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## **Julie Becker appointed Deputy CEO of LuxSE**

**Luxembourg 20 December 2019:** The Board of Directors of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (LuxSE) has appointed **Julie Becker** as Deputy CEO of LuxSE. In this strategic position, Julie Becker will act as an alternate to Robert Scharfe – who has been at the helm of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange since 2012 – in expanding the exchange’s international footprint, further strengthening its role in sustainable finance, and leading the 90-year-old financial institution into a digital future.

“Julie Becker has brought a clear vision, new perspectives and drive to the exchange. Her contribution to the Luxembourg Stock Exchange over the past 6 years has been significant and I am confident that she will bring great value in the role as Deputy CEO,” commented Frank Wagener, Chairman of the Board of Directors of LuxSE.

### **Advocate for green**

Julie Becker joined the Luxembourg Stock Exchange in July 2013 and was appointed to the company’s Executive Committee in 2015. Her career in the financial sector in Luxembourg spans over two decades and includes positions at the Central Bank of Luxembourg and Dexia. Julie Becker is a strong advocate for sustainable finance and Founder of the Luxembourg Green Exchange (LGX), which was established in 2016 to promote the sustainable finance agenda and facilitate sustainable investment worldwide. Over the past three years, Julie Becker has represented LuxSE and LGX at expert forums, conferences, and meetings around the world. She is also the Chair of LuxCMA, a capital markets industry association established earlier this year.

### **Other nominations**

The Board of Directors has also appointed **Laurent Pulinckx** as a Member of the Executive Committee. Laurent Pulinckx is heading the exchange’s significant IT department, and is preparing the cloud migration of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange Group’s technical infrastructure.

As of 1 January 2020, the Executive Committee of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange will be composed of the following members: Robert Scharfe (CEO), Julie Becker

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(Deputy CEO), Pierre Schoonbroodt (Member), Bernard Simon (Member) and Laurent Pulinckx (Member).

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#### About the Luxembourg Stock Exchange

The Luxembourg Stock Exchange (LuxSE) is the gateway to access international investors. With more than 35,000 listed securities, including more than 29,000 bonds, from 3,000 issuers in 100 countries, LuxSE is one of the world's leading exchanges for the listing of international, financial securities and offers a unique and integrated service offering covering listing, trading and information services.

In 2016, LuxSE launched the Luxembourg Green Exchange (LGX) and became the first exchange in the world to operate a platform dedicated entirely to sustainable financial securities. LGX has become a meeting place for impact-conscious issuers and investors, and has a 50% market share of listed green, social and sustainability bonds worldwide.

LuxSE also operates a specialist subsidiary, Fundsquare, which provides services to support and standardise cross-border distribution of investment funds.

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