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Arnulf Komposch appointed to the Management Board of AvW Invest AG

As of 1 April 2009, Dr. Arnulf Komposch will join the Management Board of AvW Invest AG, which, in addition to Dr. Komposch, comprises Dr. Wolfgang Auer von Welsbach (Chairman) and Maria Auer von Welsbach. Dr. Komposch (53) has been a member of the Management Board of AvW Gruppe AG since March 2009 and has previously served as a member of AvW Invest AG's Supervisory Board. Further milestones in his career included the office of Director General for Consumer Protection within the Federal Ministry for Social Affairs and Consumer Protection and before this leading positions in the police force.

AvW Invest AG also plans to sell its 75% share in Bürger und Service (B&S) and to intensify its focus on the sectors of equity investments and real estate.

AvW INVEST AG (ISIN-Nummer: AT0000930409, Reuters: AVWI.VI , XETRA Vienna: AWS), which is domiciled in Krumpendorf at Lake Wörthersee, is active in two core business areas: equity investments and real estate. AvW's shares are listed on the Vienna Stock Exchange on the Standard Market Auction.