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Management changes at Handelsbanken

Göran Stille has been appointed Head of Handelsbanken's regional bank in Southern Sweden and has also been appointed Executive Vice President of the Bank. He has been a member of the Bank's Group management since 2007 and is currently Head of Handelsbanken's regional bank in Central Great Britain.

Göran Stille succeeds **Anders Ohlner** who will become chairman of the board of the Forestry and Farming business area.

Nick Lowe has been appointed Head of Handelsbanken's regional bank in Central Great Britain. He will also be a member of Handelsbanken's Group management. Nick Lowe is currently regional area manager at Handelsbanken's regional bank in South West Great Britain.

Göran Stille, Anders Ohlner and Nick Lowe take up their new positions on 1 June.

As of today, **Luciana Pacor Hygrell** is a member of Handelsbanken's Group management. She is already Head of Handelsbanken's Central Compliance.

As of today, **Maria Hedin** is a member of Handelsbanken's Group management. She is already Head of Handelsbanken's Independent Risk Control.

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