Jost Backhaus appointed as new Chairman of the Management Board at JUWI

Jost Backhaus (52) will become Chairman of the Management Board at JUWI GmbH as of 1 October 2025. In his role as CEO, he will in future be responsible for Finance, as well as for Personnel, Legal, Strategy and Portfolio Management. He will succeed Carsten Bovenschen, who left the company due to personal reasons at the end of 31 May 2025. Together with Christian Arnold and Stephan Hansen, Jost Backhaus will complete the company's three-member management team.

A qualified industrial engineer, Jost Backhaus has already worked in the renewable energies industry for more than 26 years, most recently since 2023 as Managing Director of Steelwind GmbH, a manufacturer of foundations for offshore wind turbines based in Nordenham, Lower Saxony. Prior to that, he managed operations as a member of the Management Board at Enercon GmbH, a producer of onshore wind turbines with international activities. Jost Backhaus has previously held additional management positions at companies in the wind power industry.

Comments Dr. Hansjörg Roll, Chairman of the Shareholders' Meeting of JUWI: "With Jost Backhaus, we can welcome an experienced expert in the renewable energies industry. Drawing on his extensive management experience in both national and international arenas, he will play a key role in guiding JUWI's successful further development in future as well. At the same time, we would like to thank Christian Arnold and Stephan Hansen, who will continue to manage the relevant areas of responsibility within the management in close consultation with us until Jost Backhaus takes up his position."

Adds Jost Backhaus: "JUWI is one of the leading companies in the renewable energies industry. I very much look forward to working together with the JUWI team to further expand its project development and services business and thus play an active role in helping shape the energy transition both in Germany and abroad."