



BANK GUTENBERG

## Bank Gutenberg AG opens its doors today

**1<sup>st</sup> October 2010: Bank Gutenberg AG, a private bank with seat in Zurich-Enge, commences business operations on schedule. The bank provides financial services for national and international clients, external asset managers as well as institutional clients.**

Bank Gutenberg AG starts business operations on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2010 as a new private bank at its seat in Zurich. On September 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority (FINMA) granted Bank Gutenberg AG permission to carry out banking activities in addition to the previously approved securities dealer's licence.

The bank is mainly active as a custodian bank for independent asset managers. However, it will also provide banking services for wealthy domestic and foreign private clients as well as for small and medium-sized institutional clients.

Further to the account and custody account management, its range of services includes proactive investment advisory for private clients, comprehensive support of external asset managers and institutional clients, securities, foreign exchange and money market trading as well as the provision of financial solutions. Additionally, Bank Gutenberg's clients will benefit from the existing global network of external specialists who offer solutions in the fields of asset management, financial and tax planning as well as financing.

Bank Gutenberg AG's premises are located at Gutenbergstrasse 10 in Zurich in the direct vicinity of Bahnhof Enge. The Executive Board consists of Michael Widmer, CEO, Marcel A. Wäspi, Head Private Banking & Trading and Carlo Balmelli, Head Operations. The Board of Directors is made up of Alfons Niedhart (Chairman of the Board), Wolfgang Werlé (Vice-Chairman of the Board), Heinz Barmettler, Marco Bianchi, Herbert Boss and Erwin Koller.

You will find additional information on Bank Gutenberg AG under: [www.bankgutenberg.ch](http://www.bankgutenberg.ch).

### **Bank Gutenberg AG**

Bank Gutenberg AG is a 100% subsidiary of Cat Group AG whose company history spans more than 20 years. The Group is active in the fields of asset management, funds and banking services. Cat Group was founded in 1988 and presently has more than 60 employees. Its head office is in Zurich. Cat Group AG's shares are listed on the Berne Stock Exchange under the symbol CAF. The Group falls under the consolidated supervision of the FINMA and undergoes regular controls by internal and external auditors.

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