

## PRESS RELEASE

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### **VIG Re confirms Viktor Faucret as Managing Director of VIG Re France and Head of Western Europe for the Treaty Non-Life business unit**

**VIG Re today announced the confirmation of Viktor Faucret as Managing Director of VIG Re France and Head of the Treaty Non-Life to lead the company's Western European business unit. This appointment underscores VIG Re's commitment to strengthening its senior management team and deepen its presence in key markets.**

Viktor Faucret joined VIG Re in October 2017, playing a key role in the launch of its Paris operations. He actively contributed to the development of the Treaty Non-Life portfolio and more specifically by leading our underwriting team for France & BeNeLux. His dedication over the past seven years has been pivotal in building the VIG Re brand in the region and this appointment to the role of Managing Director is a clear recognition of this achievement. As Head of Western European business unit, he will be driving further developments in France, BeNeLux, Iberia and the Maghreb region.

*"Viktor is a proven leader with a deep understanding of the Western European markets," commented Stephan Wirz, Chief Business Officer, and Member of the Board of Management. "He comprehends our clients' needs and has built trusted relationships based on mutual respect and understanding. This appointment will ensure that we continue to provide our customers with the highest level of service and support".*

*Viktor Faucret added: "I feel honoured to step in this role fully and to continue building the VIG Re brand further in the region. We are extremely proud of the foundation laid since we have established our activity, and we see a clear potential to provide deeper support to our clients by staying consistent to our original offer: a trusted partner with long-term and across the board vision. On the personal side, I have grown a lot with this company, and I feel extremely grateful that VIG Re provided me with the opportunity to lead such a talented team of people. The Board of Management is counting on Western Europe to contribute significantly to the growth of the company, and we plan on delivering this ambition with an even more client-centric organization."*

Under Mr. Faucret's leadership, clients of VIG Re France can expect continuity in high quality service and expertise, along with an even stronger focus on their success. The company looks forward to deepening its partnerships and further contributing to the growth of its clients' businesses in the Western European markets.

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### Viktor Faucret



Viktor is a senior reinsurance professional specialized in Treaty Non-Life underwriting, with a background in Property Facultative. He currently serves as Managing Director of VIG Re France and Head of Western Europe for the Treaty Non-Life business unit (France, BeNeLux, Iberia, and Maghreb). Since joining VIG Re in 2017 as a Treaty Underwriter, his career has progressed through roles of Senior Underwriter and Underwriting Manager for France and BeNeLux, culminating in his current leadership position. Prior to VIG Re, Viktor gained valuable experience at Gen Re as a facultative underwriter and therefore shows a strong focus in bringing the right solutions to clients' underlying exposure.

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### About VIG Re

VIG Re is a European reinsurer with a growing presence in Asia. As the reinsurance company of Vienna Insurance Group, VIG Re is headquartered in Prague (Czech Republic) with offices in Munich (Germany) and in Paris (France). Established in 2008, the Company has maintained a strong financial profile, earning an "A+" FSR rating from Standard & Poor's with a stable outlook since 2009.

VIG Re is offering a broad spectrum of treaty and facultative reinsurance solutions in Property & Casualty as well as Life & Health and manages the outward reinsurance programs of the VIG Group. In 2024, the company serviced over 670 insurance companies in 63 countries.

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