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## Jürgen Rauch proposed as an additional member of the Board of Directors

Altstaetten, February 18, 2016 – COLTENE Holding AG (SIX Swiss Exchange: CLTN), an internationally leading developer and producer of dental consumables, announced today that the Board of Directors will propose enlarging the Board of Directors by electing Jürgen Rauch as an additional director at the AGM on March 30, 2016. Jürgen Rauch is the CEO of Rauch Fruchtsäfte GmbH & Co OG, head-quartered in Rankweil, Austria, and a representative of the Rauch family, which holds more than 10% of the share capital of COLTENE Holding AG via Rätikon Privatstiftung.

Nick Huber, Chairman of COLTENE Holding AG: "We are delighted to propose the election of Jürgen Rauch to the General Meeting given his engaging personality and proven expertise in the field of production and distribution of consumer products. By leading an internationally positioned company, Jürgen Rauch has gained valuable strategic experience in the analysis of markets and in the development and implementation of business processes and thus will ideally complement the board."

Mag. Jürgen Rauch (born in 1967, Austrian citizen) holds a degree in Social and Economic Sciences from the Leopold Franzens University of Innsbruck.

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