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AXA appoints a new Media Relations Director

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As of January 1st, Emmanuel Touzeau has been appointed Group Vice President, Media Relations, reporting to Laure Thibaud, Group Executive Vice President, Communications and Sustainable Development. He replaces Christophe Dufraux, who will pursue his career in the AXA Group.

Emmanuel joined the Investor Relations department of the AXA Group in 2003, contributing to manage AXA's relations with investors, analysts and rating agencies.

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About AXA

AXA Group is a worldwide leader in Financial Protection. AXA's operations are diverse geographically, with major operations in Europe, North America and the Asia/Pacific area. For full year 2007, IFRS revenues amounted to Euro 93.6 billion and IFRS adjusted earnings to Euro 6.1 billion. AXA had Euro 1,281 billion in assets under management as of December 31, 2007.

The AXA ordinary share is listed on compartment A of Euronext Paris under the ticker symbol CS (ISIN FR0000120628 – Bloomberg: CS FP – Reuters: AXAF.PA). The American Depository Share is also listed on the NYSE under the ticker symbol AXA.

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