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## Riku Lindström appointed Privanet Group Oyj's CEO

Privanet Group Oyj's Board of Directors has today appointed Riku Lindström as the CEO of the company. Lindström takes up his duties with immediate effect. Lindström has a Master's degree in Technology and he has previously worked, among others, in trading positions at Barclays Investment Bank and Nordea, and been responsible for Nordic Growth Market's operations in Finland.

Karri Salmi, who has been the CEO of the company for two years, has been relieved from his duties. At the same time, Salmi has been relieved from his duties as the acting CEO of Privanet Capital Markets Ltd and Privanet Securities Ltd that he has been since July 2019. Riku Lindström has today been appointed as the CEO of Privanet Capital Markets Ltd, and the Group CFO, M.Sc. (Econ.) Mikael Westerlund as the CEO of Privanet Securities Ltd.

Through Lindström's appointment, Privanet Group Oyj's Board of Directors believes that the company will become stronger and its focus will become clearer, as Lindström is strongly believed to take the company to the direction indicated by the Board of Directors together with the Board and the strengthened Management Team.

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## Privanet Group briefly

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