



DOTTIKON ES Appoints New CFO

Dottikon, Switzerland, May 11, 2006 – DOTTIKON ES Group appoints Marlene Born as new CFO. Marlene Born was Controller within DOTTIKON EXCLUSIVE SYNTHESIS AG since June 2005. The Diplomate Expert in Accounting and Controlling (Eidg. Dipl. Expertin für Rechnungslegung und Controlling) collected long-term experience as Head of Accounting for one of the leading Swiss logistic companies. Before that she acted as an accountant in different companies for several years.

DOTTIKON ES, with its production site in Dottikon (Aargau, Switzerland), specializes on hazardous chemical reactions and focuses on the exclusive synthesis of fine chemicals for the pharmaceutical and chemical industry worldwide. The product range of DOTTIKON ES includes active pharmaceutical ingredients (APIs) and pharmaceutical intermediates as well as in-house-developed, high-value industrial chemicals.

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