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Press release

**Crédit Agricole CIB appoints Matthieu Lance as
Deputy Global Head of Mergers and Acquisitions**

Matthieu Lance has been appointed Deputy Global Head of Mergers and Acquisitions the 1st of December. Based in Paris, he reports to Bertrand Peyrelongue, Global Head of Mergers and Acquisitions.

Matthieu Lance has nearly 20 years experience in Mergers and Acquisitions and worked with many large clients of the EMEA region (particularly large corporates and capital investment companies), which he advised in various large transactions.

Before joining Credit Agricole CIB he was Managing Director Corporate Finance at BNP Paribas, successively in charge of the Chemical, Aerospace, Defense and Automobile sectors (2007-2012), then in Mergers and Acquisitions (2012-2016). Before that he spent 9 years with Lazard where he advised large industrial clients. He started his career with the CCF in 1994 as a financial engineer in structured finance.

Matthieu Lance graduated from Ecole Centrale Paris. He is 47 years old.

“2016 was a very good year for our investment banking activities, especially in Mergers and Acquisitions where we were very active, Credit Agricole CIB acting as sole adviser in many transactions. 2017 should follow the same trend. In this context, I am very pleased that Matthieu is joining us to strengthen our senior capacity in originating and executing complex transactions, with Bertrand Peyrelongue, Global Head of Mergers and Acquisitions”, explains Hélène Combe-Guillemet, Global Head of Investment Banking.

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