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Christophe Ricetti appointed Global Head of Cash Equity at Natixis

Christophe Ricetti has been appointed Global Head of Cash Equity at Natixis. He will be reporting to Luc François, Head of Global Markets.

Christophe Ricetti started his career in 1996 as financial analyst at Banque de France. In 1997, he worked at the Ministry of Energy of Slovakia as a project financing advisor. In 1998, he joined Natixis Securities as “sell-side” analyst for European banking securities, specifically French, Belgian and Spanish banks. In 2010, he was appointed Head of Investor Relations of Natixis. Since 2013, Christophe Ricetti has been Head of Global Markets Research.

Christophe Ricetti, 42, holds a magistère in bank and finance from Université Paris 2 and a DESS in banking and financial techniques. He is a member of Société Française des Analystes Financiers.

About Natixis

Natixis is the international corporate, asset management, insurance and financial services arm of Groupe BPCE, the 2nd-largest banking group in France with 31.2 million clients spread over two retail banking networks, Banque Populaire and Caisse d'Épargne.

With more than 16,000 employees, Natixis has a number of areas of expertise that are organized into three main business lines: Corporate & Investment Banking, Investment Solutions & Insurance, and Specialized Financial Services.

A global player, Natixis has its own client base of companies, financial institutions and institutional investors as well as the client base of individuals, professionals and small and medium-size businesses of Groupe BPCE's banking networks.

Listed on the Paris stock exchange, it has a solid financial base with a CET1 capital under Basel 3(1) of €12.7 billion, a Basel 3 CET1 Ratio (1) of 11.0 % and quality long-term ratings (Standard & Poor's: A / Moody's: A2 / Fitch Ratings: A).

(1) Based on CRR-CRD4 rules as reported on June 26, 2013, including the Danish compromise - without phase-in except for DTAs on tax-loss carryforwards following ECB regulation 2016/445.

Figures as at December 31, 2016

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