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Royal Dutch Shell plc ("Shell", NYSE: RDS.A, NYSE: RDS.B)) today announces the appointment of Maarten Wetselaar Integrated Gas Director with effect from January 1st, 2016.

Integrated Gas in Shell has grown into a business that generated \$11 billion of cash flow per year average over the last three years, compared to \$2 billion in 2009. Integrated Gas is now being established as stand-alone organisation in Shell, reflecting both its enlarged scale and investment potential. In this new role, Maarten will become a member of the Executive Committee of Shell.

Notes to editors

Maarten is a Dutch national and currently Executive Vice President of Integrated Gas, a business he leads from Singapore. He joined Shell in 1995 and has held a variety of Financial, Commercial and General Management roles in Downstream, Trading and Upstream. Maarten has been based in the Netherlands, Brazil, Ghana, Dubai, Moscow, and Singapore over the course of his career. He holds a Master degree in Economics from Groningen University and a Post Doctorate Controllers degree from VU University of Amsterdam in the Netherlands. In his new role Maarten will be based in the Netherlands at Shell headquarters. He is married with three children.

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