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On behalf of the Chairman, Mr. Georg C. Umbricht, we are very pleased to invite you, your colleagues and friends to a presentation by **Marie-Gabrielle Ineichen-Fleisch**, State Secretary.



Date: Wednesday, February 15, 2017

Time: 11.45h Registration
12:00h Speech and discussion, followed by "flying lunch"
14:00h End of the Event

Venue: Zunfthaus zur Meisen, Münsterhof 20, 8001 Zürich

State Secretary Marie-Gabrielle Ineichen-Fleisch (*1961), Attorney, MBA is a SECO Director and has been Director of the Foreign Economic Affairs Directorate since 1 April 2011. From 2007 she has been Federal Council Ambassador and Delegate for Trade Agreements, Switzerland's chief negotiator at the World Trade Organisation (WTO). In addition to the WTO responsible for the OECD and free trade agreements as head of the World Trade Division in the Foreign Economic Affairs Directorate. Previously, from 1999 to 2007, head of the WTO sector. From 1995 head of section in the WTO section of the Federal Office of Foreign Economic Affairs FOFEA. 1992/1993 she worked at the World Bank (Washington D.C., USA) as assistant to Switzerland's Executive Directors. From 1990 to 1995 scientific adviser in the Legal Service and International Investment and Technology Transfer Service in the FOFEA. 1989 gained her MBA from INSEAD (Fontainebleau, F). 1988 Junior Consultant at McKinsey in Zurich. 1987 gained her law degree at the University of Berne qualifying as an attorney.

We are looking forward to personally welcoming you to this interesting discussion at Zunfthaus zur Meisen in Zurich.

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