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## OUTOKUMPU – JAN HOFMANN APPOINTED PRESIDENT, APAC AND MEMBER OF THE OUTOKUMPU LEADERSHIP TEAM

Jan Hofmann has been appointed President of the APAC business area and member of the Outokumpu Leadership Team effective immediately. Jan Hofmann has been the interim head of the business area APAC since April 1, 2015. Prior to his current position he has held key positions in the company, such as the head of strategy and finance for APAC, and the head of strategy at Outokumpu. He will report to Outokumpu CEO Mika Seitovirta.

Says Seitovirta: "Jan has taken a firm lead on the APAC business area, bringing to the position his extensive industry experience and a sharp strategic focus. I warmly welcome him to the Outokumpu Leadership Team and wish him the best of success."

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