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Vontobel tops BILANZ private banking ratings for the third time in a row

Vontobel has been named 'Best Private Bank' in Switzerland by BILANZ for the third time in succession. Active wealth and asset manager Vontobel has thus once again earned recognition for its strength and for the consistently high quality of its services and advice, reflected in outstanding individual investment solutions for private clients.

The Bilanz private banking ratings, published annually, recognise Switzerland's best private banking providers. Winning first place is considered to be among the most prestigious awards in the industry. Investment proposals based on a real client case are short-listed by the Institut für Vermögensaufbau (Institute for Wealth Accumulation, IVA) in Munich using a set of criteria. The recommendations are then assessed by a specialist jury selected by Bilanz. There are four categories of ratings overall, and this year Vontobel once again came first in the 'Private Banks' category.

Georg Schubiger, Head of Vontobel Private Banking: "This latest award as 'Best Private Bank' demonstrates that we are in excellent shape with our positioning of Vontobel as the leading wealth and asset manager. It reaffirms the high quality of our services and our professionalism in wealth and asset management. We will continue to follow this path consistently and consolidate our leading position."

Jean-Pierre Stillhart, Head of Vontobel Private Banking Switzerland and Liechtenstein: "I am proud that we were able to fully convince the specialist jury with our integral, holistic approach in providing wealth and asset management, financial planning and financing solutions."

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Vontobel's mission is to protect and build the wealth our clients have entrusted to us over the long term. Specializing in active asset management and tailor-made investment solutions, we provide responsible and forward-looking advice. In doing so, we are committed to Swiss quality and performance standards. With their good name, our owner family has stood by these principles for generations. As of 31 December 2015, Vontobel held CHF 187 billion of client assets. Around 1,500 employees worldwide provide first-rate, customized services for clients with an international focus. The registered shares of Vontobel Holding AG are listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange. The Vontobel families and the Vontobel Foundation hold the majority of shares and votes in the company.

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