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**EUTELSAT COMMUNICATIONS APPOINTS CATHERINE GUILLOUARD
AS CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND
MEMBER OF THE GROUP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

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Eutelsat Communications (Euronext Paris: ETL) today announced the arrival of Catherine Guillouard as Chief Financial Officer and member of the Group Executive Committee. Catherine Guillouard joins Eutelsat from the Air France Group where she occupied the function of Senior Vice-President, Finance.

Catherine Guillouard graduated from the Paris Institute of Political Sciences and the French National School of Administration (*Ecole Nationale d'Administration*), 1991-1993 Gambetta promotion, and holds a postgraduate diploma (DESS) in European Union Law. She began her career in 1993 at the Treasury Department of the Ministry of Finance, where she was Deputy Director of the CFA Zone in Africa and then the Banking Affairs Department. Catherine Guillouard joined Air France in 1997 as Senior Project Manager for the Employee Share Offering at the time of the Air France IPO in 1999. She was subsequently appointed Deputy Vice President Corporate Control in 1999, Vice President Flight Operations in 2001, Vice President Human Resources and Change Management in 2003. In January 2005 she was nominated Senior Vice President Finance at Air France.

Catherine Guillouard is a French national and is aged 42 years.

About Eutelsat Communications

Eutelsat Communications (Euronext Paris: ETL, ISIN code: FR0010221234) is the holding company of Eutelsat S.A.. With capacity commercialised on 24 satellites that provide coverage over the entire European continent, as well as the Middle East, Africa, India and significant parts of Asia and the Americas, Eutelsat is one of the world's three leading satellite operators in terms of revenues. At 30 June 2007, Eutelsat's satellites were broadcasting over 2,600 television channels and 1,100 radio stations. More than 1,000 channels broadcast via its HOT BIRD™ video neighbourhood at 13 degrees East which serves over 120 million cable and satellite homes in Europe, the Middle East and North Africa. The Group's satellites also serve a wide range of fixed and mobile telecommunications services, TV contribution markets, corporate networks, and broadband markets for Internet Service Providers and for transport, maritime and in-flight markets. Eutelsat's broadband subsidiary, Skylogic, markets and operates services through teleports in France and Italy that serve enterprises, local communities, government agencies and aid organisations in Europe, Africa, Asia and the Americas. Headquartered in Paris, Eutelsat and its subsidiaries employ 529 commercial, technical and operational experts from 27 countries. www.eutelsat.com

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