



Swiss Re appoints new Principal Officer for Singapore

Contact:

Corporate Communications, Asia
Hong Kong Telephone: +852-2582 3660

Group Media Relations, Zurich
Telephone +41 43 285 7171

Corporate Communications, New York
Telephone +1 212 317 5640

Swiss Reinsurance Company
Mythenquai 50/60
P.O. Box
CH-8022 Zurich

Telephone +41 43 285 2121
Fax +41 43 285 2999
www.swissre.com

Singapore (July 19, 2004) – Swiss Re today announced the appointment of Dr Reto Brosi as Principal Officer of the company’s Singapore Branch.

Mr John Lockyer, who has served as Principal Officer since 1999, is relinquishing the position on reaching retirement age.

Dr Brosi is currently General Manager of Swiss Re’s Property and Casualty business for South East Asia. Before his move to Singapore in early 2003, he led the casualty treaty underwriting team at the company’s Divisional Underwriting Office in Hong Kong, where he was responsible for strategy development, business planning, strategy execution, as well as for underwriting guidelines and senior level client contacts.

He joined Swiss Re in 1994 in the Asia-Pacific Planning & Development Department in Zurich, Switzerland, and moved to Hong Kong in 2000.

Mr Brosi received his PhD in 1993 from the University of Basel and Geneva.

Notes to editors

Photographs of Dr Brosi are available on request from asia@swissre.com, or by calling Swiss Re Corporate Communications, Asia, at +852-2582 3660.

Swiss Re

Swiss Re is one of the world’s leading reinsurers and the world’s largest life and health reinsurer. The company operates through more than 70 offices in over 30 countries. Swiss Re has been in the reinsurance business since its foundation in Zurich, Switzerland, in 1863. Through its three business groups Property & Casualty, Life & Health and Financial Services, Swiss Re offers a wide variety of products to manage capital and risk. Traditional reinsurance products, including a broad range of property and casualty as well as life and health covers and related services, are complemented by insurance-based corporate finance solutions and supplementary services for comprehensive risk management. Swiss Re is rated “AA” by Standard & Poor’s, “Aa2” by Moody’s and “A+” by A.M. Best.