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### **Tikehau Capital strengthens its Italian team and appoints Andrea Potsios as Senior Advisor**

**Milan, December 13, 2016 – Tikehau Capital, a pan-European diversified asset management and investment firm active across the capital structure, has announced today the appointment of Andrea Potsios as Senior Advisor to reinforce the company's Italian team's expertise. In his role Andrea Potsios will further accelerate the distribution of Tikehau Capital's products in Italy. Based in Milan where Tikehau Capital opened its Italian office in 2015, he will work alongside Ignazio Rocco di Torrepadula, Senior advisor, and Luca Bucelli, head of Tikehau Capital in Italy.**

Andrea Potsios (52), brings 27 years of experience in the field of investment banking and capital markets as he held a number of senior roles in global institutions. Most recently Andrea spent seven years at Nomura International as Vice Chairman of the Global Markets Division, and nine years at Lehman Brothers International, where he was Managing Director and Head of the Fixed Income Division (both in London and Milan). He was Chairman of Lehman Brothers Forex Italy and a member of both the European Management and the Italian Executive Committees.

From 1996 to 2000, he served as Senior Vice President of Barclays Capital's Southern European Team in London, and as Vice President of Merrill Lynch International's Client Strategy Group in London between 1995 and 1996.

Andrea started his career in 1989 as a Consultant and Statutory Auditor at Cooper & Lybrand (PWC) in Rome, before moving into investment banking by joining Banque Bruxelles Lambert in both Milan and New York.

Andrea Potsios graduated from Università La Sapienza in Rome with a degree in Economics.

#### **About Tikehau Capital:**

Tikehau Capital manages €9.9 billion (as of 31 October 2016) for institutional and private investors in various asset classes (listed and private equity, credit, private debt, special situations and real estate), through its asset management subsidiary, Tikehau IM, its listed minority equity investment company, Salvepar, and its long term investment company, Tikehau Capital Partners.

Majority-held by its managers alongside first-tier institutional partners, Tikehau Capital has more than 170 employees in offices in Paris, Brussels, London, Milan and Singapore.

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