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SOCO International plc

Directorate change

SOCO International plc (SIA) announces that Roger Cagle and Cynthia Cagle, each an Executive Director, have decided to retire in the second half of 2018 after over 20 years with the Company.

Each will step down from the Board with effect from 12 November 2017, but will continue in employment with the Group until 11 September 2018.

Roger and Cynthia were both part of the founding team that established SOCO International plc and have been instrumental in its success. Their considerable efforts have helped SOCO to develop and deliver projects across the globe, whilst providing substantial returns to investors.

Rui de Sousa, non-executive Chairman, commented:

"I would like to thank Cynthia and Roger for their immense contribution to SOCO over the last twenty years. They have each played a crucial role in the success of SOCO and it has been a privilege to work closely with them."

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