

News Release

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Roland Leuenberger takes over as Axpo chair from Thomas Sieber

Roland Leuenberger today takes over as Chair of the Board of Directors of Axpo Holding AG from Thomas Sieber. After 10 years at the Axpo Group helm, Sieber is handing over a strategically diversified company in excellent shape. Under experienced energy sector expert Roland Leuenberger's leadership, Axpo is well set for continued success.

In brief:

- After 10 successful years, Thomas Sieber today hands over the chair of Axpo's Board of Directors to Roland Leuenberger.
- Axpo is strategically well positioned and has a strong financial foundation for future growth.
- With Roland Leuenberger, an experienced expert in the energy sector will lead Axpo into the future.

Thomas Sieber: 10 years of successful leadership

Thomas Sieber has successfully steered Axpo through challenging times. The Axpo Group is now Switzerland's largest producer of electricity and an international pioneer in energy trading and the marketing of solar and wind power. Strategically, its broad diversification means the Group is strongly positioned to succeed in today's dynamic international energy markets.

During the past 10 years under his leadership, Axpo has tripled its equity and significantly increased liquidity. With investments of 4.8 billion Swiss francs – of which 2.6 billion was in Switzerland – Axpo has strengthened the Swiss energy infrastructure like no other company. At the same time, Axpo has paid more than 1 billion Swiss francs in dividends to the benefit of the cantons and their populations. In the last three financial years, Axpo recorded the best results in its history.

Commenting on these achievements, Thomas Sieber said: "Throughout this time, we have reliably contributed to Switzerland's energy supply and met around 40 per cent of the country's electricity demand annually. I am proud of that."



Roland Leuenberger: an experienced successor

Roland Leuenberger (58) served as CEO of Repower AG from 2019 until the end of May 2026, having previously been a member of the Board of Directors from 2016 to 2020. Prior to that, Roland Leuenberger worked as an entrepreneur and in leadership roles at the intersection of the energy and financial sectors, including as a founding partner of Fontavis AG (2011–2018) and EVU Partners AG (2010–2019) and as CEO of Co-Investor AG (2007–2008). His professional background lies in the financial management of large, internationally active organizations within the financial sector, most recently from 2004 to 2006 at UBS AG as Head of Finance & Controlling for Wealth Management International.

About Axpo

Axpo is driven by a single purpose – to enable a sustainable future through innovative energy solutions. Axpo is Switzerland's largest energy producer and an international leader in energy trading and the marketing of solar and wind power. Axpo combines the experience and expertise of about 7,500 employees who are driven by a passion for innovation, collaboration and impactful change. Using cutting-edge technologies, Axpo innovates to meet the evolving needs of its customers in more than 30 countries across Europe, North America and Asia.

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