



Appointment of new Managing Director at AIB Investment Managers Ltd.

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AIB Investment Managers Ltd. today announced the appointment of Dr. Eileen Fitzpatrick as Managing Director and Chief Investment Officer, following the resignation of Maurice Harte as Managing Director.

Maurice intends to devote his energies full time to a new business venture outside the asset management business.

Colm Doherty, Managing Director, AIB Capital Markets, said, “ Maurice played a major role in developing AIB Investment Managers. Under his stewardship, AIBIM has been very successful, from an investment performance and a business perspective, for its clients and the AIB Group. Eileen’s appointment, as his successor, reflects the Group’s continuing commitment to developing a world class asset management business under the leadership of Noel McEvoy, recently appointed Chief Executive Officer of AIB’s global asset management operations.”