

Euler Hermes appoints Rafał Hiszpański chairman of
Euler Hermes Services Polska

PARIS – 14 NOVEMBER 2012 – Euler Hermes has appointed Rafał Hiszpański chairman of the management board of its Polish entity Euler Hermes Services Polska Sp. z o.o. effective November 1st, 2012. The Group has also entrusted Hiszpański with the management responsibilities for its [Polish subsidiary](#) Towarzystwo Ubezpieczeń Euler Hermes S.A. Pending regulatory approval of the Polish Financial Regulator, he will also become chairman of the company's management board.

Hiszpański joins [Euler Hermes](#) from WARTA Group. At WARTA he initially created and managed the debt collection and commercial service departments. He then led the back office integration project at KBC Polska Group and headed the administration departments at Kredyt Bank S.A. and WARTA Group companies. At the same time, he was president of the management board of Warta Nieruchomości Sp. z o.o. Most recently, he held the position of managing director at TUiR Warta S.A., in charge of insurance sales for private and corporate clients, including a sales network of external partners.

Rafał Hiszpański holds degrees in Law from the University of Warsaw and in Management from Warsaw School of Economics.

Euler Hermes has provided trade credit insurance products and services in Poland since 1998 and today employs 211 people in offices in Warsaw, Poznan, Katowice, Gdynia and Wrocław.

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Euler Hermes has developed a credit intelligence network that enables it to analyze the financial stability of 40+ million businesses across the globe. The Group insured worldwide business transactions totaling € 702 billion exposure end of December 2011.

Euler Hermes, a subsidiary of Allianz, is listed on NYSE Euronext Paris (ELE.PA) and is rated AA- by Standard & Poor's.

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