Deutsche Beteiligungs AG

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Deutsche Beteiligungs AG: Supervisory Board extends the term of office of Susanne Zeidler

CFO contract extended until October 2025

Frankfurt/Main, 22 April 2020 – The Supervisory Board of Deutsche Beteiligungs AG (DBAG) has re-appointed Ms Susanne Zeidler as a member of the Board of Management of the listed private equity company until 31 October 2025. Ms Zeidler's current term ends on 31 October 2020.

Susanne Zeidler (59) has been a member of DBAG's Board of Management since 1 November 2012; she has served as Chief Financial Officer (CFO) since March 2013, responsible for Finance and Accounting as well as other corporate functions. Her portfolio includes Investor Relations (capital markets), Legal (company law/capital markets) and Tax, Portfolio Valuation, Risk Management, as well as Human Resources and IT.

"I am delighted that we are able to continue our trusting cooperation with Ms Zeidler, drawing on her expertise especially in the areas of Finance and Investor Relations", Dr Hendrik Otto, Chairman of DBAG's Supervisory Board, commented on the re-appointment.

Deutsche Beteiligungs AG, a listed private equity company, initiates closed-end private equity funds, and itself invests alongside those funds predominantly in well-positioned mid-market companies with development potential. DBAG focuses on those industry sectors where Germany's 'Mittelstand' is strong in international comparison. A growing portion of DBAG's equity investments is deployed in its new focus sectors of broadband/telecommunications, IT services/software and healthcare. Its long-term, value-enhancing entrepreneurial investment approach makes DBAG a sought-after investment partner in the German-speaking world. Assets under management and advisory by DBAG Group amount to 1.7 billion euros; with the new DBAG Fund VIII, the figure is set to rise to around 2.5 billion euros.

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