



Partnership with KPMG Switzerland

KPMG Switzerland and SWIPRA Services join forces to provide ESG services and solutions for Swiss clients

Zurich, 2nd June 2022 –KPMG Switzerland and SWIPRA Services are delighted to announce a partnership in the field of ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance). By joining forces and combining our longstanding, complementary expertise, we can provide clients with a comprehensive range of services to address strategic challenges, stakeholder requests, shareholder expectations, and the fast-paced regulatory developments concerning ESG. It is our overarching goal to support clients in their strategy and reporting processes and help them build a resilient, long-term business contributing to social welfare and a more sustainable environment. Our portfolio of services includes:

- Corporate Governance: We support companies and their boards of directors in driving the strategic integration of environmental and social factors through workshops, training, and board assessments and help enhance overall governance structures, board organizations, and nonfinancial processes.
- AGM Preparations, Stakeholder Expectations & Engagements: Boards of Directors are increasingly exposed to questions and criticism related to ESG. We support you in your communication and engagement efforts to address your key stakeholders' expectations, cope with ESG activism from proxy advisors and institutional shareholders and help you prepare your AGM.
- **Strategic ESG Integration**: Together with our clients, we define material ESG factors, derive key business processes and help with relevant strategic decisions such as capital allocation, compensation, and incentives as well as related corporate reporting and communication.
- **Risk Management & Assurance**: We help address diverse aspects related to strategic ESG factors in your risk management framework and provide respective assurance services.

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About SWIPRA Services

SWIPRA Services provides corporate governance and corporate social responsibility services for listed companies and their boards of directors. We provide our clients with hands-on advice that takes into consideration relevant stakeholder opinions with aim of increasing the value of the company in the long term, based on principles of value-based management and empirically relevant criteria.

SWIPRA Services is working with a high-profile <u>Think Tank</u> to further develop corporate governance and CSR in Switzerland. <u>www.swipra.ch</u>

About KPMG Switzerland

With over 2,100 employees at 10 locations in Switzerland and one location in Liechtenstein, KPMG Switzerland is a leading service provider in the areas of Audit, Tax & Legal and Advisory. Our clients benefit from our tailored solutions and our strategic alliances with technology partners that support our audit and non-audit services alike. In the 2021 financial year, KPMG Switzerland generated net sales of CHF 439.2 million. On an international level, we operate in 145 countries and territories and have more than 236,000 people working in member firms around the world. www.kpmg.ch/esg