

REYL & Cie Partner Nicolas Duchêne returns to Geneva after 6 years developing the Bank's Asian platform. Antoine Denaiffe is appointed as new CEO of REYL SINGAPORE

Geneva, 3 September 2018 - REYL & Cie partner Nicolas Duchêne moves back to the Bank's Geneva headquarters after successfully developing REYL's activities in Asia. Antoine Denaiffe replaces him as CEO of REYL SINGAPORE PTE. LTD.

A wealth planning and corporate finance specialist, Nicolas Duchêne began his career at Arthur Andersen in Luxembourg and Ferrier Lullin & Cie in Geneva. In 2004, he joined BNP Paribas where he headed the Asian tax advisory and wealth planning department. He joined REYL in 2009 and was put in charge of the Bank's Asian operations in 2012 prior to becoming a partner in 2015.

Nicolas Duchêne will join in Geneva his fellow partners François Reyl, Pasha Bakhtiar, Christian Fringhian and Lorenzo Rocco di Torrepadula. His function will entail broad transversal operational and business development responsibilities on a global basis alongside Dominique Paladini, Deputy CEO, with a direct reporting line to François Reyl.

Based in Singapore since 2012, Antoine Denaiffe is a corporate advisory and private equity entrepreneur with significant experience in the financial industry. He began his career as a banking & finance lawyer in 2002 CMS Francis Lefebvre prior to co-founding Finquest, a technology platform that connects mid-sized companies to growth capital and potential acquirers. He also co-founded Partanea, an M&A advisory firm which was later acquired by Bank Oddo BHF, and Performance Capital, an investment company with a focus on Asian venture capital. He joined REYL SINGAPORE in 2017.

François Reyl, Chief Executive Officer of REYL & Cie, comments: *"We are thrilled to welcome back Nicolas Duchêne after many years of excellent work building up our Asian platform. The concentration in Switzerland of young and talented senior professionals will allow us to increase considerably our management bandwidth, a key requirement as we tackle the continued implementation of our business strategy focused on the delivery of high-value added investment solutions to our institutional and private clients as well as the development of our digital capabilities."*

"Antoine Denaiffe will work to ensure the continued strengthening of the Bank's Asian activities in the areas of Wealth Management and Asset Management. With his appointment, we are able to maintain a strong leadership at REYL SINGAPORE, an affiliate which is ideally positioned to capitalize on the region's extraordinary growth potential and entrepreneurial drive."

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Developing an innovative approach to banking, the Group serves a clientele of international entrepreneurs and institutional investors through its *Wealth Management, Corporate & Family Governance, Corporate Advisory & Structuring, Asset Services* and *Asset Management* business lines.

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