he was elected to the Supervisory Board, serving as its Chairman until 2003, and member of the Management Board since 2004. Specialised in direct taxes, Didier is a graduate of Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (1973) and holds a D.E.S. degree in law from Paris X-Nanterre University (1973). He is an active member of the Institut des Avocats Conseils Fiscaux (IACF) and the Association Française des Avocats Conseils d'Entreprises (ACE).

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**Philippe Rosenpick**, aged 46, joined CMS Bureau Francis Lefebvre in 1997. He became a partner in 1998. He has been developping the Corporate/M&A team with his co-associates since 2001. He holds a poste graduate degree in International law and in International trade law (1998) from the Aix en provence University. He worked formely for Freshfields (1989-1992) and for Shearman & Sterling (1992-1997). He is an active member of the Association Française des Avocats Conseils d'Entreprises (ACE).

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