



COMPAGNIE GENERALE DE GEOPHYSIQUE

New Group Management Organization

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Compagnie Générale de Géophysique (ISIN : FR0000120164 ; NYSE :GGY) announced today the following appointments:

- Thierry LE ROUX is appointed Group President and Chief Financial Officer. He will also be appointed Sercel's Chairman of the Board.
- Christophe PETTENATI-AUZIÈRE is appointed President Geophysical Services. He will also be in charge of the group's business development.
- Michel PONTIUS is appointed Senior Executive Vice President Legal Affairs & Human Resources and Secretary General.
- Gérard CHAMBOVET continues as Senior Executive Vice President Technology, Planning & Control and Communication.

T. Le Roux, C. Pettenati-Auzière, M. Pontius and G. Chambovet are members of the Executive Committee chaired by Robert Brunck Chairman & CEO.

- Pascal ROUILLER is appointed Chief Executive Officer of Sercel.
- Stéphane-Paul FRYDMAN is appointed Group Controller, Treasurer and Deputy CFO.

The Compagnie Générale de Géophysique group is a global participant in the oilfield services industry, providing a wide range of seismic data acquisition, processing and geoscience services and software to clients in the oil and gas exploration and production business. It is also a global manufacturer of geophysical equipment through its subsidiary Sercel.

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