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### **Karin Schmidt becomes Vice President Group Human Resources**

Pfäeffikon SZ, 28 Januar 2011 – Group Management has appointed Karin Schmidt (37) to the position of Vice President Group Human Resources. She succeeds Karin Bertschinger and will report directly to CEO André Maeder. She starts the job on Monday 14 March 2011.

Karin Schmidt worked for 17 years in various positions within the HR department at UBS, most recently as Senior HR Business Partner. She holds the federal personnel professional's diploma. We are very pleased to have appointed a human resources specialist of Karin Schmidt's calibre.

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