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QBE Asia Pacific appoints Martin Allan as General Manager - Claims, Asia Pacific

QBE Asia Pacific announces the appointment of Martin Allan to the role of General Manager – Claims, Asia Pacific, with effect from 7 September 2015.

In this role, Martin is responsible for managing the Claims function and driving business efficiencies to deliver an enhanced value proposition for QBE customers in Asia Pacific. He is based in Singapore.

Bruce Howe, Chief Operating Officer, QBE Asia Pacific says: "I am delighted to welcome Martin to the team. As part of our Asia Pacific Profitable Growth Strategy, we see the importance of strengthening our claims capability to fulfil our growth development. With Martin's proven record and experience in claims, we are confident that he will help us to further grow our profitability and improve the customer experience in the Asia Pacific."

Martin has had more than 32 years of experience in the insurance industry and has held various senior positions with different corporates, including general management of operations and regional roles in claims. Prior to joining QBE, Martin was the Manager Director and Country Manager at Crawford & Co International Singapore. He also served as the Regional Head of Consumer Claims, APAC, at ACE Asia Pacific Services for eight years, during which he had management oversight of regional claims for various product lines.

* Martin Allan's photograph attached.

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