



Press release

## Arthur van der Wal appointed divisional chairman of Syntrus Achmea Real Estate & Finance

**Zeist, 12 July 2018 - Arthur van der Wal has been appointed divisional chairman of Syntrus Achmea Real Estate & Finance (SA RE&F) from 1 September 2018, succeeding George Dröge, who has been acting chairman since May 2017.**

Arthur van der Wal is currently CEO of insurance company Movir, part of Nationale-Nederlanden (NN), having previously held various positions at NN and ING including Director Institutional Clients at ING Investment Management (now NNIP), CEO of pension administrator AZL and Director of NN's pensions business.

With his extensive management experience, asset management and pensions expertise and personal network among pension funds, Mr Van der Wal is a welcome addition to the SARE&F executive team.

SA RE&F is Achmea's real estate and mortgage investment manager for pension funds and other institutional investors. From 1 September 2018, the members of its board will consist of Arthur van der Wal (chairman), George Dröge, Cindy Rombouts and Nicole Maarsen.

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