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CV (SHORT VERSION), DI Herbert Eibensteiner

Herbert Eibensteiner, born in 1963, has been a member of the Management Board of voestalpine AG since 2012 and also Head of the Steel Division, the Group's highest revenue earning division, since October 2014. During the Annual General Meeting on July 3, 2019, Eibensteiner officially succeeded Wolfgang Eder as CEO of the technology group.

After graduating in mechanical engineering/business management from the Vienna University of Technology in 1988, Herbert Eibensteiner joined the voestalpine Group in 1989 as a plant engineer for maintenance and from 1993 to 2000 held management positions in Cold Rolling Mill Maintenance, Quality Management, Workplace Safety, and Environmental Protection. From 2000 to 2014 Eibensteiner held several management positions in the Metal Forming Division and its precursor companies, most recently as head of the entire division. In his manager role in the Metal Forming Division, he contributed significantly to the accelerated internationalization of the Automotive segment.

In recent years, Eibensteiner has also provided far-reaching momentum at the Steel Division headquarters in Linz, where more than EUR 1 billion has been invested since 2014. For example, the technological basis for the next few years has been laid by starting up a new continuous casting line, renovating blast furnaces A, 5, and 6, and building a hydrogen pilot plant. The division's leading position was further strengthened by a large-scale digitalization offensive along the entire value chain. Also, the opening of the direct reduction plant in Corpus Christi, Texas, and supplying international customers with top-quality steel products support the Group's international growth strategy. Herbert Eibensteiner has also been one of the Vice Presidents of the European Steel Association (EUROFER) since 2014.

Apart from his professional challenges, Herbert Eibensteiner spends his free time with his family and practicing sports.