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EFG International: update on business performance

Integration process well on track for completion and positive developments in terms of net new assets and Assets under Management

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- Underlying net new assets of CHF 2.0 billion and overall net new assets turned positive for the period from July to end-October 2017
- Assets under Management increased to CHF 147.5 billion as of end-October, excluding the impact from the closing of the acquisition of UBI Banca International (Luxembourg) S.A. announced on 02 November 2017
- Continued significant progress on integration process; on track to complete platform migration before year-end

Since the announcement of the first-half 2017 results in July, EFG International continued to make significant progress in the integration process and is on track to complete the platform migration of the remaining former BSI businesses before year-end, concluding the overall integration process. At the same time, EFG International has witnessed a continuing positive trend in the growth of net new assets coupled with a marked deceleration in AuM attrition.

Underlying net new assets continued to follow a positive trend. For the period from July to end-October 2017, underlying net new assets increased to CHF 2.0 billion, which equals an annualised growth rate of 4.3%. At the same time, AuM attrition continued to decelerate. EFG recorded AuM attrition of CHF (1.5) billion, which is broadly in line with the guidance of CHF (2.0-3.0) billion of AuM attrition that was provided at the first-half 2017 results presentation. However, parts of the remaining expected outflows are expected to continue into 1Q18. Overall for the period from July to end-October, net new assets, including attrition, returned to positive with CHF 0.5 billion of inflows. Revenue-generating Assets under Management increased to CHF 147.5 billion as of end-October 2017, reflecting the positive net new asset performance as well as market and foreign exchange impacts. These figures exclude the EUR 2.4 billion of Assets under Management from the closing of the acquisition of UBI Banca International (Luxembourg) S.A. announced on 02 November 2017.

During the period from July to end-October, EFG International has achieved solid underlying profitability despite the ongoing integration process and seasonally weaker market activities. Revenue generation was largely in line with the first half of 2017 with some pressure on margins being compensated by a decrease in operating costs. EFG International continued to make significant progress on reducing the underlying cost base and achieving the targeted pre-tax cost synergies of CHF 50 million for 2017. The number of full-time employees decreased to 3,364 at end-October and the number of Client Relationship Officers (CROs) declined to 653 with 11 new CROs being hired in key selected markets during the period from July to end-October 2017, reflecting the ongoing integration process. As previously mentioned, a substantial portion of the targeted cost synergies of



CHF 240 million is expected to materialise once the integration process is completed by year-end and the combined bank is operating on a single IT core system.

EFG maintains Italian domestic presence

As announced on 14 November 2017, EFG International will maintain its Italian domestic presence following Banca d'Italia's notification to remove its restrictive order and to dismiss the administrative proceedings relating to the former BSI offices in Italy, as communicated in May 2017. With this decision, Banca d'Italia acknowledged the successful implementation of EFG's strict and effective compliance framework since the closing of the BSI acquisition in November 2016.

EFG will hence maintain its domestic presence in Milan and will continue to further expand its Italian domestic business, which constitutes an important strategic focus for the bank.

Publication of full-year 2017 results and Annual Report

EFG International will publish its full-year 2017 results and annual report on 28 February 2018.

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