Triodos @ Investment Management

KRONES AG

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Sector:	Industrial Machinery				

	PROPOSALS	ADVICE	
1	Receive Financial Statements and Statutory Reports for Fiscal 2013 Non-voting agenda item.	Non-Voting	
2	Approve the dividend The Board proposes a dividend payment of EUR 2 per share. The dividend is covered by earnings. Acceptable proposal.	For	
3	Discharge the Management Board Standard proposal. No major governance concerns have been identified. Acceptable proposal.	For	
4	Discharge the Supervisory Board Standard proposal. No major governance concerns have been identified. Acceptable proposal.	For	
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6.1	Re-elect Alexander Nerz Non-executive Director. Independence not declared by the Company, not considered to be independent as he has been on the Board for more than nine years. There is insufficient independent representation on the Board.	Oppose	
6.2	Elect Hans-Juergen Thaus Independent non-executive Director.	For	
7	Authorise Share Repurchase The Board seeks to be entitled to repurchase company shares up to a maximum of 10% of total shares issued. Acceptable proposal.	For	
8	Amend Articles The Board seeks to be entitled to modify the articles of association regarding the remuneration of the Supervisory Board. It is proposed that all members of the Supervisory Board shall receive a fixed fee of EUR 20,000 per year. It is further proposed that each member of the Supervisory Board shall receive EUR 2,000 for each EUR 0.30 by which total consolidated net income per share exceeds EUR 1.00. The variable remuneration shall be limited up to a maximum of EUR 14,000 per year. Variable remuneration may affect the Board's independence. Best practice is for Supervisory Board members to receive only fixed remuneration. Given the concern over variable remuneration, Triodos does not support this resolution.	Oppose	
9	Appoint the auditors KPMG Bayerische Treuhandgesellschaft AG are proposed. Non audit fees in the year under review were approximately 4.8% of audit fees. On a three year aggregate basis, non audit fees were approximately 16.4% of audit fees. This level of non audit fees raises no concerns over the independence of the auditors. Acceptable proposal. * = Special resolution	For	

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