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## Thomas Schledorn follows Alessandro Cacciola as member of the Executive Board of the Andreas Schmid Group

Gersthofen, 8 October 2025. After seven successful years at the helm of the Andreas Schmid Group, Alessandro Cacciola decided to leave the Executive Board of the Andreas Schmid Group due to personal reasons in 2026 to pursue new professional goals. He will subsequently join the Supervisory Board of the Andreas Schmid Group for a transitional period, allowing him to continue contributing his broad expertise and experience to the company's further development.

Since 2019, Alessandro Cacciola has left a lasting mark on the company: with strategic clarity, entrepreneurial vision, and a strong focus on sustainable growth, he has driven the national and international development of the Andreas Schmid Group. His tenure as CEO stands for progress, stability, and successful transformation.

The Andreas Schmid Group is pleased to welcome Thomas Schledorn as a new member of its Executive Board. Effective January 12, 2026, he will assume operational responsibility within the company.

The 38-year-old logistics expert brings extensive international experience from various leadership positions. After holding roles at DB Schenker – beside others with the responsibility for business development and strategic account development for European road transportation – Thomas Schledorn most recently served as Chief Operating Officer (COO) at Cargo-Partner, where he managed the integration into the Nippon Express Group and the further development of European land transport operations.

With his strategic foresight, operational strength, and passion for modern logistics solutions, Thomas Schledorn will play a key role in shaping the future direction of the Andreas Schmid Group.



"By appointing Thomas Schledorn, we are gaining an experienced and inspiring leader who will enrich our growth strategy with new impulses and an international perspective. We are very much looking forward to working with him," said Alfred Kolb, Chairman of the Supervisory Board of the Andreas Schmid Group.

From 2026, the Executive Board – consisting of Thomas Schledorn (Operations), Dr. Claudia Ambrosy (Finance), and Dr. Matthias Marquart (Digitalization and Sustainability) – will continue to build on the company's success.

With this new structure, the Andreas Schmid Group is ideally positioned to continue its growth trajectory and actively shape the future of logistics.

The Andreas Schmid Group sincerely thanks Alessandro Cacciola for his exceptional performance and unwavering commitment.



Caption: Thomas Schledorn is the new member of the Executive Board of the Andreas Schmid Group

## **About Andreas Schmid Group**

The Andreas Schmid Group is a leading expert for customised logistics solutions in Germany and abroad. Since 1928, the family-owned company from Gersthofen near Augsburg has focused on the sustainable success of its customers and is today considered a pioneer for the logistics of tomorrow. With 1,600 employees, the Andreas Schmid Group operates 260,000 m² of logistics space at over 30 locations in Germany, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Romania and Slovakia. With its own Innovation Lab, a creative agency and a personnel service provider, the Group's portfolio goes far beyond classic transport and logistics services – in line with the motto #logisticsbeyond.

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