

ThomasLloyd Group Joins Swiss Sustainable Finance

Zurich, 19 August 2021 – ThomasLloyd, one of the world’s leading specialist impact investors and providers of climate financing, today announces it has become a member of Swiss Sustainable Finance (SSF), the Swiss association working to foster financial practices that drive economic growth while benefitting society at large. Founded in 2014, the SSF association has over 180 members and network partners that include institutional investors, financial-services providers, universities and other organisations.

Sustainability has been at the heart of ThomasLloyd’s philosophy and strategy since their inception. By adopting a ‘triple return’ approach, the firm has established a long-track record of looking beyond risk and return but also generating a positive long-lasting impact at a social, environmental, and financial level through their investments.

Since 2013, the ThomasLloyd has been measuring and reporting on the impact of their investments, creating an empirical database showing their positive impact in high growth and emerging markets in Asia. This database captures metrics including direct job creation, CO2 saved, and broader benefits of increased access to clean energy for local communities in terms of education, productivity, and socio-economic development.

ThomasLloyd is a signatory to the UN-supported Principles for Responsible Investments (UN PRI) and supports various initiatives for sustainable investment such as the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), United Nations Global Compact, the Global Impact Investment Network (GIIN), and the Climate-Related Financial Disclosures Task Force (TCFD).

Michael Sieg, Chief Executive Officer of ThomasLloyd Group commented: *“We are delighted to become a member of Swiss Sustainable Finance. ESG and sustainable investments have grown at an unprecedented pace in recent years as investors and society at large become increasingly aware of the risks climate change poses. Investment managers approach to capital allocation will be critical to tackling climate change, fostering economic progress and helping to improve the lives of people in cities and rural areas. Organisations like SSF play an essential role in bringing together industry participants and provide a platform for them to share best practice and find solutions to a global problem that affects us all, now and in the future. We very much look forward to contributing to advancing the sustainability agenda and drive positive change together with SFF and other members.”*

In alignment with the long-term views of investors, earlier this year ThomasLloyd confirmed the 100% alignment of its current and future product portfolio with Article 9 of the EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR), showcasing its commitment to promoting genuine impact while ensuring financial returns.

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About ThomasLloyd Group

ThomasLloyd is a global investment and advisory firm dedicated to leading the necessary process for social and environmental change, focusing exclusively on the financing, construction, and operation of sustainable projects in the infrastructure, agriculture, and property sectors. The range of services comprises products and services through the entire value chain of these sectors. In addition to the structuring, placement, and management of impact investing solutions, they include consulting and financing of projects and companies, as well as digital financial services, particularly in investment brokerage, investment advisory and asset management.

Founded in 2003 and headquartered in Zurich, ThomasLloyd is one of the world's leading impact investors and providers of climate financing. ThomasLloyd is a signatory to the United Nations-supported Principles of Responsible Investment. As of 31 March 2021, ThomasLloyd was managing USD 1.5 billion of capital in sustainable infrastructure. Further information can be found at: <http://www.thomas-lloyd.com>

About Swiss Sustainable Finance

The mission of Swiss Sustainable Finance (SSF) is to strengthen Switzerland's position as a leading voice and actor in sustainable finance, thereby contributing to a sustainable and prosperous economy. The association, founded in 2014, has representation in Zurich, Geneva and Lugano. Currently SSF unites around 180 members and network partners from financial service providers, investors, universities and business schools, public sector entities and other interested organisations. Through research, capacity-building and the development of practical tools and supportive frameworks, SSF fosters the integration of sustainability factors into all financial services. An overview of Swiss Sustainable Finance's current members and network partners can be found [here](#).

SSF [publishes advice and guides regularly](#) and an annual sustainable finance market study, most recently the [Swiss Sustainable Market Study 2021](#).