

## Change in ORIOR AG's Executive Committee

# The Board of Directors of ORIOR AG has named Andreas Lindner the new CFO and a member of the Executive Committee of the ORIOR Group.

Andreas Lindner (1965) is Swiss and currently serves as CFO and a member of the Executive Board of the Ricola Group in Laufen (Basel). Andreas Lindner holds a degree in economics from the University of Basel and began his professional career at the pharmaceuticals company Roche, where he held various finance-related positions in Basel, Buenos Aires and Montevideo. Before joining Ricola in 2008, he had previously also served as CFO of Mövenpick Fine Foods Division and as CFO of AO Foundation / Synthes Technology AG. His thorough and sound financial knowledge, his strategic skills and many years of experience as CFO of internationally operating Swiss companies with long and rich tradition are quite exceptional.

Andreas Lindner will assume the CFO position of ORIOR in October 2019. Until then, Bernhard Pfulg will continue to lead ORIOR Group's finances on an ad interim basis.

The Board of Directors and the Executive Committee thank Bernhard Pfulg for his strong dedication and for the continuity and high level of professionalism that have distinguished his ad interim leadership of the Group's finance department. At the same time, the ORIOR team is pleased to have found in Andreas Lindner a strong personality with a proven track record for this demanding position.

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#### **Investor Calendar**

11 April 2019: Annual General Meeting ORIOR AG19 August 2019: publication half year results and half year report 2019

### **ORIOR – Excellence in Food**

ORIOR is an internationally active Swiss food and beverage group that combines craftsmanship with a pioneering spirit and thrives on entrepreneurship and strong values. The delightful world of ORIOR consists of well-established companies and brands with leadership positions in growing niche markets in Switzerland and abroad.

ORIOR's goal is to steadily create value for all stakeholders. Market intimacy, strong partnerships, and a lean, agile group structure and the intradisciplinary ORIOR Champion Model provide the framework from which ORIOR is shaping and driving the market landscape with innovative products, concepts and services. Motivated employees who take pride in their work and who assume responsibility for themselves and for what they do are the key for creating the extraordinary.

We are striving for uniqueness and offer best quality in order to surprise our consumers time and again with enjoyable food moments. Our ambition is nothing less than **Excellence in Food.** 

In the 2018 financial year ORIOR Group achieved sales of CHF 576.7 million with approximately 1630 employees. ORIOR is listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange (ORON, ISIN CH011 1677 362, LEI 5067 0020 I84Z A17K 9522). Further information is available at <u>www.orior.ch</u>.