

## **Adecco appoints François-Xavier Quilici as Group Chief Information Officer**

**Zurich, Switzerland, January 8, 2007** : Adecco, the world leader in human resource (HR) services, today announced the appointment of François-Xavier Quilici as the Group's new Chief Information Officer (CIO).

In this role, François-Xavier Quilici (44) will be responsible for Adecco's global information technology (IT) strategy and operations with immediate effect. He joins the Executive Committee of the Adecco Group and will report directly to the Group's Chief Executive Officer, Dieter Scheiff.

"François-Xavier will be instrumental in further developing our global IT strategy and in shaping our future IT organisation, ensuring alignment with our business model. He brings a wealth of experience to this role and I am very pleased that he is joining us", Dieter Scheiff said.

François-Xavier started his career as an IT consultant in France. He then spent 14 years occupying CIO roles in the AXA Group in Italy, France and Spain. Prior to being appointed to his new role at Adecco, François-Xavier was Group CIO of AXA UK & Ireland.

François-Xavier takes over the CIO office from Jean-Manuel Bullukian, who has served as interim CIO alongside his dual responsibility for two Adecco Business Lines (IT and Engineering & Technical). Jean-Manuel will focus on his global responsibility for the two Business Lines.

### **About Adecco**

Adecco Group is the world market leader in Human Resource services with sales of EUR 18.3 billion in 2005. The Adecco network connects over 700,000 associates with business clients each day through its network of 33,000 employees and 6,600 offices in over 70 countries and territories around the world. Headquartered in Switzerland, and managed by a multinational team with expertise in markets spanning the globe, Adecco delivers an unparalleled range of flexible staffing solutions to corporate clients and qualified associates.

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