



**Strong growth in consolidated turnover
in Q1 2006: up 28.3% at current exchange rates
to CHF 295.9 million**

*Compagnie Financière Tradition's turnover
for 2006 and 2005 is reported on the basis of IFRS*

Consolidated turnover in the first quarter of 2006 climbed 28.3% to CHF 295.9 million, at current exchange rates, against CHF 230.6 million a year ago. These figures are stated in accordance with IFRS.

At constant exchange rates under IFRS, Q1 consolidated turnover reached CHF 283.3 million, up 22.8% on the same period last year.

In terms of geographic spread, the U.K. and U.S. are still the Group's major revenue generators, contributing 36.3% and 30.8% of turnover respectively, against 35.9% and 27.5% in 2005. Asia accounted for 20.7% of Group revenues, compared with 22.1% in 2005, while continental Europe accounted for 12.2% against 14.5% in Q1 last year.

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