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## Press release

# The Supervisory Board of Schneider Electric SA has decided to co-opt Mr. Xavier FONTANET as a member of the supervisory board

**Rueil-Malmaison (France), December 16, 2011** – The supervisory board, which met on December 15th, 2011, has decided to co-opt Mr. Xavier FONTANET as a member of the supervisory board

Mr. FONTANET, 63 years old and of French nationality, is Chairman of the Board of Essilor International.

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