

## PRESS RELEASE

### **Appointment of Managing Director of Tradegate BSX**

The Stock Exchange Council of Tradegate Berlin Stock Exchange has appointed Mr Eric Viohl to the management board of the stock exchange for a term of four years, effective 1<sup>st</sup> February 2026. He will thus strengthen the management board, which has consisted of Simone Kahnt-Eckner and Friederike von Hofe since the merger of Tradegate Exchange and Börse Berlin.

Accordingly, Mr Viohl was also appointed CEO of the operating company Tradegate Exchange GmbH by the shareholders with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> February 2026.

Mr Viohl has many years of experience in the financial sector and has spent the last three years as managing director of Crypto Finance Deutschland, a BaFin-regulated subsidiary of Deutsche Börse AG. Prior to that, he spent almost ten years in various roles in the cash market at Deutsche Börse, where his responsibilities included product development and digital business models.

### **About Tradegate Berlin Stock Exchange**

Tradegate Berlin Stock Exchange is a securities exchange specializing in the execution of private investor orders. Trading participants from several European countries are currently connected to the exchange. Well over 20,000 securities (stocks, bonds, ETPs, investment funds, and certificates) can be traded from 7.30 a.m. to 10 p.m. Orders are usually executed in full. The advantages for private investors: no transaction fees and free access to real-time stock market prices and various indices – also via app. The Tradegate Berlin Stock Exchange is a regulated market within the meaning of MiFID.

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