

NS PARTNERS ANNOUNCES A STRATEGIC EVOLUTION IN ITS GOVERNANCE AND CONFIRMS ITS LONG-TERM GROWTH AMBITIONS

Geneva, 3 December 2025 – NS Partners, the leading independent asset manager in Switzerland and Europe for over 60 years, announces a major evolution in its governance and organisational structure, marking a new chapter in its development. In addition to the appointment of a CEO and the inclusion of two new members in the Executive Committee, the firm has also named four new Partners. These changes are the result of strategic reflection undertaken in recent months and aim to further strengthen the Group's positioning in service of its clients and partners, all while maintaining its independence, a core value of the firm

A new phase of leadership

The Board of Directors has appointed **Frédéric de Poix** as CEO of NS Partners. This appointment is part of a carefully considered and planned transition, with a clear mandate: to continue growing the Group, enhance its positioning in Wealth Management, and develop its areas of expertise.

A renewed and ambitious Executive Committee

The Executive Committee now welcomes two new members: **Pierre Mouton** (Head of Long-Only Investments) and **Sébastien Poiret** (Head of Wealth Management), who will sit alongside Frédéric de Poix (CEO), Antonio Mira (CFO), Cédric Dingens (Head of Alternative Investments and Institutional Clients), Christophe Verbaere (COO) in Switzerland, and Paolo Faraone (Head of Management Company and Fund Services in Europe). **Angel Sanz** and **Grégoire Notz** have stepped down from the Executive Committee. Angel Sanz remains CIO, and Grégoire Notz will continue to play an active role across various Boards within the Group.

Broadened and strengthened partnership structure

To support its next phase of growth, NS Partners has appointed four new Partners:

Amélie Janssens de Bisthoven (Head of Business Intelligence), Romain Pidoux (Head of Risk Management), Yannick Enry and Alessandro Boris (Co-Deputy Heads of Wealth Management).

These appointments reflect the Group's ambition to bring new talent and expertise into its shareholding structure and to further consolidate a stable, forward-looking, and collegiate governance model.

Continuity and long-term vision

These developments reflect the robustness of NS Partners' entrepreneurial model and reaffirm its long-term vision. The expanded Executive Committee and strengthened shareholding structure underscore a clear commitment to delivering service excellence, enhancing proximity with clients, and growing the Group's three strategic pillars: Wealth Management, Asset Management, and the Management Company.

«These changes represent a dynamic and thoughtful transition, guided by the willingness to strengthen our foundations and accelerate our development. NS Partners is built on solid ground, now backed by an expanded team and a shared commitment to serving our clients. » **Nicolas Killen**, Chairman of the Board of Directors, NS Partners SA.

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About NS PARTNERS

Founded in 1964, NS PARTNERS is one of the largest independent asset management groups in Switzerland and Europe. Over the past 60 years, NS PARTNERS has built a unique expertise in identifying and selecting the world's top investment managers and combining them to construct robust, high-performing portfolios. In parallel, the firm has developed a diversified range of traditional strategies with a strong and proven track record.

With a sophisticated and international client base, NS PARTNERS serves high-net-worth individuals, family offices, pension funds, asset managers, and corporations, all of whom share a common demand for superior absolute performance and highly personalised service.

Owned by its partners, NS PARTNERS is fiercely independent and free from any external influence that could compromise its impartiality. Its leadership team invests alongside clients, ensuring a full alignment of interests.

NS PARTNERS manages or administers approximately CHF 13 billion in assets across three highly complementary areas of activity:

- Wealth Management: discretionary and advisory portfolio management
- Asset Management: NS Funds and bespoke investment solutions
- Management Company: fund structuring and dedicated fund services

The firm employs more than 120 professionals across 7 offices worldwide: Geneva, Zurich, London, Luxembourg, Madrid, Milan, and Bermuda.

NS PARTNERS is authorised and regulated by FINMA as a manager of collective investment funds.